

Christmas lights

- Coldplay -

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♩ = 120

A (A : consider solo soprano - very light)

Soprano

ding _____ ding _____ doo doo doon _____

Mezzo

mp dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung

Alto

mp dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung

Tenor

8

Bass

Detailed description: This system shows the vocal parts for the first four measures of section A. The Soprano part has a melodic line with lyrics 'ding', 'ding', and 'doo doo doon'. The Mezzo and Alto parts provide a rhythmic accompaniment with 'dung' syllables. The Tenor and Bass parts are mostly silent, indicated by a '8' in the Tenor staff.

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S

doo doo doon doo doo doon doo doo doon doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

M

doon doon doon doon doon doon dooh doo doo

A

dung _____ dung _____ dung _____ dung _____

T

mp doon doon dn doon doon dn doon doon dn doon dn

B

doo _____ doo doo

Detailed description: This system continues the vocal parts for measures 5-8. The Soprano part has a melodic line with lyrics 'doo doo doon' repeated. The Mezzo part has 'doon doon doon doon doon doon dooh doo doo'. The Alto part has 'dung' syllables. The Tenor part has 'doon doon dn doon doon dn doon doon dn doon dn'. The Bass part has 'doo' followed by a long line and then 'doo doo'.

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S doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

M doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

A dung_ dung_ doo doo dung_

T doon doon dn doon doon dn doo doo doon doon dn

B poi - son in, of poi - son in my blood. I took my feet to

(alternative)

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S doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

M doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

A dung_ dung_ doo doo dung_

T doon doon dn doon doon dn doo doo doon doon dn

B Ox - ford street, try - in' right or wrong. Just walk a - way those

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S doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

M doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

A dung_ dung_ *Lead* When

T doon doon dn doon doon dn dooh dooh

B win - dows say, I can't be - lieve she's gone.

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S
doo doo doon doo doo doon doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo

M
doon doon doon doon doo

A
dung dung doo

T
doon doon dn doon doon dn *Lead* Up a - bove can -

B
doon doon doo doo

D
41 *mf*

S
mf djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

M
mf djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

A
djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

T
mf dles on air flick - er, oh_ they_ flick - er_ and_ they_ float_ But I'm up_

B
dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum

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S
djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

M
djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

A
djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn djèn djèn_ djèn

T
_ here_ hol - din'_ on_ to all_ those_ chan - de - liers_ of_ hope_ Like some

B
dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum dum dum_ dum

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S doo doo doon____ doon____ doo doo doon____ doon____ doo doo doon____ doon____

M doo doon____ doon____ doo doon____ doon____ doo doon____ doon____

A still wai - tin' for the snow to fall____ Does' nt real - ly feel____ like

T aah____

B hm____

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S doo doo doon____ doon____ doo doo doon doo doo doon doo doo doon

M doon doon____ doon____ doon doon. doon dn doon doon. doon dn doon doon. doon dn

A Christ - mas at all,____ doon doon doon doon doon doon____ doon

T nah____ na nah____

B hm doon doon doon

F

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S doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doo doon doo doo doon da da dah dah_

M nah____ da da dah dah_

A nah____ doon doon____ dn doon doon____ dn da da dah dah_

T doon doon____ doon. dn doon doon____ doon. dn da da dah dah_

B doon doon doon da da dah dah_

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H *legato*

89 *p*

S
M
A
T
B

p noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

pp

t' tum_ tum_ t' tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t' tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t'

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S
M
A
T
B

noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t' tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t' tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t'

101 *mf* **Ritenu** **I** *a Tempo*

S
M
A
T
B

noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

mf Those Christ - mas lights, *mf* lights,

noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

Those *mf* dai_ dap

noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

mf Those dai_ dap

noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo noo

Those Christ - mas *mf* lights,

tum tum t' tum_ tum_ t' dum dum dum dum Those_ d' dum d' d'

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S Light up the fi - re works in me. May all your trou -

M da da da dai_ dap da da da dai_ dap da da da dai_ dap

A da da da dai_ dap da da da dai_ dap da da da dai_ dap

T Light up the fi - re works in me. May all your trou -

B dm dm dm dum d' d' dm dm dm dum d' d' dm dm dm dum d' d'

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S bles soon be gone. Those Christ - mas lights keep shi - nin' on

M da da da gone. mm_ mm_

A da da da gone. mm_ mm_

T bles soon be gone. mm_ mm_

B dm dm be gone. Those Christ - mas lights mm_

mp **Rallentando** *p* *p* *mp*



Vowels, Scat and Percussive Sounds

Vowels

OO	as in	Shoe	AH	Car
OH		Show	A	Tap
OW		Cow	AI	My
E		Her	I	Dip
EE		Me	U	tongue
EH		Get	MM	humming

woah is standard Not wow, woa, woah
Oh is standard Not Ohw etc. Diphthongs in English are not written.

Scat

doo ba doo	Not doo b doo
doo be doo	Not doo b doo
'Dum' or 'doom'	Not 'dm'
'Dung'	Not 'dng'

Vocal Percussion

check <http://www.chorsonline.com/en/vocalpercussion>

b	bass drum
pf	snare drum
k	snare drum rim
tff or ff	snare drum brushed
t	closed Hi-hat
tsh	open Hi-hat
tum	toms
psh	crashing cymbals
tsah	soft cymbal
ssss(p)	reversed cymbal
tiff'e – tshiff'e	shaker (with accent)
tshiff'e - tshiff'e	shaker (no accent)
<c>	claves (horse click)
koo root	guiro
ch (k-t)	cabasa
<p>	woodblock
ting	triangle