

# SILVER BELLS

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## verse

G Am7 D7  
Christmas makes you feel e - motional  
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It may bring parties or thoughts de - votional  
Em Baug Em7 A9  
Whatever happens or what may be  
G C#dim D7 C#dim Am7 D7  
Here is what Christmastime means to me

## chorus 1

G Bm7 G7 C  
City sidewalks, busy sidewalks dressed in holiday style  
D7 Am7 G C G  
In the air there's a feeling of Christ - mas  
Am7 G Bm7 G7 C  
Children laughing, people passing meeting smile after smile  
D7 G Am7 G Am7  
And on every street corner you hear  
G C D A7 D7 G Am7 G Am7  
Silver bells, silver bells, it's Christ-mas-time in the city  
G C D A7 D7 Am7 D7 G C Bm Am D7  
Ringaling, hear them ring, soon it will be Christ-mas Day

**chorus 2**

**G** **Bm7** **G7** **C**  
Strings of streetlights, even stoplights blink a bright red and green

**D7** **Am7** **G** **C** **G**  
As the shoppers rush home with their pre-sents

**Am7** **G** **Bm7** **G7** **C**  
Hear the snow crunch, see the kids bunch, this is Santa's big scene

**D7** **G** **Am7** **G** **Am7**  
And a-bove all this bustle you hear

**G** **C** **D** **A7** **D7** **G** **Am7** **G** **Am7**  
Silver bells, silver bells, it's Christ-mas-time in the city

**G** **C** **D** **A7** **D7** **Am7** **D7** **G**  
Ringaling, hear them ring, soon it will be Christ-mas Day

**D** **A7** **D7** **Am7** **D7** **G** **C** **Bm7** **D7** **G**  
Soon it will be Christ-mas Day