

Buy and Sell

Key of G

Tune: Silver Bells

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City sidewalks, busy sidewalks
Lined with advertising
It's the big retail season of Christmas
Children begging for each new thing
Toys for mile after mile,
And the mood of the season is clear:

Buy and Sell
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It's Christmas time for consumers
Ching-a-ching
Ching-a-ching
Must we spend Christmas this way?

Massing credit, running debits
Buying things we don't need
Using money we don't really have
Children crying, parents sighing
Little time for family
And the reason behind it is clear

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