

We Need a Little Christmas

Traditional from Johnny Mathis

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VERSE 1

G | G |
Haul out the holly, Put up the
G G7 | Bm E7 |
Tree before my spirit falls again
Am D7 | Am7 D7 |
Fill up the stocking, I may be
Am | D |
Rushing things, but deck the halls
| B7 |
again now

CHORUS

E7 | Am D |
..For we need a little Christmas
G Em |
Right this very minute
Am D |
Candles in the window
G G7
Carols at the spinet

| C D |
Yes, we need a little Christmas
G Em |
Right this very minute, It
A A7 |
Hasn't snowed a single flurry, but
D
Santa, Dear, we're in a hurry

VERSE 2

| G | G |
So climb down the chimney, put up the
G G7 | Bm E7 |
brightest string of lights I've ever seen
Am D7 | Am7 D7 |
Slice up the fruitcake, it's time
Am | D |
we hung some tinsel on that
| B7 |
evergreen bough

CHORUS 2

E7 | Am D |
..For I've grown a little leaner,
G Em |
grown a little colder,
Am D |
Grown a little sadder,
G G7 |
grown a little older

| C D |
And I need a little angel
G Em |
sitting on my shoulder.
Am D | G |
I need a little Christmas now

(Johnny Mathis changes key,
stay in the same key to sing along)

G | G | G |
G7 | Bm E7 | Am D7 |
Am7 D7 | Am | D |

CHORUS

B7 | Am D |
..For we need a little music
G G7 |
Need a little laughter
Am D |
Need a little singing
G G7
Ringing through the rafter

| C D |
And we need a little snappy
G G7
Happy ever after
| Am |
We need a little
A7 | D G |
Criiisssss aaaSSS NOOWWWWW

