

We Need Jesus

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V1

C F
The decorations mean nothing,
C G
If Jesus isn't there.
C F
The traditions seem so hollow,
C G
Without Jesus it seem bear.
F C
Life can be so meaningless,
E7 Am
Without His love to share.
F C
We need His love inside us,
F G
Life without it is despair.

CHORUS

G F C
We need Jesus!
F G
We need the Lord in our lives.
F C
We need Jesus!
F G
We need His peace in our homes.
F E7
The joy of Christmas never comes,
Am D
Until He's present there.
F G
We need Jesus!
C F G F C F G
We need the Lord.

V2

C F
The Christmas tree lights,
C G
Light up the room.
C F
Without the lights of Christmas,
C G
Winter would be gloom.
F C
The same is true with Jesus,
E7 Am
When light came from the tomb.
F C
We know the joy of Christmas,
F G
If in our hearts, there is room.

CHORUS¹

C Am
O come to my heart
F G
Lord Jesus
C C/B
There is room
F G
In my heart
F G
For Thee. (repeat)

ENDING

F C Am F G C2
For Thee. (Finale)

¹ "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne", by Emily Elliott & Timothy Matthews, *Worship the Lord Hymnal*, p. 185.
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