

By Christmas Eve  
John Legend

[Verse 1]

I m a thousand miles away, it s not snowing in LA  
But I m falling just the same, I m sorry  
All the flights have been delayed, I ve got nowhere here to stay  
But if I can find my way, I ll hurry

[Pre-Chorus]

Just hang up the Christmas lights, and I ll do the rest tonight  
Just tell the kids I m coming, I swear that I ll be running  
And under the Christmas tree, together, yeah, we will be  
I promise

[Chorus]

I m gonna walk, if I have to run  
I ll stand on the highway and stop someone  
I ll cross the deserts and oceans, a river that s frozen  
I ll follow the stars just to find where you are  
You can count on me  
Make a wish, close your eyes, and believe  
I ll be home, home, home, home, home by Christmas Eve

B C#m B C#m

[Verse 2]

And I know it s all on you, keep it together like you re glue  
And everything you do, I notice

So I ll bring presents, I ll bring wine

**C#m**

The mistletoe for you and I

**B**

**C#m**

And I ll be there just in time to show it

[Pre-Chorus]

**C#m**

**B/D#**

Just hang up the Christmas lights, and I ll do the rest tonight

**E/F#**

Just tell the kids I m coming, I swear that I ll be running

**C#m**

**B/D#**

And under the Christmas tree, together, yeah, we will be

**E/F#**

I promise

[Chorus]

**B**

**D#m**

I m gonna walk, if I have to run

**Emaj7**

**C#m**

I ll stand on the highway and stop someone

**B**

**D#m**

I ll cross the deserts and oceans, a river that s frozen

**C#m**

**C#m/B**

I ll follow the stars just to find where you are

**E**

You can count on me

**B**

**F#/Bb**

**A**

**D#m/G#**

Make a wish, close your eyes, and believe

**E/F#**

I ll be home, home, home, home, home by Christmas Eve

**B**

[Bridge]

**C#m7**

**D#m**

Whoa, I ll find my way back to California

**E**

I ll follow the map, yeah, to somewhere warmer

**C#m7**

**D#m**

**E/F#**

I ll carry my bags just until I can hold you again

[Chorus]

**B**

**D#m**

I m gonna walk, if I have to run

**Emaj7**

**C#m**

I ll stand on the highway and stop someone

**B**

**D#m**

I ll cross the deserts and oceans, a river that s frozen

**C#m**

**C#m/B**

I ll follow the stars just to find where you are

**E**

You can count on me

**B**

**F#/Bb**

**A**

**D#m/G#**

Make a wish, close your eyes, and believe

**E/F#**

I ll be home, home, home, home, home by Christmas Eve

[Outro]

**B**