

Silent Night All Day Long

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[Intro]

G C G D G

[Verse 1]

D G D
There s a pine tree in a window in a house on a hill
G
With a tree top angel sitting perfectly still
D C
She s watching the shoppers walk through the snow
G D G
With their arms full of treasures and their hearts all aglow

[Chorus]

C G
We held hands and stared at the lights on the tree
D
As if Christmas was invented just for you and for me
G C
When the angel on the treetop requested a song
G D G G
We sang Silent Night all day long

[Verse 2]

D G D
There s a family that s gathering in some living room
G
Dinner on the table that s been cooking since noon
D C
The stockings on the mantle are hanging with care
G D G
While every body is saying a prayer

[Chorus]

C G
We held hands and stared at the lights on the tree
D
As if Christmas was invented just for you and for me
G D C
When the angel on the treetop requested a song
G D G
We sang Silent Night all day long

[Instrumental]

G C G D G D

[Verse 3]

G **D**
There s a room out there somewhere with a woman in a chair
G
With memories of childhood still lingering there
D **C**
How pretty the paper, the lights and the snow
G **D** **G**
How precious those memories of long long ago

[Chorus]

C **G**
We held hands and stared at the lights on the tree
D
As if Christmas was invented just for you and for me
G **D** **C**
When the angel on the treetop requested a song
G **D** **G**
We sang Silent Night all day long

[Outro]

C **G**
When the angel on the treetop requested a song
D **G**
We sang Silent Night all day long