

Chiron Beta Prime
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Chords:

A x0222x
Aaug x0322x
D xx0232
E. 022100
F#m/C# x4422x
Faug/C# x4322x
A/C# x4222x
B7 x21202
E7 022130
F#m/A x0422x
A7 x02020
Dmaj7 xx0222
F#m 244222
Dm6 xx0201

Intro: | **A** | **Aaug** | | **A** | **Aaug** |

Verse 1

A **D** **E**
This year has been a little crazy for the Andersons
A **D** **E**
You may recall we had some trouble last year
A **D** **E**
The robot council had us banished to an asteroid
A **D** **E**
That hasn't undermined our holiday cheer.

Pre-chorus 1

F#m/C# **Faug/C#** **A/C#** **B7**
And we know it's almost Christmas by the marks we make on the wall.
E **E/F#** **E7/G#**
That's our favorite time of year.

Chorus

A **Aaug** **F#m/A**
Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime,
A7 **Dmaj7** **F#m**
Where we're working in a mine for our robot overlords.
B7 **E**
Did I say overlords? I meant protectors.
D **Dm6**
Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime.

A | Aaug | A | Aaug

Verse 2

A **D** **E**
On every corner there s a giant metal Santa Claus,
A **D** **E**
Who watches over us with glowing red eyes.
A **D** **E**
They carry weapons and they know if you ve been bad or good.
A **D** **E**
Not everybody s good but everyone tries.

Pre-chorus 2

F#m/C# **Faug/C#** **A/C#** **B7**
And the rocks outside the airlock exude ammonia-scented snow.
E **E/F#** **E7/G#**
It s like a Winter Wonderland.

Chorus

A **Aaug** **F#m/A**
Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime,
A7 **Dmaj7** **F#m**
Where we re working in a mine for our robot overlords.
B7 **E**
Did I say overlords? I meant protectors.
D **Dm6**
Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime.

[Keyboard solo. Same chords as Chorus]

A | Aaug | A | Aaug

Verse 3

A **D** **E**
That s all the family news that we re allowed to talk about.
A **D** **E**
We really hope you ll come and visit us soon.
A **D** **E**
I mean we re literally begging you to visit us.
A **D** **E**
And make it quick before they [MESSAGE REDACTED].

Pre-chorus 3

F#m/C# **Faug/C#** **A/C#** **B7**
Now it s time for Christmas dinner - I think the robots sent us a pie!
E **E/F#** **E7/G#**
You know I love my soylent green.

Chorus

A **Aaug** **F#m/A**
Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime,
A7 **Dmaj7** **F#m**
Where we re working in a mine for our robot overlords.

B7

E

Did I say overlords? I meant protectors.

D

Dm6

Merry Christmas from Chiron Beta Prime.