

Once A Year  
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**F#** **B**  
Christmas eve, mom and dad  
**G#** **C#**  
Load the car with grocery bags

**F#** **B**  
They take the kids and drive downtown  
**G#** **C#**  
**B** **C#**  
And spend the night passing food out

**B** **F#**  
Once a year Decemberâ€™s here  
**D#** **C#**  
And our hearts open up  
**B** **F#**  
Once a year we give with cheer  
**D#** **C#**  
To those who donâ€™t have enough  
**B** **F#**  
Wouldnâ€™t it be something  
**A#** **D#** **B**  
If we all learned to love like itâ€™s Christmas  
**C#** **F#**  
More than once a year

**F#** **B**  
No one rings a bell at the mall in June  
**G#** **C#**  
But nobody said we canâ€™t give then, too

**F#** **B**  
And when autumn comes with its changing leaves  
**G#** **C#**  
Could we spend more time with the least of these

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Love is patient, love is kind

**C#**

Love will always find the time

**B**

Love is now and love is here

**C#**

Love is more than once a year

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