

**Lonely Man Of Winter**  
**Sufjan Stevens**

[Intro]

**G Dm F C** x2

[Verse 1]

**G** **Dm**  
In the world that you would make up  
**F** **C**  
With unicorns and buffalo backs  
**G** **Dm**  
I know that you would wake up  
**F** **C**  
With the sunny side touching your back

[Chorus]

**G** **Dm**  
Is it the lonely man of Christmas?  
**F** **C**  
Coming up with theories on him  
**G** **Dm**  
Is it the lonely man of Christmas?  
**F** **C**  
He s riding in the devil s abyss

[Verse 2]

**Em** **Dm**  
Oh, I would rate the future  
**F** **Am**  
If I could put a finger on it  
**Em** **Dm**  
But I have no idea  
**F** **Am**  
If what I want is better than this

[Chorus]

**Em** **Dm**  
Is it the lonely man of winter?  
**F** **Am**  
I could put my finger on that  
**Em** **Dm**  
Is it the lonely drive to Denver?  
**F** **C**  
The loneliness of Hoppington s hat

[Instrumental]

G Dm F C  
Em Dm F C

[Chorus]

          G              Dm  
Is it the time we spent in silence?  
          F                          C  
The silence of a winter we had  
          Em              Dm  
Is it the lonely man of winter?  
F                          C  
I could put my finger on that

[Verse 3]

          Em              Dm  
And even if it s Christmas  
F                          Am  
Could we just pretend for a bit  
          Em              Dm  
That everything we went through  
          F                          Am  
Was someone else s carpenter kiss

[Outrol]

G Dm F C x2

Em Dm F C  
Em Dm F Am  
Em Dm F C  
Em Dm F C