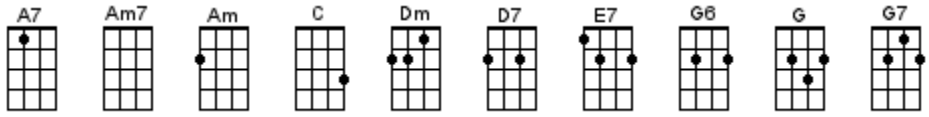
We Need A Little Christmas

Jerry Herman 1966 (from the musical "Mame")



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INTRO: [G] [G]

[G] Haul **[G]** out the **[G6]** holly **[G6]**
Put up the **[G]** tree be-**[G6]**fore my **[Dm]** spirit **[E7]** falls again
[Am] Fill **[Am]** up the **[Am7]** stocking **[D7]**
I may be **[Am7]** rushing **[Am7]** things but **[D7]** deck the **[D7]** halls again
[Dm] [Dm] now **[E7] [E7]**

For we **[Am]** need a little **[D7]** Christmas **[G]** right this very **[G6]** minute
[Am] Candles in the **[D7]** window **[G]** carols at the **[G7]** spinet, yes we
[C] Need a little **[D7]** Christmas **[G]** right this very **[G6]** minute
It **[A7]**↓ hasn't snowed a single flurry but **[D7]**↓ Santa dear we're in a hurry so

[G] Climb **[G]** down the **[G6]** chimney **[G6]**
Put up the **[G]** brightest **[G6]** string of **[Dm]** lights I've **[E7]** ever seen
[Am] Slice **[Am]** up the **[Am7]** fruitcake **[D7]**
It's time we **[Am7]** hung some **[Am7]** tinsel **[D7]** on that **[D7]** evergreen
[Dm] [Dm] bough **[E7] [E7]**

For I've **[Am]** grown a little **[D7]** leaner **[G]** grown a little **[G6]** colder
[Am] Grown a little **[D7]** sadder **[G]** grown a little **[G7]** older and I
[C] Need a little **[D7]** angel **[G]** sitting on my **[G6]** shoulder
[Am] Need a little **[D7]** Christmas **[G]** now **[G7]** for we

[Am] Need a little **[D7]** music **[G]** need a little **[G6]** laughter
[Am] Need a little **[D7]** singing **[G]** ringing through the **[G7]** rafter, and we
[C] Need a little **[D7]** snappy **[G]** "happy ever **[G6]** after"
[Am] Need a little **[D7]** Christmas **[G]** now **[G]**

