

# Sleep In Heavenly Peace

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(quoting Gruber and Mohr)

capo 4: Am - CM7/G - FM7 - E7

Am  
1. And so it's Christmas  
CM7/G  
And "Peace On Earth" is  
FM7 E  
Heard in all the songs.  
Am CM7/G  
Visions of a baby in a manger  
FM7 E  
And Kings who bring their gifts.  
Dm Em  
Donations made to fight injustice  
FM7 E  
Now clear to all our hearts and minds  
D E F#m F#m/E  
And we "sleep in heavenly peace"  
D E F#m  
And we "sleep in heavenly peace"

Am CM7/G  
2. A child cries from hunger.  
FM7 E  
A woman weeps as her soldier falls.  
Am CM7/G  
A man maimed and deserted  
FM7 E  
While trying to make a stand.  
Dm Em  
These are the pictures our  
FM7 E  
Minds don't wish to see  
D E7 F#m-F#m/E  
On this sweet sentimental night;  
D E7  
Disturbs our sleep and our heavenly  
F#m  
peace.

Bm C#m  
But the Master said, "Feed them."  
D A  
The Master said, "Clothe them."  
Bm C#m D E7  
The Master said, "Take them in."  
Am CM7  
Why do we pack away compassion,  
FM7 E  
Generosity and hope  
Dm Em Am  
Like so many decorations  
FM7 E  
As soon as the season's done?  
  
Am CM7/G  
3. Emmanuel came to live with us.  
FM7 E  
He knew hunger, cold and pain.  
Am CM7/G  
Yet we hold on to our old ideals of that  
FM7 E  
Sweet baby in the hay.  
Dm Em  
Let the star be our compass  
FM7 Am  
Let it show us the way  
Dm Am  
To obey the true words of this tiny Savior  
Lord  
FM7 E7  
Each and every day  
D E7 F#m - F#m/E  
And sleep, then, in heavenly peace;  
D E7 F#m  
Yes we'll sleep then in heavenly peace.