# An Old Christmas Card

Vaughn Horton 1911 - 1988 (as recorded by Jim Reeves 1963)



**INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [G] / [G]**

It’s the **[D7]** memory, of an old Christmas **[G]** card **[C]↓[Gdim7]↓ / [G]**

There’s an **[G]** old Christmas card, in an **[C]** old dusty **[G]** trunk

And it **[D7]** brings back sweet memories dear to **[G]** me **[D7]**

Though it’s **[G]** faded and worn, it’s as **[C]** precious as the **[G]** morn

When I **[D7]** found it ‘neath our first Christmas **[G]** tree **[C] / [G]**

I **[D7]** thrill with every word, every **[G]** line **[D7] / [G]**

Guess I’m **[A7]** always sentimental round this **[D7]** time **[A7] / [D7]**

Pardon **[G]** me if a tear, falls a-**[C]**mong my Christmas **[G]** cheer

It’s the **[D7]** memory of an old Christmas **[G]** card **[Gdim7]↓[C]↓ / [G][D7] /**

**INSTRUMENTAL: < with SPOKEN part (below) over top >**

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And it **[D7]** brings back sweet memories dear to **[G]** me **[D7]**

Though it’s **[G]** faded and worn, it’s as **[C]** precious as the **[G]** morn

When I **[D7]** found it ‘neath our first Christmas **[G]** tree **[C] / [G]**

**< SPOKEN while playing/humming instrumental above >**

You know I don’t know why I get to feeling sentimental

About this time every year

But every time I see a Christmas card

I somehow can’t help reminiscing

About the very first Christmas that you and I spent together

What a beautiful Christmas card you gave me that year

Why I know you must have looked through thousands of cards

To find that wonderful poem that still brings a tear to my eyes

I **[D7]** thrill with every word, every **[G]** line **[Gdim7]↓[C]↓ / [G]**

Guess I’m **[A7]** always sentimental round this **[D7]** time **[A7] / [D7]**

Pardon **[G]** me if a tear, falls a-**[C]**mong my Christmas **[G]** cheer

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