



# I Saw Three Ships

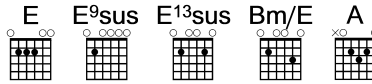
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*“The Lord reigns, let the earth rejoice; let the many coastlands be glad!” | Psalm 97:1*

Traditional English carol

Arr. Philip Moyer

♩ = 81



## VERSE 1

E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 I saw three ships come sailing in on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
 E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 I saw three ships come sailing in on Christmas day in the morning.

## INTERLUDE x2

E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | E<sup>13sus</sup> - - - - - | E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | Bm/E - - E<sup>13sus</sup> - -

## VERSE 2

E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 And what was in those ships all three, on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
 E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 And what was in those ships all three, on Christmas day in the morning?

## VERSE 3

E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Our Savior Christ and his lady, on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
 E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Our Savior Christ and his lady, on Christmas day in the morning.

## INTERLUDE x2

E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | E<sup>13sus</sup> - - - - - | E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | Bm/E - - E<sup>13sus</sup> - -

## VERSE 4

E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Pray, whither sailed those ships, all three, on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
 E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Pray, whither sailed those ships, all three, on Christmas day in the morning?

## VERSE 5

E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Oh, they sailed into Bethlehem on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
 E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>                          E                          E<sup>9sus</sup>  
 Oh, they sailed into Bethlehem on Christmas day in the morning.

## INTERLUDE x2

E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | E<sup>13sus</sup> - - - - - | E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | Bm/E - - E<sup>13sus</sup> - -



VERSE 6

E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the bells on earth shall ring on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the bells on earth shall ring on Christmas day, in the morning.

VERSE 7

E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the angels in heav'n shall sing on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the angels in heav'n shall sing on Christmas day in the morning.

VERSE 8

E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the souls on earth shall sing on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
And all the souls on earth shall sing on Christmas day in the morning.

INTERLUDE x2

E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | E<sup>13sus</sup> - - - - - | E - - E<sup>9sus</sup> - - | Bm/E - - E<sup>13sus</sup> - -

VERSE 9

E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
Then let us all rejoice again on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
Then let us all rejoice again on Christmas day in the morning  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>  
Then let us all rejoice again on Christmas day, on Christmas day,  
E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    A                    E                    E<sup>9sus</sup>                    E  
Then let us all rejoice again— on Christmas day in the morning