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The Christmas Shoes

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B♭ F/A B♭ Gm7 B♭/D Cm7 B♭/D B♭/E♭ F7sus

5 B♭ B♭/A Gm7 B♭/F

It was al - most Christmas time,

There I stood in an-oth-er line, B♭
7 Eb F sus F7 Cm F sus F

try'n to buy that last gift or two,

not real-ly in the Christ-mas mood.

9 B♭ B♭/A Gm7 B♭/F

Stand-ing right in front of me was a lit - tle boy wait-ing anx-iou-s - ly,

E♭ F7sus F7 Cm7 F7sus F7

pac-ing round like lit - tle boys do, and in his hand he held

a pair of shoes.

13 B♭ F/A Gm B♭/F

And his clothes were worn and old. He was

15 Gm B♭/F E♭ B♭/D

dir - ty from head to toe,

and when it came his time to pay I

17 B♭/E♭ F7sus F7

could-n't be - lieve what I heard him say,

"Sir, I wan-na

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19 C G A m7 G
buy these shoes for my Ma - ma, please. It's

21 F G 7sus G7 C Am G
Christ-mas Eve and these shoes are just her size. Could you

23 C G A m7 G
hur - ry, sir? Dad - dy says there's not much time. You see

25 F G 7sus G7
Mom's been sick for quite a while, and I

26 F G 7sus G7
know these shoes would make her smile. And I want her to look beau - ti - ful if

28 Dm7 Em7 F G 7sus Em G 7/B Am7 F G 7sus G7
Ma - ma meets Je - sus to night." He count-ed

31 C C/B
pen - nies for what seemed like years. Then the

32 Am7 C/G
cash - ier said, "Son, there's not e - nough here."

33 F Gsus G Dm7 Gsus G
He searched his pock-ets fran - ti-cilly, then he turned and he looked at me. He said,

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51 G A 7sus A 7
 Mom's been sick for quite a while, and I

52 G A 7sus A 7 G A 7sus A 7
 know these shoes would make her smile. And I want her to look beau - ti - ful if

54 Em7 F#m7 G A 7sus **To Coda** F#m A 7/C#
 Ma - ma meets Je - sus to night." I knew i'd

56 Em D/F# A B m
 caught a glimpse of heav-en's love as he thanked me and ran out. I knew that

58 C G/B A sus A
 God had sent that lit - tle boy to re - mind me what

60 Em9 A sus **D.S. al Coda**
 Christ-mas is all a - bout. "Sir, I want to

62 **Coda** D G A sus A
 night. I want her to look beau - ti - ful, if

64 Em7 F#m7 D/G A sus D A/C# Bm7 G D9
 Ma - ma meets Je - sus to - night.