

# Green Christmas

An ecology Christmas Carol

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Music by Candy Forest

Moderately

**Verse**

Win - ter comes in as the sea - sons turn, In the long eve - nings the can - dles burn.  
 Bring in the hol - ly and mis - tle - toe, Co - lor of spring in the win - ter snow.  
 Co - lor of life in a time of fear. Co - lor of hope for the com - ing year.  
 Deck - ing the halls is an old rou - tine. Now we need some - thing more to make our Christ - mas green. When you

**Chorus**

wrap your pre - sents and send your cards re -  
 mem - ber the for - est and spare a tree. Use re - cy - cled  
 pa - per for ev - 'ry - thing. The trees are a part of our  
**Refrain**  
 fam - i - ly. Re - mem - ber, re - mem -  
 ber, we can make Christ - mas Green.

2. A child was born in an ox's stall  
 In an innkeeper's stable in Bethlehem  
 The friendly beasts all around him stood;  
 When you set your table, remember them.

3. And what of the children born today,  
 Sweet as the babe in the manger scene?  
 What can we give them but all our love,  
 Justice and peace, and a world that's green?