

When It's Christmas Down in Texas E / Capo 3

E6 **A7** **E6**
When it's Christmas down in Texas,
E6 **A7** **E6**
There'll be mesquite smoke in the air.
 F#m7 **B7**
We'll hang some chili peppers
 G#m7 A7 **E6**
On a cedar Christmas tree.
 F#7 **(F#) (E) A7**
There'll be a pretty Tex — as girl
(D#) (D#) (E) (F) (F#) **B7**
Wait - in' there for me
A7 **B7** **E6**
When it's Christmas down in Texas.

When it's Christmas down in Texas,
I'll bet my spurs there won't be snow,
But that big 'ol Texas moon
Will paint the cactus white,
And starlight on the cedar breaks
Will decorate the night
When it's Christmas down in Texas.

BRIDGE

A7 **E6**
If you think you'll scan the radar,
A7 **E6**
Maybe locate Santa's sleigh,
F#m7 **B7**
Remember, this is Texas;
 G#m7 **A7 E6**
I think you're out'a luck,
 F#7 **(F#) (E) A7**
'Cause Santa will be driv - in' in
 (D#) (D#) (E) (F) (F#) **B7**
A Red Dodge doo - lie truck.
A7 **B7** **E6**
When it's Christmas down in Texas.

When it's Christmas down in Texas
Grandma's kitchen's where we'll be.
We'll taste the sweet potatoes
Give the honey ham a try,
And add some jalapeños
To Grandma's pumpkin pie.
When it's Christmas down in Texas.

Then we'll move into the parlor
And Grandpa will take his fiddle down,
We'll dance a Texas two-step
'Round that cedar Christmas tree
I'll grab a sprig of mistletoe
And hold it over me.
A7 **B7** **E6**
When it's Christmas down in Texas.

SLOW TAG

A7 //
When it's Christmas,
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G#7 **Am7** **G#7**
When it's Christ- mas,
A7 **B7** **E6 B7 E6**
When it's Christmas down in Texas.