

# Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella

Traditional French carol  
English version adapted DH

♩ = 160

*D*  
F

*Em*  
G m

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

Bring a torch Jean - nette, Is - a - bel - la, bring a torch and  
It is wrong when bab - ies are sleep - ing, it is wrong to  
Who comes there, who's knock - ing so loud - ly? Who comes there, who  
Soft - ly come and en - ter the sta - ble, Soft - ly, come for

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

*A*  
C

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quick - ly run. Christ is born, good folk of the vil - lage,  
talk so loud. Stop your talk - ing one of the and all,  
knocks on the door? Op - en wide! for I bear a bas - ket,  
just a short while. Go and see, how charm - ing is Je - sus!

*G*  
*Bb*

*D*  
F

*Em*  
G m

*A*  
C

*Bm*  
D m

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

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Christ is born, and Mar - y's call - ing. Ah! Ah! Beaut - i - ful  
Lest this noise should wak - en Je - sus. Hush! Hush! Qui - et - ly  
filled high with cakes, which I have brought here. Knock! Knock! Let us in -  
Brown his brow, his cheeks are ros - y. Oh! Oh! See how the

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

*Bm*  
D m

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

*A*  
C

*D*  
F

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is the moth - er, Ah! Ah! Beaut - i - ful is her child.  
now he slum - bers, Hush! Hush! Qui - et - ly now he sleeps.  
side the sta - ble! Knock! Knock! So we can cel - e - brate.  
child is sleep - ing, Oh! Oh! See how he smiles and dreams.

Guitarists may capo up 3 frets and play chords in *italics*.