## Christmas Luau

words and music by Leonard "Red" Hawk (Ruth Hawk
Vamp: G7 C7 F (ix)
F
'Twas the night before Christmas And all through the hale,
CT
F

Was singing and dancing and ho'omalimali
F
Mama in her mu'umu'u and Papa in his mako CT $F$
Greeting alkane, pehea, mahalo.

## Chorus:

$\mathrm{Bb} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Sister gathered flowers for a lei,
CT
F
Brother watched the imu all through the day.
Bb
F


Soon the music boys began to play,
G7
CT

Male old and new of Hawaii Nei.

## F

Tables were loaded with plenty of kaukau
CT
F

Opihi and salmon and steaming hot laulau.

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F
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We ate and talked stories until we were pau, CT F
It was really maika'i at our Christmas Luau.
[Chorus]
End:
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It was really maika'i at our Christmas Luau. $F_{(5)} C M F$ Ritard

