

*Winter Solstice*

Trip; Trip

[I; VERSE 1:]

The nights grow long  
But light's still there  
Our love is strong  
Because we truly care

[CHORUS I:]

Winter Solstice  
End of the year  
Winter Solstice  
I feel it clear

[I; VERSE 2:]

The snow grows deep  
I want you now  
You're within reach  
So I'll visit your house

[CHORUS I]

[I; VERSE 3:]

I grab my coat  
Walk through the snow  
So I can sit  
By your fire's warm glow

[CHORUS I]

[EXTENDED INSTRUMENTAL IMPROVISATION]

[II; VERSE 1:]

The days grow long  
From here on out  
Spring will return  
And our hearts will shout out [Audience participation on the SHOUT OUT]

[CHORUS II:]

Winter Solstice  
The time will turn  
Winter Solstice  
The sun still burns

[BERT SOLO]

[II; VERSE 2:]

When I'm with you

It feels so sweet

Each day is new

When you dance to the beat [Audience participation on the DANCE TO THE BEAT]

[CHORUS II]

[MAX SOLO]

[II; VERSE 3:]

As the band plays on

Music in our mind

Shades of crayons

To each and all be kind [Audience participation on the whole last line]

[CHORUS II]

[TRIP SOLO]

[III; VERSE 1:]

It's cold and dark, snow's on the ground

The wind blows cold, a hollow sound

Now the sun sits so dim and low

Though winter's here I don't feel low

Each day the sunset later glows

[CHORUS III:]

So now onward into the night

Music machine gonna take flight

Eat the paper say come what may

You know we'll all have hell to pay

I'm looking forward to that day

[III; VERSE 2:]

Happy dancing throughout the crowd

Music machine gonna play loud

A festive time for one and all

Let's have us a rock and roll ball

All become one and we'll walk tall

[CHORUS III]

[REPRISE:]

So....

Winter Solstice, if you've noticed

Don't get down, don't wear a frown

Don't be a clown, just dance around

Let all live free, see it we see

Sing it with glee, along with me