Strumming Pattern - Down Up Introduction - [C] [Am] [Dm] [G] Time Signature - 4/4

## Chorus

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But the [Am] very next day you gave it away,
[Dm] This year to save me from tears,
I'll [G] give it to someone special.
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[C] Once bitten and twice shy,
[Am] I keep my distance, but you still catch my eye,
[F] Tell me baby, do you recognize me?
[G] Well, it's been a year, it doesn't surprise me.
[C] (Happy Christmas) I wrapped it up and sent it,
[Am] With a note saying, "I love you", I meant it,

[Dm] Now I know what a fool I've been,
But if you [G] kissed me now, I know you'd fool me again.

## Chorus

[C] A crowded room, friends with tired eyes,
[Am] I'm hiding from you, and your soul of ice,
[F] My god, I thought you were someone to rely on,
[G] Me I guess I was a shoulder to cry on,
[C] A face on a lover with a fire in his heart,
[Am] A man under cover but you tore me apart,
[Dm] Oh, oh
Now I've [G] found a real love you'll never fool me again.

## Chorus

[C] A face on a lover with a fire in his heart [Am] A man under cover but you tore me apart [Dm] Next year i'll give it to someone, I'll [G] give it to someone spe-[C↓]cial.