

## Lights up on the Tree

Patrick Fitzgerald (rev 2019)

V1

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And we moved in together the day you married me  
Decorate the Christmas tree, a glass of wine with you  
We made our first ornaments, a toast to all things new  
And we sang "I'll be with you, and you'll be with me  
Every time we put the lights up on the tree"

F	Bb	F	Bb	C
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F	Bb	F	F	
F	Bb	F	F	
Bb	F	Bb	F	
Bb	C	F		

V2

The kids were so excited when we cut down the tree  
We brought it to our new home the day we got the key  
Smell the cider, feel the fire, hear the popcorn pop  
Turn off all the lights and put the angel at the top  
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Bb	F	Bb	F	
Bb	C	F		

V3

We played with our first grandson on the first of winter's snow  
He smiled and grabbed our fingers, the Christmas tree aglow  
Drink hot chocolate, kick your shoes off, dance across the floor  
Pull out the old stockings, put the wreath up on the door  
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Solo over Verse

F	Bb	F	Bb	C
F	Bb	F	Bb	C
F	Bb	F	F	
F	Bb	F	F	
Bb	F	Bb	F	
Bb	C	Dm		
Bb	C	F		

V4

Now another December, six months since you've been gone  
Sometimes I sit and wonder if I even should go on  
The family comes, put up the tree, we even share a tear  
We hang up your picture and it still feels like you're here  
Singing "I'll be with you, and you'll be with me  
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