Well <u>up</u> on the rooftop there was oh such a clatter And I <u>had</u> to get up to see whatever was the matter I heard <u>sounds</u> from the chimney that the stockings hung upon I know that <u>Santa</u> Claus has been here, and now Santa Claus

is gone

V1 Well, I've <u>tracked</u> him down for 1,000 miles – Santa Claus is gone

<u>Santa</u> always makes us smile – Santa Claus is gone I've <u>chased</u> him down from East to West – Santa Claus is gone You know <u>Santas</u> always do it best – Santa Claus is gone

Chorus

<u>Santa</u> Claus has gone away, I <u>hope</u> he's coming back
I <u>saw</u> him at the mall today, with his <u>big</u> red Santa sack
<u>Santa</u> Claus has left this place, Where <u>did</u> that Santa go?
There were <u>boot</u>prints in the fireplace, and I <u>heard</u> him Ho Ho
Ho

I've <u>looked</u> for him for weeks and weeks – Santa Claus is gone
 I <u>love</u> those big red rosy cheeks – Santa Claus is gone
 I <u>know</u> that you might find this weird – Santa Claus is Gone
 But I <u>dig</u> that long white hair and beard – Santa Claus is Gone

C2

C1

Chorus

V3 He said "Love your neighbor as yourself" – Santa Claus is gone

Even <u>if</u> your neighbor is an Elf" – Santa Claus is gone <u>Santa</u> sat there broken hearted – Santa Claus is gone It was <u>get</u>ting late, and he must get started – Santa Claus is gone

С3

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Chorus

Bridge

I <u>always</u> like to know the truth And you <u>know</u> I ain't no super sleuth But you <u>know</u> I finally found my proof, There were <u>reindeer</u> droppings up on the roof

On Dasher, on dancer, on Prancer on Vixen Santa Claus is gone On Clinton, on Reagan, on Carter, on Nixon Santa Claus is gone