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C Over the riv Dm7	ver and thro	ough the v			er's house	<b>C</b> e we go	C	F	
The horse <b>D</b>	knows the v	vay to car <b>G - G</b>	-	gh					
Through who could be compared to the could be compared to the country of the coun	hite and drif	ted snow ough the v	woods oh,	G7	ind does b <b>C</b>	G7	Am	D7	
С			ı	F	С			• •	
Over the riv	ver and thro <b>G7</b>	ough the v	voods, to h <b>Am</b>	nave a full <b>D7</b>		iy. <b>G - G7</b>	G	В7	
Oh, hear th	ver and thro	ing "ting-a	a-ling-ling, <b>F</b>	" for it is C	hristmas [ <b>C</b> apple gray	Day.		<b>₽</b> 7	
Spring o'er	the ground								
C Over the river and through the woods and F C Straight through the barnyard gate. Dm7 G7 C Am D7 G-G7 It seems that we go so dreadfully slow; it is so hard to wait. C F C Over the river and through the woods, now Grandma's cap I spy. F (B7) C Am C G7 C G7 C Hur-rah for fun; the pudding's done; Hur-rah for the pumpkin pie.									
Baritone	C	F	Dm7	G7	Am	D7	G	B7	

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G Over the ri Am7		D7 G	woods to (	า	her's hous	<b>G</b> se we go	G	C
	7	D - D	7	igh			Am7	D.7
Through w G Over the ri C It stings the	ver and thr	ough the v	woods oh, E <b>m G</b>	D7	· G	G D7	AIII	D7
G Over the ri Am7 Oh, hear th	ver and thr <b>D7</b>	ough the v	woods, to <b>Em</b>	C have a fu <b>A7</b>	<b>G</b> Il day of pl	i ay. <b>D - D7</b>	Em	A7
G Over the ri C Spring o'er	ver and thr ( <b>F#7</b> )	ough the v	C woods, tro <b>Em</b>	t fast my <b>G</b>	<b>G</b> dapple gra <b>D7</b>	ay; <b>G D7</b>	D	F#7
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