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Alt. Title: "On Christmas Day In The Morning" – Words: Traditional; Music: Traditional

I Saw Three Ships by Nat King Cole	
I Saw Three Ships A Sailing by The Chieftains & Marianne Faithfull	

Intro Am G7 -	C C G7 (L	ast line of verse)	
C 1. I saw three ships Am I saw three ships co	G7	C	G7 C
C 2. And what was in Am And what was in the	G7	С	G7 s day, on Christmas day, G7 C ay in the morn-ing.
C 3. Our Saviour Chri Am Our Saviour Christ	G7	C	G7 C
C 4. And all the bells o Am And all the bells on	G7	C	G7 y, on Christmas day, G7 C n the morn-ing.
Am	G	7 C	G7 s day, on Christmas day, G7 C day in the morn-ing.
C 6. Then let us all re Am Then let us all rejoic C On Christmas day i	G7 C ce, a-main, On C G7 C		G7 Christmas day, G7 C morn-ing. (Ritard)
C G7	Am	Baritone	C G7 Em

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Intro Dm C7 - F F G	37 (Last line of ver	se)	
F C7 1. I saw three ships come sail Dm I saw three ships come sailing	C7 F	C7 F	
F C7 2. And what was in those ship Dm And what was in those ships a	C7 F	C7 F	s day,
F C7 3. Our Saviour Christ and his Dm Our Saviour Christ and his La	C7 F	C7 F	
F C7 4. And all the bells on earth sh Dm And all the bells on earth shal	C7 F	C7 F	y,
F C7 5. And all the Angels in Heave Dm And all the Angels in Heaven	C7 F	C7 F	-
F C7 6. Then let us all re-joice, a-m Dm C7 Then let us all rejoice, a-main F C7 On Christmas day in the morr	F , On Christmas day i⊩ F	C7 F	<mark>d</mark>)
F C7 Dm	Baı	ritone F C7	Dm

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Em	D7 os come sailing in, D7 come sailing in, Or	G	D7 G		
Em	D7 n those ships all th D7 hose ships all thre	G	mas day, on C D :	7 G	ay,
Em	D7 nrist and his Lady, (D7 st and his La-dy, (G	D7 (G	
Em	D7 s on earth shall ring D7 n earth shall ring,	G	D7	G	
Em	D7 els in Heaven shal C s in Heaven shall s)7 G	mas day, on C	07 G	day,
Em	oice, a-main, On C D7 G	3	D7 G		ı
G D7	Em	Barit	tone	D7	Em

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