## **Christmas Dreams**

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I blow out the candles, unplug the tree
There's no one awake at midnight but me
I slip down the hall and amid the moon beams
My kids are tucked in, dreaming Christmas dreams
Days of such wonder, magicfilled nights, moments they'll look back on all
Of their lifes
So much time wide- eyed at holiday scenes
Now they're worn out, dreaming Christmas dreams

Dreams of cookies and cards, boxes and bows Storefronts and stockings and days when it snows With all of the secrets that this season keeps It's a wonder at all that they fall asleep

I smile as I kiss them
Cause' under that tree
Are surprises that they're not expecting to see
We're just hours away from their giggles and screams
They'll be answers to all their Christmas dreams

Dreams of tinsel and toys and Santa's workshop Noises at night coming from the rooftop With all of the secrets that this season keeps It's a wonder at all that they fall asleep

The thought comes to mind that I may be the one Who's most excited for what's yet to come As I crawl in bed, I laugh cause' it seems Guess never too old for Christmas
No, you're never too old, no, you're never too Old for Christmas Dreams