

# Forgot It Was Christmas

The Downtown Fiction

I wake up,  
Look at the paper, and I can't believe the news  
The shops are closed, the roads are covered,  
And I got no good excuse  
Well I came unprepared, but I'll prove that I care

I forgot to buy you a present  
So I wrote this song instead  
Well I made it for you, only took me a few  
'Cause I wrote it in my head  
I forgot it was Christmas

An empty space,  
Below the branches of a brand new plastic tree  
Ran down the stairs on Christmas morning  
But there's nothing there from me  
So you took off the star and you left me a scar

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I'm sorry, it's Christmas  
Forgot everything on your wishlist  
I promise next year won't be like this  
Isn't this the time of forgiveness?

Can't believe that you dumped me on Christmas  
Just because I forgot her gift  
Now I'm marking the spot, on the day I forgot  
Who've known it's the twenty-fifth?

I forgot it was Christmas  
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Can't believe that it's Christmas  
All alone and it's Christmas  
I forgot it was Christmas