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Subject: What was this Xmas song?

Posted by [Leot55](#) on Sun, 20 Dec 2020 00:26:08 GMT

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I took my youngest son shopping today and all of a sudden he started crying. I didn't notice the music, but apparently they were playing a sad Christmas song. From what I got out of him it was something about a mother dying. What was the song? The only one I know of that comes close is Grandma Got Run Over By a Reindeer, but that one is more humorous than tragic. Do they really make sad Christmas music?

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Subject: Re: What was this Xmas song?

Posted by [Raymond](#) on Sun, 20 Dec 2020 05:29:18 GMT

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Makes me cry every time I listen to it. So I don't listen to it often :cry:

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Subject: Re: What was this Xmas song?

Posted by [Rusty](#) on Sun, 20 Dec 2020 18:35:08 GMT

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I get a lump in my throat with this one. I don't know why, but, seems like the Christmas blues done overtook him. Psycho Santa by Western Caravan.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1K3TDLWLJ9k>

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Subject: Re: What was this Xmas song?

Posted by [Leot55](#) on Mon, 28 Dec 2020 00:29:00 GMT

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Raymond wrote on Sat, 19 December 2020 23:29The only sad Christmas song I've ever heard was The Christmas Shoes. It's about a little boy who is begging for money to buy his dying mother a pair of shoes so that she'll look beautiful when she dies.

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Ding, ding, ding, we have a winner. Why on earth would someone write such a sad song for the holidays? Why would a store play it? I can't imagine someone thinking it spread Christmas cheer.

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Subject: Re: What was this Xmas song?

Posted by [sammi40](#) on Thu, 07 Jan 2021 15:02:02 GMT

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I love that song! Yes, it's sad but it also shows a sweet side of a stranger helping the boy. Isn't there another Christmas song about needy kids, something about picking names off the tree for the needy kids?

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