

The Christmas House

For Amaree, Emilie, Carolena, Kiley
and the rest of the cast of "Little Women"

Music and Lyric by
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Liltingly ♩ = 75

mp

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1. The Christ - mas house is
2. Christ - mas house has
3. Christ - mas house is
4. Christ - mas house is

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just down the lane, or nest - led, all snug in the wood. It's
gin - ger - bread trim, or comes with a white pick - et fence. Per -
more than the walls that shel - ter the folks or the brood. It's
fam - i - ly filled, or sin - gle a - dult oc - cu - pied. It's

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by the brook, or out on the plain, Or part of the old neigh - bor -
haps it's grand, or mod - est, or prim, Or two rooms that some - bod - y
all the love be - hind the decked halls, And all of that hol - i - day
wi - dow owned, re - ti - re - ment billed. It's all dif - f'rent peo - ple in -

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12 hood. rents. mood. side. Where is the Christ - mas house? What makes a
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cresc.

cresc.

mf

16 Christ - mas house? It's not your lo - ca - tion. It's your cel - e - bra - tion.
 Christ - mas house? It's not your pos - sess - ions. It's your warm ex - press - ions.
 Christ - mas house? It's not a - bout frame-works. If your hap - py aim works,
 Christ - mas house? It's not whom you live with. It's what love you give with.

rit. poco a poco

mf

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19 *mp a tempo* That's what makes a Christ - mas house. The
 That's what makes a Christ - mas house. The
 That's what makes a Christ - mas house. The
 That's what makes a

1, 2 & 3.

mp a tempo

24 4. Christ-mas house. _____

4. _____ //