

# The Pretenders - 2000 Miles

Tom: **A**

(This whole song should be played on a Rickenbacker 12-string or per "The Isle of View" on an acoustic 12-string! -- LM)

> The intro lick, that also continues through most of the song,  
> goes like this:  
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Try this instead -- let the bass notes ring. Note that the timing is triplets:

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t t t t t t t t t t t t
e|-----2-3-0-----2-3-|
4 b|3-----3-----|
- G|---0-----0-----|
4 D|---0-----|
A|-----3-----0-----|
E|3-----3-----|

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> Then right before the first verse:  
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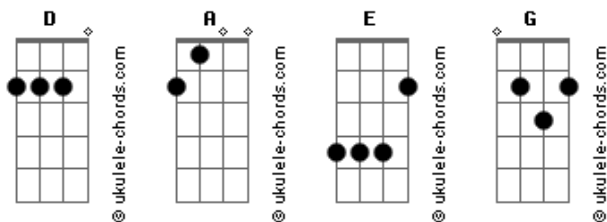
## VERSE 1

>  
> **G** C(add9) D2 **G**  
 D D  
> He's gone  
>  
> C(add9) D2 **G**  
 D D  
> Two thousand miles  
>  
> C(add9) D2 **G** C(add9) D2  
  
> Is very far  
>  
> The snow was falling down  
> It's colder day by day  
> I miss you  
  
> C(add9) **D**  
 C(add9)1 **D** ; C(add9)1 = x32030  
> The children were singing  
> C(add9) **D** **G** C(add9) D2 etc.  
> He'll be back at Christmas time  
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## VERSE 2

> In these frozen silent nights  
> Sometimes in a dream  
> You appear

## Acordes



>  
> Outside under the purple sky  
> Diamonds in the snow  
> Sparkle  
>  
> Our hearts were singing  
> It felt like Christmas time  
>  
> (The lick at through this next part goes something like this:)  
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## BRIDGE

> **G** C(add9) D2 **G**  
> Two thousand miles  
>  
> C(add9) D2 **G**  
> Is very far through the snow  
>  
> C(add9) D2 **G**  
> I'll think of you  
>  
> C(add9) D2 C(add9) D2  
> Wherever you go  
>  
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## VERSE 3

> He's gone  
> Two thousand miles  
> Is very far  
>  
> The snow was falling down  
> It's colder day by day  
> I miss you  
>  
> I can hear people singing  
> It must be Christmas time  
>  
> I hear people singing  
> It must be Christmas time  
>  
>  
> G: 320033  
> C(add9): x32033  
> D2: x00230  
  
D: x00232  
D: x00233  
C(add9)1: x32030

> Suggestions and corrections welcomed as always--

Same here!

> Eric Pohl  
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