## **Christmas Must Be Tonight**

## **Paul Kelly**

Come down to the manger, see the little stranger Wrapped in swaddling clothes, the prince of peace The wheels start turning, torches start burning And the whole wise men journey from the east

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A shepherd on the hillside, went over my flock I bide On a cold winter night, a band of Angels sing In a dream I heard a voice say, "Fear not, come rejoice It's the end of the beginning, praise the new born King"

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I saw it with my own eyes, written up in the skies Why a simple herdsmen such as I And then it came to pass, he was born at last Right below the star that shines on high

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