Christmas in Hong Kong

Merry Christmas from old Hong Kong
Where all the stores play Christmas songs.
Even though the kids speak Cantonese
Santa makes it here with ease.

They ring the bells on Christmas day
That same, old, familiar way
And if you need a gift or two
Merchants gladly wait on you.

The only difference in here and there
Is the temperature of Hong Kong air.
Hustle, bustle, they feel it too,
But there’s no snow to mellow you.

Christmas comes but once a year
With China dolls and Asian deer,
But if you long for snow white cheer
That Frosty Man does not live here.

Tinsel lights on Christmas trees
Delight the hearts of all Chinese,
But Yule tide flames do not burn;
There’s other customs you must learn.

Merry Christmas and New Year too,
Peace on Earth, good will to you.
Celebrate in Hong Kong lights.
Merry Christmas to all...
and to all good night.

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