

BLUE CHRISTMAS – SOLO TAB (L2)

As you can see, the notes are played over the E and A strings only so for plucking purposes, you can alternate between the thumb, for all notes on the E string and the Index finger when plucking any notes on the A string.

As a general guide, the capital letters under the tab are a guide for your plucking fingers as follows: T = Thumb and I = Index. The majority of the melody is played on the A string using your index finger. Try adding some slides in to make it easier getting from one note to another.

For fretting fingers (*numbers in brackets*), try barring your index finger over fret 3 on both the E & A string to start off with then use your 3rd finger on the 5th and slide up to fret 7. Your pinky can play the 8th fret then return to the 7th with your 3rd finger. This is just a guide to help you play the melody smoothly and with some musicality, but feel free to experiment using alternative fingers.

T(1) I(1) I(3) slide I(3)

I(4) I(3)

I(2) I(1) I(4)

T(1) I(3) slide I(3)

I(4)

I(4)

I(4)

I(3) slide

I(3)

I(1) I(4)