

It Doesn't Have to Be That Way

Jim Croce

Snowy nights and Christmas lights
Icy windowpanes
Make me wish that we could be
Together againAnd the windy winter avenues
Just don't seem the same
And the Christmas carols sound like blues
But the choir is not to blameBut it doesn't have to be that way
What we had should never have ended
And I'll be dropping by today
'Cause we could easily get it together tonight
It's only rightCrowded stores, the corner Santa Claus
Tinseled afternoons
And the sidewalk bands play their songs
Slightly out of tuneDown the windy winter avenues
There walks a lonely man
And if I told you who he is
Well, I think you'd understandBut it doesn't have to be that way
What we had should never have ended
And I'll be dropping by today
'Cause we could easily get it together tonight
It's only rightNo, it doesn't have to be that way
What we had should never have ended
And I'll be dropping by today
'Cause we could easily get it together tonight
It's only right

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