A Candle is Burning

(Tune: Away in the Manger)

A candle is burning, a flame warm and bright,
A candle of hope in December's dark night,
While angels sing blessings from heaven's dark sky,
Our hearts we prepare now for Jesus is nigh.

A candle is burning, a candle of peace,

A candle to signal that conflict must cease.

For Jesus is coming to show us the way,

A message of peace humbly laid in the hay.

A candle is burning, a candle of joy,

A candle to welcome brave Mary's new boy,

Our hearts fill with wonder, and eyes light and glow,

As joy brightens winter like sunshine on snow.

A candle is burning, a candle of love,

A candle to point us to heaven above,

A baby for Christmas, a wonderful birth,

For Jesus is bringing God's love to our Earth.