

River-Joni Mitchell 1971 lyrics & chords**River-Joni Mitchell 1971**

C Am C Am C Am G

It's coming on Christmas
 They're cutting down trees
 They're putting up reindeer
 And singing songs of joy and peace
 Oh, I wish I had a river I could skate away on

But it don't snow here
 It stays pretty green
 I'm going to make a lot of money
 Then I'm going to quit this crazy scene
 Oh, I wish I had a river I could skate away on

I wish I had a river so long
 I would teach my feet to fly wooh . .
 I wish I had a river I could skate away on
 I made my baby cry

piano break

He tried hard to help me
 You know, he put me at ease
 And he loved me so naughty
 Made me weak in the knees
 Oh, I wish I had a river I could skate away on

I'm so hard to handle
 I'm selfish and I'm sad
 Now I've gone and lost the best baby
 That I ever had
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I wish I had a river so long
 I would teach my feet to fly wooh . .
 I wish I had a river I could skate away on
 I made my baby say goodbye

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