



Merry X-mas

When I was a child I was reconciled
To Christmas spelled with an "X."
We were all enticed to cross out the "Christ"
'Cause the spelling was less complex.
Now it's downright hard to obtain a card
That mentions the Lord at all,
Lest His name offend a dissenting friend
Where our greetings are apt to fall.

So the cards and things that the postman brings
Are not about Jesus now.
Though they never cease to bequeath us peace,
They're missing the point somehow.
And I want to say in a simple way,
If God sent His Son to the earth,
That it seems a shame to suppress His name,
When we're celebrating His birth.

And to common sense, it's a worse offence,
To insult the heavens above,
Than to risk wrath of the aftermath
Of irking the friends we love;
So I'll stand up tall and proclaim to all;
Christ was coming to Calvary,
And if folks object that it's not "Correct,"
They didn't give their lives for me.

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