



Thank God It's Friday!

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'Twas the night before Christmas, and all through the land,
not a creature was stirring, not even another bailout plan.

The economy's on life-support, and being handled with care,
in hopes that Mr. Obama and crew will pull something out of their hair.
Oil prices have plummeted, interest rates too,
The Stock Market led the collapse, leaving investors feeling blue.

Bad mortgages crossed oceans,
from Brussels to Bombay,
Debt has always been a four-letter word,
the time has come to pay.

Global trade is slowing,
confidence has shrunk,
Blame was cast in all directions,
stocks and bonds were tossed as junk.

This world is ever-changing, it is for the best.
The US needs to stay ahead of the curve, this is quite a test.
A recovery is in the offing, but these problems are no joke;
We have been pushed to the brink, but the system 'aint broke.

Now, Obama! Now, Geithner! Now, Pelosi and Barney Frank!
Your names have been called, and you feel the collective angst!
Psychology is everything, when confidence is shot.
This damage is fixable, first we need to make it stop.

Your job is to create stimulus, get the economy on the mend,
Banks have been handed Billions upon Billions, now make them lend!

The American spirit is peerless, time-tested and true.
With perseverance and sound leadership, there's nothing we can't do.
With crisis brings opportunity, history has shown,
Success through Innovation, it's the foundation of our home.

To the top of the porch! To the top of the wall!
Now dash away! Dash away! Dash away all!

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