Pretty Paper Willie Nelson, Roy Orbison, 1963

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Intro:
C// G7// F// C-

       C                        G
Pretty paper, pretty ribbons of blue
         G7               G            C
Wrap your presents to your darling from you
                  C7           F
Pretty pencils to write I love you
       C             G7         F   C
Pretty paper, pretty ribbons of blue

        C            G7           C
Crowded street, busy feet, hustle by him
                   G7           C    C7
Downtown shoppers, Christmas is night
         C         C7          F
There he sits all alone on the sidewalk
D               D7             G  G7
Hoping that you won't pass him by

           C            G7            C
Should you stop? Better not, much too busy
                      G7            C  C7
You're in a hurry, my how time does fly
       C            C7         F
In the distance the ringing of laughter
           C            G7          F     C
And in the midst of the laughter he cries

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Pretty paper, pretty ribbons of blue
(slowing) C          G7         F   C-
Pretty paper, pretty ribbons of blue
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