

Everlasting Fruitcake

[6] A dessert has come to our family. A fruitcake with resolve to stay.
We've offered a reward to take it, but can't seem to give it away.

We gave it to Henry, our neighbor, He gave it to Martha on the bus.
Then Martha she took it to Freddy, And Freddy brought it back to us! Oh no!

Chorus [22]

**It's an everlasting fruitcake. Just as soon as it's gone, it will reappear.
Though we've done our best to be rid of it. It shows up at our house each
year.**

[6] We figured that we could not eat it. Its walnuts and dates were kaput.
It's so dense you would not believe it. So please don't drop it on your foot. Oww

We sent it to Norway last summer. We put it into a big sack.
I guess there was not enough postage. And we got our ol' fruitcake back!

Chorus [22]

[6] We tossed it into our big mulcher. We backed over it with our car.
We ran over it with our mower. That fruitcake was not even scarred.

We figured it must be resistant. Its toughness must be pretty great.
So we turned it into a football, that doubles as a paper weight.

Chorus [22]

[31—Third ending]

Yes, it's an everlasting fruitcake. Just as soon as it's gone, it will reappear.
Though we've done our best to be rid of it, it shows up at our house each year.
I wish it didn't show up every year.
Yes, it shows up at our house— each— year—!