

Exclusive: 5-Image Gallery of Katharine McPhee From 'American Idol' For Macy's Tree Lighting

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Mayor Richard M.

Daley (left), Macy's President/CEO Terry Lundgren (with microphone), Katharine McPhee and friends light the Macy's tree

CHICAGO – It's beginning to look a lot like the holidays as Macy's continued a Chicago tradition with the 103rd Great Tree Lighting on Nov. 6, 2010. On hand to lead the ceremony was "American Idol" runner up and singer Katherine McPhee. She was joined by Chicago mayor Richard M. Daley.

McPhee has a new Christmas CD that recently released called "Christmas is the Time to Say I Love You". She serenaded the tree-lighting audience that gathered at Macy's on State Street in Chicago. McPhee, Daley and Macy's President/CEO Terry Lundgren pushed the switch together to light up the holiday season.

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"Christmas is the Time to Say I Love You," a new CD by Katherine McPhee, is available at Macy's and wherever music is sold.



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