## Gaadha – Christmas (Yuwaalaraay YR, Yuwaalayaay YY)

## Words

Gaadha	Christmas from gaanga-y (will be born, will give birth), which is probably from gaa-gi (will bring, take) (Winanga-Li, 2017)
Maarri	Mary From the English (Walgett language Program)
Dhiidju	Jesus from the English (Walgett Language Program)
gawubarray	star
gayaa	happy
dhuuyaay	light, lights
dhimba	sheep
Dhudjibi	Joseph from the English (Walgett Language Program)
wuurr	gift, present from wuu-rri (will give)

## Phrases

Gaadha Gayaa! [Christmas happy]	Happy Christmas!
<b>Bubaa Gaadha</b> [Father Christmas]	Father Christmas, Santa
<b>Gaayndjuul Dhiidju</b> [Babylittle Jesus]	Little baby Jesus
<b>Dhuuyaay Gaadha-gu</b> [lights Christmas-of]	Christmas lights
<b>Wuurr Gaadha-gu</b> [gift Christmas-of]	Christmas present/s
<b>Muyaan Gaadha-gu</b> [tree Christmas-of]	Christmas tree