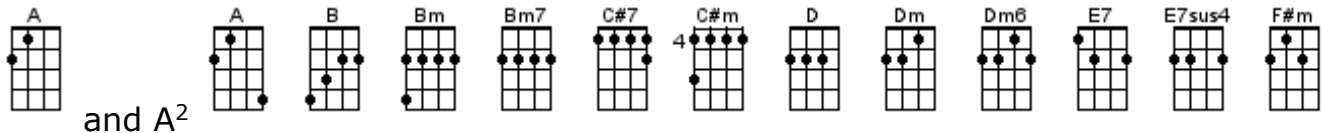


# My Dear Acquaintance (A Happy New Year)

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**INTRO:** / 1 2 3 / 1 2 3 /

[C#m] / [F#m] / [Bm] / [E7] /  
[D] / [D] / [A] / [A]↓

My [A] dear ac-[D]quaintance, it's [A] so good to [C#7] know you  
For [F#m] strength of your [C#m] hand, that's [Bm7] loving and [E7] giving

And a [A] happy [D] new year, with [A] love over-[C#7]flowing  
With [F#m] joy in our [C#m] hearts  
For the [Bm7]↓ blessed [E7]↓ new [A]↓ year

[C#m] Raise your [F#m] glass, and we'll [Bm7] have a [E7] cheer  
[A] For us [F#m] all, who are [B] gathered [E7] here

And a [A] happy [D] new year, to [A] all that is [C#7] living  
To [F#m] all that is [C#m] gentle [Bm7] kind and for-[E7]giving

[C#m] Raise your [F#m] glass, and we'll [Bm7] have a [E7] cheer  
My [A] dear ac-[F#m]quaintance  
A [E7sus4]↓ happy [E7]↓ new [A]↓ year

## INSTRUMENTAL:

[C#m] Raise your [F#m] glass, and we'll [Bm7] have a [E7] cheer  
My [A] dear ac-[F#m]quaintance  
A [Bm7]↓ happy new [Dm6]↓ year

[A] / [D] / [A] / [D] /

[A] All of [D] those, who are [A] hither and [C#7] yonder  
With [F#m] love in our [C#m] hearts, we grow [Bm7] fonder and [E7] fonder

[C#m] Hail to [F#m] those, who we [Bm7] hold so [E7] dear  
And [A] hail to [F#m] those, who are [B] gathered [E7]↓ here

And a [A] happy [D] new year, to [A] all that is [C#7] living  
To [F#m] all that is [C#m] gentle [Bm7] kind and for-[E7]giving

[C#m] Raise your [F#m] glass, and we'll [Bm7] have a [E7] cheer  
My [A] dear ac-[F#m]↓quaintance  
A [E7sus4]↓ happy [E7]↓ new [A] year [D]  
[A]↓ Happy New Year [A]²↓