

# I wish you merry Christmas and a happy New Year

Traditional Somerset wassailing  
song or New Year carol

Collected by Cecil Sharp from Frederick  
Crossman of Huish Episcopi, Jan. 5, 1909



1. I wish you mer - ry Christ - mas and a hap - py New
2. The old year is past and the New Year is
3. Here's a health to you in wa - ter, I wish it was in
4. Here's a health to our Mas - ter, and Mis - sus like -

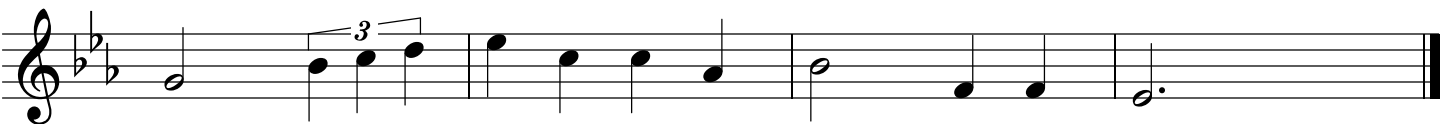


1. Year; Your pock - ets full of mo - ney and your bar - rels full of
2. come; And all the jol - ly sol - diers are beat - ing on the
3. wine; And all the mo - ney you've got I'm sure it's none of
4. wise; And all the pret - ty fa - mi - ly a - round the fire -

## CHORUS.



1. ci-der [?beer].
2. drum. *So and I wish you all a hap - py New Year, New Year, New*
3. mine.
4. side.



*Year, So and I wish you all a hap - py New Year.*