

THE FAIRYTALE OF NEW YORK

VOICE
UKULELE

WORDS AND MUSIC BY
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SLOW
♩ = 72

1 F/C C⁹ F/C G^{sus4}/D C F/C C

IT WAS CHRIST - MAS EVE - BAE IN THE

4 F/C C⁹ F/C G^{sus4}/D C F/C C

DRUNK TANK AN OLD MAN SAID TO ME, WON'T SEE AN - OTH - ER ONE. AND THEN HE SANG A SONG, THE RARE OLD

8 F C F G^{sus4} C F/G C

MOUN - TAIN DEW I TURNED MY FACE A - WAY AND DREAMED A - BOUT YOU. GOT ON A LUCK - Y ONE CAME IN EIGHT -

12 F C F/G G

EEN TO ONE. I'VE GOT A FEEL - ING THIS YEAR'S FOR ME AND YOU. SO HAP - PY

The musical score is written for voice and ukulele. It consists of four systems of music. Each system includes a vocal line with lyrics, a guitar chord chart above the vocal line, and a ukulele tablature line below the vocal line. The tempo is marked 'SLOW' with a quarter note equal to 72 beats per minute. The key signature has one flat (Bb) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: 'IT WAS CHRIST - MAS EVE - BAE IN THE DRUNK TANK AN OLD MAN SAID TO ME, WON'T SEE AN - OTH - ER ONE. AND THEN HE SANG A SONG, THE RARE OLD MOUN - TAIN DEW I TURNED MY FACE A - WAY AND DREAMED A - BOUT YOU. GOT ON A LUCK - Y ONE CAME IN EIGHT - EEN TO ONE. I'VE GOT A FEEL - ING THIS YEAR'S FOR ME AND YOU. SO HAP - PY'. The guitar chords are: F/C, C⁹, F/C, G^{sus4}/D, C, F/C, C, F, C, F/G, G, C, F, G^{sus4}, C, F/G, C, F, C, F/G, G.

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C G C C G

PROM - ISED ME BROAD - WAY WAS WAIT ING FOR ME. YOU WERE HAND - SOME, YOU WERE PRET TY, QUEEN OF NEW YORK CI - TY WHEN THE

C G C C G

8 10 7 10 7 10 12 10 12 10 12 10 12 10 12 13 10 10 8 10

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C F G C C G

BAND FIN - ISHED PLAY ING THEY HOWLED OUT FOR MORE. SI - NA - TRA WAS SWING ING, ALL THE DRUNKS THEY WERE SWING ING, WE

C F G C C G

7 10 8 5 5 3 5 7 8 5 7 10 12 10 12 10 12 13 10 10 8 10

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C F G C F

KISSED ON A CO - NER THEN DANCED THROUGH THE NIGHT. THE BOYS OF THE N. Y. P. D. CHOIR WERE

C F G C F

7 10 8 5 5 3 5 2 3

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C Am C F G C G Am F

SING - ING 'GAL - WAY BAY' AND THE BELLS WERE RING - ING OUT FOR CHRIST - MAS DAY.

C Am C F G C G Am F

12 10 12 10 10 12 10 12 9

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C F C F G C G

DAY. I - COULD HAVE

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C F C

BEEN SOME - ONE WELL SO COULD A - NY - ONE, YOU TOOK MY DREAMS FROM ME WHEN I FIRST

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G C F

FOUND YOU I KEPT THEM WITH ME BABE, I PUT THEM WITH MY OWN, CAN'T MAKE IT

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C F G C F

ALL A - LONE, I'VE BUILT MY DREAMS A - ROUND YOU THE BOYS OF THE N. Y. P. D. CHOIR STILL

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SING-ING 'GAL-WAY BAY' AND THE BELLS WERE RING-ING OUT FOR CHRIST-MAS DAY.

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1. 2. G C G

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