

AVE YOURSELF A MERRY LITTLE CHRISTMAS II - v11/17/25

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Sung by Judy Garland in the 1943 movie, "Meet Me in St. Louis"
and later in 1957 by Frank Sinatra with updated lyrics

(Intro)

[A]// [F#m7]// [Bm7]// [E7]//

[A]// [F#m7]// [Bm7]// [E7]/Hold

(Verse 1)

[A]Have your[F#m7]self a [Bm7]merry little [E7]Christmas

[A] Let your [F#m7]heart be [Bm7]light [E7]

[A] Next year [F#m7]all our [Bm7]troubles will be [E7]out of

[C#7]sight[F#7] [B7] [E7]

(Verse 2)

[A]Have your[F#m7]self a [Bm7]merry little [E7]Christmas

[A] Make the [F#m7]Yuletide [Bm7]gay [E7]

[A] Next year [F#m7]all our [Bm7]troubles will be

[C#7]miles a[F#m]way [F#m] [A] [A7]

(Bridge)

[Dmaj7] Once a[Dm6]gain as in [C#m]olden days [Cdim7]

Happy [Bm]golden days [E7] of [Amaj7]yore [Amaj7]

[F#m]Faithful [G#7]friends who were [C#m]dear to us [F#7]

Will be [E7]near to us [B7] once m[Bm7]ore [E7]

(Verse 3)

[A]Someday s[F#m7]oon we [Bm7]all will be to[E7]gether

[A] If the [F#m7]Fates al[Bm7]low [E7]

[A] Until [F#m7]then, we'll [Bm7]have to muddle

[C#7]through some[F#m]how [F#m] [A] [A7]

So [Dmaj7]have your[Dmaj7]self a [Bm7]merry little [E7]Christmas [A]now. [A] [A]

(Bridge)

[Dmaj7] Once a[Dm6]gain as in [C#m]olden days [Cdim7]
Happy [Bm]golden days [E7] of [Amaj7]yore [Amaj7]
[F#m]Faithful [G#7]friends who were [C#m]dear to us [F#7]
Will be [E7]near to us [B7] once m[Bm7]ore [E7]

(Verse 4)

[A]Through the [F#m7]years W[Bm7]e all will be toge[E7]ther
[A]If the Fa[F#m7]tes allo[Bm7]w [E7]
[A]Hang a [F#m7]shining [Bm7]star
Upon the h[C#7]ighest b[F#m]ough [F#m] [A] [A7]

(Single strums)

And [Dmaj7]have yourself a [Bm7]merry little [E7]Christmas A*now

(Outro)

A*// [F#m7]// [Bm7]// [E7]//

[A]/