

Goals

Feel Heavenly Father's Love
Learn & understand the Gospel
Feel and recognize the H.G.
Prepare to make & keep cov.

Singing Time: Dec. 31, 2023

I can set New Year's goals
that will help me to be happy.

Transition Time Songs

230 – I Think the World is Glorious
241b - (Music's) Falling All Around
246 - It's (singing)time...the music's...
249 - Once There Was a Snowman
253a – Sing a Song
253 -Fun to Do (Wintery)
266 – If You're Happy & You Know It
275a - Head, Shoulders (Snowy)

Transition Time Songs			
Song	Page	Song	Activity
	241b	<i>Rain is Falling All Around</i>	Sing: (Music's) falling... [w/ actions]
	246	<i>It's Autumntime</i>	Sing: It's (singing) time...the music's falling down...
	249	<i>Once There Was a Snowman</i>	Actions
	253a	<i>Sing a Song</i>	1: Sing, sing, sing; I like to sing I like to sing a song; sing, sing, sing. 2: Round
	253	<i>Fun to Do</i>	Singing a song [or Wintery version (Going ice skating, making snow angels, shoveling snow, sledding down hills, throwing snowballs)]
	266	<i>If You're Happy & You Know It</i>	Sing like this! (choose options)



<https://toddlerapproved.com/easy-new-years-eve-party-ideas-for-kids-html/>

New Year's Eve Around the World: Pop a balloon # on the clock, learn NYE tradition, discuss the resolution, sing the song w/ activity

Hour & Country	New Year's Tradition	Activity	Page	Song	NY's Resolution
1: Brazil	Jump 7 waves and make 7 wishes while wearing white	Jump every time you hear "many things" & "my heart sings"	151	<i>I Am Glad for Many Things</i>	Express gratitude
2: Colombia	Colombia: Carry empty suitcases around the block for a travel-filled new year; 3 potatoes under bed (peeled, not, partially) = fortune, \$ struggle, both	Hot potato Suitcase races	169	<i>I Hope They Call Me on a Mission</i>	Share the gospel with the world Save money
3: Denmark	Jump off chairs into new year Throw old plates and glasses at friends'/families doors to thank them and banish bad spirits	Chair shift on Gs and Ss Jump the hearts or paper plate walk	236 145a	"Give," <i>Said the Little Stream</i> <i>A Special Gift is Kindness</i>	Give to others / practice kindness
4: Germany	Give marzipan pigs Heat lead or tin, put in cold water, look at shape that forms to see luck (ball = luck)	Put grow animals in water to determine how to sing	107 20	<i>Listen, Listen</i> <i>A Song of Thanks</i>	Listen to the Holy Ghost
5: Ireland	Clean house; throw a loaf of bread (barnbrack) against the inside of the front door; set a place for loved ones who died in the year	Throw scarves or clean up fake bread crumbs (cotton balls) before song ends	103	<i>When I Am Baptized</i>	Be clean
6: Japan	Release balloon wishes at the Zojo-ji Temple; ring the bell 108 times	Keep balloons in air w/ New Year's blowers while sing	107 66	<i>Listen, Listen</i> <i>Hosanna</i>	Fill life with the Spirit Keep Sabbath day holy
7: Norway	Eat Kransekake (tower cake)	Build a temple with blocks before the song ends	95	<i>I Love to See the Temple</i>	Prepare to go to the temple
8: Philippines	Eat 12 round fruits (oranges, watermelon, longan, grapes, and pomelos), wear polka dots, (round symbolizes coins), jump as high as you can (grow taller)	Tic tac know: Sing until piano stops, other team has to finish line to earn an x or o	280	<i>Healthy, Wealthy, & Wise</i>	Get to bed early
9: Russia	12 seconds of silence before midnight to remember most important events, make wishes, decorate a New Year tree	Decorate a New Year's tree with ornaments about the Savior	71	<i>To Think About Jesus</i>	Always remember Jesus Christ
10: Spain	Eat 12 grapes, one on each clock strike before midnight = prosperity	Countdown: Try to knock down 12 numbers or paper hats with grapes	146	<i>Keep the Commandments</i>	Keep the commandments
11: Sweden	Find the almond in the rice pudding; get a marzipan pig; eat kebab pizza; give hugs	Search for letters that spell "happy" in a bucket of rice before song is over	109	Search, Ponder, & Pray	Search the scriptures

12: Switzerland	Drop a scoop of ice cream on the ground	Ball drop: Drop ping pong balls into bucket and tell a tradition, memory, or goal for each one	98	<i>Repentance</i>	Change for the better
Happy New Year!	Visit Times Square, watch the ball drop, watch fireworks, make noise	Midnight Kiss: Choose a kiss, look at the bottom, if it doesn't say 12:00, eat it and try again. If it does, sit down	61 267b 167 210	<i>Jesus Said Love Everyone</i> <i>A Smile is Like the Sunshine</i> <i>Go the Second Mile</i> <i>Daddy's Homecoming</i>	Love one another Smile more Serve others

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