## Happy new year

"Pour me another, lets toast the new year Here's to a better, put fizz in our cheer"

Tonight's not for sorrows, no mulling old wounds Come banish our troubles, lets sing some new tunes

Caught in the present is a moment to choose To look forwards or backwards, to win or to lose

If your comfort is still clinging to what has past This precious moment of hope will never last

Grasping the future and its so unknown way Could bring success and many a wonderful day

The past is well trodden, we know the ending The future is for moulding, shaping, bending

As last year expires, hopes and promises broken Change things this time , leave pledges unspoken

So pour me another, drink to the new year

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If your life is a drama you can change the plot If your friends are the actors you can recast the lot

If people around you are holding you back Tell them you're changing, on a new track

Lets hold on to clichés that drive us to more Lets venture out from behind that closed door

We can stretch for the stars and strive for the sun We can soar with the wind making life more fun

You are only out of the game when you give up the play So write some new words so you have a new say

Aim for something better, embrace the best You may fall short of target but gain from the quest

So cast off the old. Live a new dream Grab the future foretold. Mine a new seam

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Trust that tomorrow can be better than today

Let the future empower us with its new way

Lets cast off from covid, from laws, test and trace

Lets make our own minds up and set our own pace

The future is only ours, my friend, if we want to race it Tonight is the night to embrace it

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