

# Happy Birthday Songsheet

Print this page. While at your piano, fill in the songsheet per the following tutorials. It helps to have a clipboard or another solid surface, like a book, to write on.

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**Year:** 1912  
**Tempo:** Medium

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**Key:** F  
**Time:** 3/4  
**Sections:** 4

C <sup>3</sup>	C <sup>4</sup>	C <sup>5</sup>	Lyric CHORD	Section
			HAP-	1
			-PY	
			BIRTH-	
			-DAY	
			TO	
			YOU.	
			HAP-	2
			-PY	
			BIRTH-	
			-DAY	
			TO	
			YOU.	
			HAP-	3
			-PY	
			BIRTH-	
			-DAY	
			DEAR	
			NA-	
			-ME.	
			HAP-	4
			-PY	
			BIRTH-	
			-DAY	
			TO	
			YOU.	

Happy Birthday is written in 3/4 time (3 beats per measure, quarter note gets one beat). But since you must know the rhythm of this or any song in order to pick it out by ear, it's not necessary to fill in the 1+2+3+ timing counts. Instead of measures, the songsheet has been divided into 4 lyrical sections.

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