

JOIN US FOR THE ROOT CELLAR'S NEW YEAR'S EVE — DINNER —

SPICY WOOD-FIRED OYSTERS

Fish is thought to symbolize good luck in many countries.

KALE SALAD

with bacon, pears, chèvre and tossed in a pomegranate vinaigrette.
Pomegranates, with its many seeds, represent prosperity.

CORNBREAD WITH HONEY WHIPPED BUTTER

A side of cornbread (with your ham, of course) represents the glories of gold.

SEVEN SPRINGS PORK LOIN

Stuffed with champagne-soaked figs, apples and raisins.
Pork is an important symbol of eating well year-round and is also a sign of prosperity; Figs are a symbol of fertility.

HOPPIN' JOHN

In the South, eating black-eyed peas is a sign of humility and thus, invites good fortune.

WINTER GREENS OF TURNIPS, COLLARDS AND MUSTARD

with smoked ham hocks. Collards and other greens are considered lucky because they resemble greenbacks. Ham, because of its fat, is served to bring a New Year rich with happiness.

TRIPLE CHOCOLATE CAKE

with Grand Mariner chocolate ganache and macerated raspberries.
Foods in the shape of a ring are thought to bring good luck, possibly because they symbolize "coming full circle."

CHAMPAGNE WINE PAIRING WITH DINNER \$55

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