I’D LIKE TO TEACH THE WORLD TO SING
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2 measure intro: [D7] [G7] [C] [G7]

I’d [C] like to build the world a home and
[D7] furnish it with love
Grow [G7] apple trees and honey bees and

I’d [C] like to teach the world to sing in
[D7] perfect harmony
I’d [G7] like to hold it in my arms and
[F] Keep it compan-[C]-y

Chorus:
[NC] That’s the song that I [C] hear,
Let the world sing to-[D7]-day.
A [G7] song of peace that echoes on and

I’d [C] like to see the world for once
All [D7] standing hand in hand
And [G7] hear them echo through the hills for
[F] Peace throughout the [C] land. [G7]

Ukulele Verse:
We’d [C] like to teach the world to play
The [D7] uk-u-l-e-le
To [G7] harmonize with everyone and
[F] Fill the world with [C] glee

[NC] That’s the song that we [C] sing
Come right this [D7] way
We’ll [G7] strum some chords and sing some songs and
[F] Have an awesome [C] day. [G7] [C-strum]