## 232 NEW YEAR'S INTERMISSION

## FRAME 1

Fel and al enternig the den. It's dark inside. We can see candle light on the foreground. Green is opening the door.

## AL:

It's the first new year's eve since we found out about the Den. Surprisingly, hybrids have their own tradition for this day.

## FRAME 1.1

Al is on the next floor, watching from the railing. We see an altar in the middle of the room, filled with candles, and hybrids gathering around. No lights other than candles.

#### AL:

Fel brought me over, but she told me to stand aside, and watch.

## FRAME 2

Swift walks to the altar, left to right, and pulls a combat knife from inside her jacket.

## SWIFT:

... Should all aquaintance be forgot, and never brought to mind? (¿por qué perder las esperanzas de... volverse a ver?)

## FRAME 2.1

Swift cleaves the knife on the chair or whatever that is holding the altar, and leaves a candle to the side.

## SWIFT:

Should old acquaintance be forgot, and auld lang syne? (por qué perder las esperanzas si hay tanto querer)

## FRAME 3

Hybrids walking to the altar, leaving all sorts of objects. Pictures, pieces of cloth, canteens. The rest of the hybrids start singing along.

ALL:

For auld lang syne, my dear, for auld lang syne. we'll take a cup of kindness yet, for auld lang syne. (no es más que un hasta luego, no es más que un breve adios. Muy pronto junto al fuego nos reuniremos.)

## FRAME 3.1

Fel walks to the altar, pulls a picture out.

## FEL:

And surely you'll buy your pint cup, and surely i'll buy mine! (con nuestras manos enlazadas en torno al calor)

## FRAME 3.2

Fel leaves the picture she got on page 62, and puts a candle to the side.

## FEL:

And we'll take a cup o' kindness yet, for auld lang syne. (formemos esta noche, un circulo de amor)

# FRAME 4

Short frame, hybrids gather around on a circle, and start grabbing each other's hands, one arm above the other.

## ALL:

For auld lang syne, my dear, for auld lang syne. (no es más que un hasta luego... no es más que un breve adiós)

## FRAME 4.1

Hybrids grabbed by the hands, shoulder by shoulder, singing and crying and making all those pouty faces. (secret thing happens i won't write here cuz it's 2cool)

AT<sub>1</sub>T<sub>1</sub>:

We'll take a cup of kindess yet, for auld lang syne. (muy pronto junto al fuego, nos reunireeemos...)

## FRAME 5

View from al's perspective, all the hybrids are in a huge circle (there should be almost 40 people there, if space isnt enough, make 2 circles) (with extra -thing-, gathering around them)

ALL:

(humming) Hmm hmmmmm mmmmm mmmmmmm

## FRAME 6

The girls release their hands, american shot to swift, who claps her hands mid-tears.

SWIFT:

It's a new year girls. Let's make them proud. (es un nuevo año chicas. Hagámoslas sentir orgullosas.

## FRAME 6.1

Fel and al walk outside the den, Fel is crying and has her makeup all runny and stuff. She's weeping real hard.

AL:

(thought bubble) Good thing it synergizes really well with the human celebration. (Bueno que se mezcla muy bien con la tradición humana.)

FEL:

\*Sob sob\* I... hnng... I need to stuff my face with an entire turkey... and maybe some mashed potatoes... (snort)... hnnngh... (MORE)

FEL: (CONT'D)

Q-quiero empujarme una pierna de cerdo yo solita... y puré de papa... con mucho gravy)