

Barbara Allen

Words and Music Traditional

♩ = 80



Verses

1. 'Twas in _____ the merry__ month of May,____
2. He sent_____ a servant_ unto__ her,____
3. Slowly, slowly,_____ she__ got__ up.____
4. He turned_____ his pale face to the wall,____
5. As she_____ was walking o'er the fields,____
6. She looked East_____ and she__ looked_ West,____
7. "Oh mother,_____ mother make my bed,____
8. They buried William_____ in the old church - yard,____
9. They grew_____ and grew to the church top,____



the green__ buds__ were_____ a - swelling.____
 to the place_ where_ she_____ was dwelling.____
 Slowly, slowly,_____ she_____ came nigh__ him.
 and death_ on__ him_____ was dwelling.____
 she heard_ the__ death_ bell__ knelling.____
 she saw__ his__ corpse_____ a - coming.____
 and make_ it__ long_____ and narrow.____
 they buried Barbara_____ there_____ be - side__ him.
 till they__ could_ grow_____ no higher,____



Sweet William_____ on his deathbed lay,____
 Saying you_ must__ come__ to his deathbed__ now,
 And the only_____ words to him she said,____
 "A - dieu,___ a - dieu, my kind friends all,____
 And every_____ stroke, it seemed to say,____
 "Lay down,___ lay down the corpse," she said,____
 Sweet William_____ died for me to - day,____
 And from_ his__ grave__ grew a red,_ red_ rose,_
 and there they__ twined__ in a true_ loves knot,_
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for the love__ of__ Barbara_____ Allen.____
 if your name_ be__ Barbara_____ Allen.____
 "Young man,___ I_____ think_ you're_ dying."____
 be kind_ to__ Barbara_____ Allen."____
 "Hard - heart - ed - Barbara_____ Allen."____
 "And let__ me__ gaze__ u - pon him.____
 and I'll die__ for__ him__ to - mor-row."____
 and out__ of__ hers__ a__ briar.____
 red rose__ a - round_ green_ briar.____

The Parting Glass

Words and Music Traditional

♩ = 50

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Verses

1. Of all the money that e'er I spent, I've spent it in good
2. If I had money enough to spend, and leisure to
3. Oh all the comrades that e'er I had, they're sorry for my

com - pa - ny. And all the harm that ever I did,
sit a - while. There is a fair maid in the town
going a - way. And all the sweethearts that e'er I had,

a - las it was to none but me. And all I've done for
that sorely has my heart beguiled. Her rosy cheeks and
they'd wish me one more day to stay. But since it falls un-

want of wit, to memory now I can't re - call.
ruby lips, I own she has my heart en - thralled.
- to my lot, that I should rise and you should not,

Refrain

- 1, 2. So fill to me the parting glass,
3. I'll gently rise and softly call,

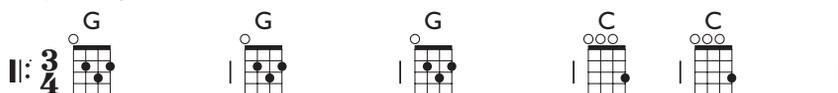
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good - night and joy be with you all.

The Wild Rover

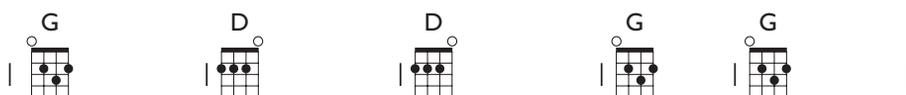
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$\text{♩} = 170$



Verses

1. I've been a wild rover_ for many_ a year,_ and I've
2. I went to an ale house I used to fre - quent,_ and I
3. took from my pocket_ ten sovereigns_ bright,_ and the
4. I'll go home to my parents, con - fess what I've done,_ and I'll



spent all my money_ on whiskey and beer.____ And
told the land - lady_ my money_ was spent.____ I
landlady's_ eyes opened wide with de - light.____ She
ask them to pardon their prodigal_ son.____ And



now I'm re - tur - ning with gold in great store,____
asked her for credit,_ she answered me, "Nay,____
said, "I have whiskey_ and wines of the best,____
if they ca - ress me as oft times be - fore,____

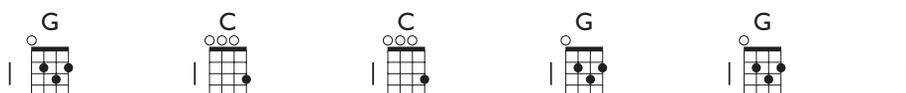


and I never_ will play the wild rover_ no more.
such a custom as yours I could have any_ day."
and the words that I spoke sure were only_ in jest."
sure I never_ will play the wild rover_ no more.



Chorus

And it's no,____ nay,____ never.____ No nay



never_ no more.____ Will I play_ the wild



rover,____ no never_ no more.____