

The wild mountain thyme

after Robert Tannahill's
The Braes o' Balquhidder

Scots traditional
arr. Philip Thicknes

Andante ♩ = 54

SOPRANO *mp* 1. O the sum-mer time is

ALTO *p* ng (hum) *pp* ng

TENOR *p* ng (hum) *pp* ng

BASS *p* ng (hum) *pp* ng

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S. com-ing And the trees are sweet-ly bloom-ing, And the wild mount-ain thyme grows a-

A. ng ng

T. ng ng

B. ng

11

S. round the bloom-ing heath-er, Will ye go, las-sie, go? And we'll all go to-

A. *p* Will ye go, las-sie, go? And we'll all go to-

T. *p* ng

B. *p* ng

Chorus

16

S. geth-er To pull wild mount-ain thyme. All a-round the bloom-ing heath-er, Will ye

A. geth-er To pull wild mount-ain thyme All a-round the bloom-ing heath-er, Will ye

T. ng Will ye

B. ng Will ye

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A Verse 2.

S. go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) *p* *pp*

A. go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) *p* *pp*

T. go, las-sie, go? *mf* 2. I will

B. go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) *p* *pp*

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S. *sempre pp* ng

A. *sempre pp* ng

T. build my love a bow-er By yon pure crys - tal foun-tain, And on it I will

B. *sempre pp* ng ng

32

S. *ng*

A. *ng*

T. pile all the flow-ers of the mount-ain. Will ye go, las-sie, go? And we'll

B. *ng* *p* And we'll

Chorus

37

S. *p* *ng* *ng*

A. *p* *ng* *ng*

T. all go to-geth-er To pull wild mount-ain thyme All a-round the bloom-ing

B. all go to-geth-er To pull wild mount-ain thyme All a-round the bloom-ing

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S. *p* *ng*

A. *ng*

T. heath-er, Will ye go, las-sie, go? *p* *ng (hum)*

B. heath-er, Will ye go, las-sie, go? *p* *ng (hum)* *pp*

B

Verse 3

48

S. *pp* *pp*
ng

A. *mp*
3. If my true love will not go, I can sure - ly find an - oth - er Where the

T. *pp* *pp*
ng

B. *pp*
ng

53

S. *pp*
ng

A. *mp*
wild moun - tain thyme grows a - round the bloom - ing heath - er, Will ye go, las - sie,

T. *pp* *pp*
ng ng

B. *pp*
ng

Chorus

58

S. *mp*
And we'll all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

A. *p*
go? And we'll all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

T. *p*
ng

B. *p*
ng ng

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S. round the bloom-ing heath-er, Will ye go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) _____

A. round the bloom-ing heath-er, Will ye go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) _____

T. ng _____ Will ye go, las-sie, go?

B. _____ Will ye go, las-sie, go? ng (hum) _____

p

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Verse 4

S. _____ ng _____

A. _____ ng _____

T. *p* ng (hum) _____ 4. I will build my love a shel-ter On yon

B. _____ 4. I will build my love a shel - ter On yon

pp *pp* *pp* *mf* *p*

73

S. _____ ng _____

A. _____ ng _____

T. high moun-tain green, And my love shall be the fair-est That the

B. high moun-tain green, And my love shall be the fair-est That the

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S. *mf*
ng And we'll

A. *mp*
ng And we'll

T. *mp*
8 sum - mer sun has seen. Will ye go, las - sie, go? And we'll

B. *mp*
sum - mer sun has seen. Will ye go, las - sie, go? And we'll

81

S. all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

A. all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

T. *mp*
8 all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

B. all go to - geth - er To pull wild mount - ain thyme All a -

85 **poco rall.**

S. round the bloom - ing heath - er, Will ye go, las - sie, go?

A. round the bloom - ing heath - er, Will ye go, las - sie, go?

T. *mp*
8 round the bloom - ing heath - er, Will ye go, las - sie, go?

B. round the bloom - ing heath - er, Will ye go, las - sie, go?