



SLEEVE NOTES

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Carrickfergus Trad.

Dm G Am

I wish I was in Carrickfergus

F G C

Only for nights there in Ballygran.

Dm G Am

I would swim over the deepest ocean

F G C

Only to be there, my love and I.

C G

But the sea is deep and I cannot swim over

Am G

Or neither have I the wings to fly.

Dm G Am

I would engage with a handsome boatman

F C

To ferry me over to my love and I

And in Kilkenny it is reported

They have marble stones there as black as ink

With gold and silver I would support her

Ah but I'll sing no more till I get a drink

I'm drunk today and I'm seldom sober

A handsome rover from town to town

Ah, but I'm sing now and I'll soon be dying

So come all ye young men and lay me down.