

**The Broom O The Cowdenknowes**  
**Misc Traditional**

How (B)blithe was (Ebm)I each (E)morn to (B)see  
My lass come (G#m)o'er the (E)hill  
(B)She skipped the (Ebm)burn and she (G#m)ran tae (B)me  
(E)I met her wi' a good (F#)will.

Chorus

(B)O the (Ebm)broom, the (E)bonnie, bonnie (B)broom  
The broom o' the (G#m)Cowden(E)knowes  
(B)Fain would I (Ebm)be in my (G#m)ain coun(B)try  
(E)Herding her father's (F#)ewes

Repeat Intro

Hard (B)fate that (Ebm)I should (E)banished (B)be  
Gone way o'er (G#m)hill and (E)moor  
Be(B)cause I (Ebm)loved the (G#m)fairest (B)lass  
(E)That ever yet was (F#)born

Chorus + Intro

Fare(B)well, ye (Ebm)Cowden(E)knowes, fare(B)well  
Farewell all (G#m)pleasures (E)there  
(B)To wander (Ebm)by her (G#m)side A(B)gain  
(E)Is all I crave or (F#)care

Chorus 2x