

**Dark Lochnagar**  
**The Corries**

**C**  
Away, ye gay landscapes, ye gardens o roses.  
**F C G**  
In you let the minions of luxury rove.  
**C**  
Restore me the rocks where snowflake reposes  
**F C G C**  
If still they are sacred to freedom and love  
**C F C**  
Brave Caledonia, dear are thy mountains,  
**G**  
Round their white summits though elements war.  
**C**  
Tho' cataracts roar stead of smooth flowing fountains,  
**C G C**  
I sigh for the valleys o dark Lochnagarr.

**C**  
Ah, there my young footsteps in infancy wandered.  
**F C G**  
My cap was my bonnet, my cloak was my plaid.  
**C**  
On chieftains long perished my memory lingered  
**F C G C**  
As daily I strayed through the pine covered glade.  
**C F C**  
I sought not my home till the days dying glory.  
**G**  
Gave place to the rays o the bright polar star  
**C**  
My fancy was cheered by the bold martial story  
**C G C**  
As told by the sons o Dark Lochnagar.

**C**  
Years have rolled on, Lochnagar, since I left you  
**F C G**  
Years must roll on ere I see you again  
**C**  
Though Nature of verdure and flowers bereft you  
**F C G C**  
Yet still art thou dearer than Albion s plain  
**C F C**  
England! thy beauties are tame and domestic  
**G**

To one who has roved on the mountains afar  
C  
Oh for the crags that are wild and majestic  
C G C  
The steep frowning glories o wild Lochnagar.

C  
Ill starred now the brave did no vision foreboding.  
F C G  
Tell you that fate had forsaken our cause  
C  
Yet were you destined to die at Culloden?  
F C G C  
Though victory crowned not your fall with applause.  
C F C  
Yet were you happy in death s earthly slumber  
G  
Tae sleep wiâ€™ your clan in the caves of Braemar  
C  
The pibroch resounds tae the piper s loud numbers  
C G C  
Your deeds on the echoes oâ€™ dark Lochnagar.

PLAYED SLOWLY

C F C  
Brave Caledonia dear are thy mountains  
C G C  
I sigh for the valley o dark Lochnagar

Repeat fading

C G C  
The steep sounding glories of dark Lochnagar  
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