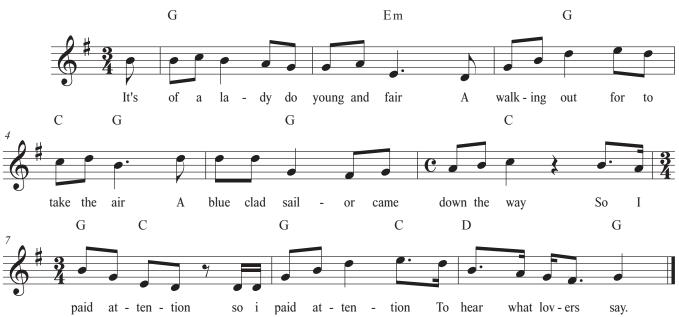
## The Dark-Eyed Sailor

LaRena sang this in A flat.

From the singing of LaRena Clark

Transcribed by Ian Bell



- He said fair maiden, you roam alone The day's fast spent and the night's coming on You're lovely, and so handsome and tall It's a dark-eyed sailor X2 Has proven my downfall.
- It's seven long years since he left this land My diamond ring took from my right hand He broke the token, left half with me Whilst the other's rolling X2 In the bottom of the sea.
- 4. Oh this young man, can you not forget There's many a sailor does love forfeit And out of sight does more colder grow As a winter's morning X2 When fields are white with snow
- A tarry sailor, I'll never deny And all young men will I treat the same Jim Tealon was no rake like you To advise a maiden X2 To slight a jacket blue

- When Jimmy did this ring unfold She stood as one in the days of old You're welcome home, I have lands and gold You're my dark-eyed sailor X2 So manly, bold and true
- 7. There's a cottage down where the river flows Where the daisies and the blue violets grow And lovers of hand in hand do stray For a cloudy morning X2 Oft makes a pleasant day