

Lady Isabel and the Elf Knight

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2. She brought down some of her father's gold,
And more of her mother's money,
And two of the best horses in her father's stable
That daily are thirty-three.
 3. He rode on the milk-white steed
And she rode on the bay,
And together they came to the North of Scotland
Three hours before it was day.
 4. Light down, light down, my pretty colleen,
I've something here to tell thee.
Six kings daughters lie drowned here
And thou the seventh shall be.
 5. O turn your back to the billowy waves
Your face to the leaves of the tree
For ill it beseems an outlandish knight
Should view a stark lady.
 6. He turned his back to the billowy waves,
His face to the leaves of the tree
When quickly she threw both her arms round his neck
And tossed him into the sea.
 7. Lie there, lie there, thou false young man,
Lie there instead of me.
You promised to take me to the North of Scotland
And there you would marry me.