**Broom o’ the Cowdenknowes**

***Intro:***

**C Dm Em G   C Dm F G G**   
 **C Em F C**

How blithe was I each morn to see   
 **Am F**

My lass come o'er the hill   
**C Em Am C**

She skipped the burn and she ran tae me   
**F G**

I met her wi’ good will.   
   
***Chorus:***  
**C Em F C**

O the broom, the bonnie, bonnie broom   
 **Am F**

The broom o’ the Cowden-knowes   
**C Em Am C**

Fain would I be in my ain coun-try  
**F G**

Herding her father's ewes  
  
***[Intro]***

**C Em F C**Hard fate that I should banished be   
 **Am F**

Gone way o'er hill and moor   
 **C Em Am C**

Be-cause I loved the fairest lass   
**F G**

That ever yet was born   
   
***[Chorus]***

***[Intro]***  
 **C Em F C**

Fare-well, ye Cowden-knowes, fare-well   
 **Am F**

Farewell all pleasures there   
**C Em Am C**

To wander by her side a-gain   
**F G**

Is all I crave or care  
   
***[Chorus 2x]***

***[Instrumental over Chorus]***

***[Intro 2x] C***