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When Irish Eyes Are Smiling

Verse 1

Bb

There's a tear in your eye, and I'm wondering why,

Bb7 Eb

For it never should be there at all.

F7 F+ Bb A7 Fo G7

With such power in your smile, sure a stone you'd beguile,

C7 F7

So there's never a teardrop should fall.

Verse 2

Bb

When your sweet lilting laughter's like some fairy song,

Bb7 Eb G7 Cm

And your eyes twinkle bright as can be,

F7 Bb A7 Fo G7

You should laugh all the while and all o - ther times smile,

C7 F7

And now smile a smile for me.

CHORUS:

Bb F7 Bb Bb7 Eb Bb

When Irish eyes are smiling, Sure it's like a morning spring.

Eb Bb G7 C7 F7

In the lilt of Irish laughter, You can hear the angels sing

Bb F7 Bb Eb Bb

When Irish hearts are happy, All the world seems bright and gay

Eb Edim Bb G7 C7 F7 Bb

And when Irish eyes are smiling, Sure, they steal your heart away.

I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover

Bb

I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover

C7

That I over looked before

F7

G7

One is for sunshine, the second is rain

C7

F7

Third are the roses that grow in the lane

Bb

No need explaining the one remaining

C7

Is somebody I adore

Eb

Ebm Dm

G7

I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover

C7

F7

Bb

That I over-looked before

That's An Irish Lullaby

Bb **Eb** **Bb**
Over in Killarney, many years ago,

Me Mother sang a song to me

C7 **F7**
In tones so sweet and low.

Bb **Bb7** **Eb** **Bb**
Just a simple little ditty in her good old Irish way

Eb **Bbdim** **Bb** **Gm**
And I'd give the world if she could sing

C7 **F7**
That song to me this day.

Bb **Bb7** **Eb** **Edim**
Too-ra-loo-ra-loo-ral, Too-ra-loo-ra-li.

Bb **Eb** **Bb** **C7** **F7**
Too-ra-loo-ra-loo-ral, Hush, now don't you cry!

Bb **Bb7** **Eb** **Edim**
Too-ra-loo-ra-loo-ral, Too-ra-loo-ra - li.

Eb **Bbdim** **Bb** **G** **C7** **F7** **Bb**
Too-ra-loo-ra - loo-ra....., That's an Irish lulla - by.

It's a Great Day For The Irish

Bb

It's a great day for the Irish, It's a great day for fair

Bo

F7

The sidewalks of New York are thick with blarney

Cm

F7

For sure you'd think New York was Old Killarney

Bb

It's a great day for the shamrock, For the flags in full array

Eb

D7

Gm

Ebm

We're feeling so in-sp-Irish, Sure because for all the Irish

Bb

F7

Bb

It's a great, great day

Bb

It's a great day for the Irish, It's a great day for fair

Bo

F7

Begosh, There's not a cop to stop a raiding

Cm

F7

Begorra, All the cops are out parading

Bb

It's a great day for the shamrock, For the flags in full array

Eb

D7

Gm

Ebm

We're feeling so in-sp-Irish, Sure because for all the Irish

Bb

F7

Bb

It's a great, great day

Oh Danny Boy

G7 C C7 F
Oh Danny Boy, the pipes the pipes are calling.

G7 C Dm7 G7
From glen to glen and down the mountainside

C C7 F
The summer's gone and all the roses falling.

G7 C G7 C
It's you, it's you must go and I must bide.

G7 C F C
But come ye back when summer's in the meadow.

G7 Am F C Dm7 G7
Or when the valley's hushed and white with snow.

G7 C C+ F C E7 Am Fm
It's I'll be here in sunshine or in sh - a - dow.

C F Dm7 C
Oh Danny Boy, Oh Danny Boy I love you so.

G7 C C7 F
And if you come, when all the flowers are dying

G7 C Dm7 G7
And I am dead, as dead I well may be

C C7 F
You'll come and find the place where I am lying

G7 C G7 C
And kneel and say an "Ave" there for me.

G7 C C7 F
And I shall hear, tho' soft you tread above me

G7 C Dm7 G7
And all my dreams will warm and sweeter be

G7 C C7 F
If you'll not fail to tell me that you lo - ve me

G7 C G7 C
I'll simply, sleep in peace, until you come to me.

Mother Machree

CHORUS:

C(c-d-e) **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
Oh I love the dear silver that shines in your hair
 F **C** **D7** **G7**
And the brow that's all furrowed and wrinkled with care
 C **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
I kiss the dear fingers so toil worn for me
 F **C** **Dm** **G7** **C**
Oh God bless you and keep you Mother Machree

VERSE 1:

C(c-d-e) **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
There's a spot in my heart which no col - leen may
own
 F **C** **D7** **G7**
There's a depth in my soul never sounded or known
 C **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
There's a place in my mem'ry, my life that you fill
 F **C** **Dm** **G7** **C**
No other can take it, no one e - ver will

VERSE 2:

C(c-d-e) **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
Every sorrow or cure in the dear days gone by
 F **C** **D7** **G7**
Was made bright by the light of the smile in your eye
 C **Dm** **C** **Am** **E7** **Am**
Like a candle that burns in the window at night
 F **C** **Dm** **G7** **C**
Your fond love has cheered me and guided me right

The Wild Rover of 2

Page 1

Written in 1500's - Irish Rovers 1960's

D G
I've been the wild rover for many a year
D A7 D
I've spent all my money on whiskey and beer
D G
But, now I'm returning with gold in great store
D A7 D
I never will play the wild rover no more

A7
And it's no, nay, never - (4 claps)
D G
No, nay never no more - (2 claps)
D G
Will I play - the wild rover - (1 clap)
D A7 D
No never - no more! (2 claps)

D G
I went into an ale house I used to frequent
D A7 D
I told the land-lady my money was spent
G
I asked her for credit she answered me nay
D A7 D
Such a custom as yours I can get any day

CHORUS (2 Times)

Then out of my pockets I took sovereigns bright
 and my landlady's eyes opened wide with delight
 She said, "I have whiskey and wines of the best!"
 but the answer I gave her was only in jest

I'll go home to my parents, confess what I've
 done
 and I'll ask them to pardon their prodigal son
 and if they caress me as oft times before
 than I never will play the wild rover no more

Music Notes



I've been a wild ro-ver fur man-y a year, I've spent all my mo-ney on



whisk-ey and beer. But now I'm re-tur-n-ing with gold in great store, I nev-er will



play the wild rov-er no more. And it's no, nay, nev-er. No nay nev-er no



more, Will I play the wild rov-er, No nev-er no more.

The Unicorn Song

Irish Rovers - 1968

C G7
A long time ago, when the Earth was green
C
There was more kinds of animals than you've ever seen.
C7 F
They'd run around free while the Earth was being born
G7 C
And the loveliest of all was the Unicorn.

Chorus: C G7
Green alligators and long-necked geese
C
Some humpty backed camels and some chimpanzees
C7 F
Cats and rats and elephants, but sure as you're born
G7 C
The Loveliest of all is the Unicorn!

C G7
The Lord seen some sinning and it gave Him great pain
C
And He said, "Stand back, ... I'm going to make it rain"
C7 F
Then He said, "Hey Noah, I'll tell you what to do
G7 C
Build me a floating zoo, and take some of those" Chorus

C G7
Old Noah was there to answer the call
C
He finished making the ark as rain started to fall
C7 F
He marched the animals in two by two
G7 C
And he called out as they came through... Chorus

C G7
And Noah looked out through the driving rain
C
Them Unicorns were hiding, playing silly games
C7 F
Kicking and splashing while the rain was falling
C G7 C
Oh, them silly Unicorns Chorus

C G7
The ark started moving, it drifted with the tide
C
The Unicorns looked up from the rocks and they cried
C7 F
As the waters came down and sort of floated them away
G7 C
That's why you never see Unicorns to this very day.

You'll see.. **Chorus**