

Wildwood Flower

Key of C
4/4

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C G C
Oh, I'll twine with my mingles and raven black hair
G7 C
With the lilies so pale and the roses so fair
F C
And the myrtle so bright with the emerald hue
G C
The pale aronatus with eyes of bright blue.

Oh I'll dance, I will sing and my laugh shall be gay
I will charm every heart, in his crown I will sway
When I woke from my dreaming, my idols were clay
All portion of love had all flown away

Oh he taught me to love him and promised to love
And to cherish me over all others above
How my heart is now wondering no misery can tell
He's left me no warning, no words of farewell

Oh, he taught me to love him and called me his flower
That was blooming to cheer him through life's dreary hour
Oh, I long to see him and regret the dark hour
He's gone and neglected this pale wildwood flower