OH MISS MARY - John Stewart

CHORUS:

Oh, Miss Mary – where are you wanderin'?

Oh, Miss Mary – where are you wanderin', Lord.

Oh, Miss Mary – where are you wanderin'?

Three days and Mary's comin' home.

When Mary was a young girl, she took to wanderin'.

Never would she leave me, and not come back again.

When I hear her singing, singing in the west again

Three days and Mary's comin' home.

CHORUS

Mary chased the rainbow, over the mountains,

Across so many rivers, Lord – that I can't count 'em.

She wouldn't keep those rainbows – even if she found 'em.

Three days and Mary's comin' home.

CHORUS

Watchin' for my Mary – wish she were home again.

Home from the rivers, Lord – home from the mountains.

If I turned my back, see – she'd just be gone again.

Three days and Mary's comin' home.

CHORUS - twice

Three days and Mary's comin' -

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Three days and Mary's comin' home.

Per Wikipedia, John Stewart recorded this song when he became part of The Kingston Trio in 1961. John Phillips, later of The Mamas and the Papas, is also credited with the creation and/or early recording of this song.