Greensleeves

1.

Alas, my love, you do me wrong To cast me off discourteously And I have loved you well and long Delighting in your company.

Greensleeves was all my joy Greensleeves was my delight Greensleeves was my heart of gold And who but my lady greensleeves.

2.

I have been ready at your hand To grant whatever you would crave I have both wagered life and land Your love and goodwill for to have.

My men were clothed all in green And they did ever wait on thee All this was gallant to be seen And yet thou wouldst not love me.

3.
Thou couldst desire no earthly thing
But still thou hadst it readily.
Thy music still to play and sing
And yet thou wouldst not love me.

I will pray to God on high that thou my constancy mayest see And that yet once before I die Thou wilt vouchsafe to love me.