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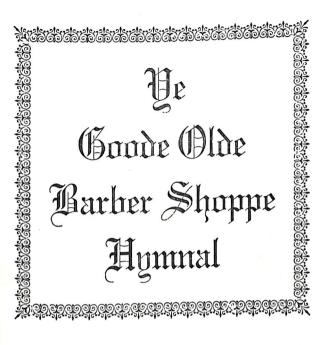
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IF YOU WANT TO ORGANIZE A BARBER SHOP QUARTET LET ME KNOW AND I WILL SEND YOU 3 MORE HYMNALS

## 1. PUT YOUR ARMS AROUND ME, HONEY

Put your arms around me honey, hold me tight. Huddle up and cuddle up with all your might, Oh Babe, won't you roll dem eyes, Eyes that I just idolize. When they look at me, My heart begins to float.

Then it starts a rockin' like a motor boat. Ohl Ohl I never knew any girl like you.

# 2. BY THE LIGHT OF THE SILVERY MOON

By the light of the silvery moon, I want to spoon To my honey I'll croon love's tune Honeymoon, Keep a-shining in June Your silv'ry beams will bring love dreams We'll be cuddling soon, by the silvery moon.

## 3. MOONLIGHT AND ROSES

Moonlight and roses Brings wonderful memories of you, My heart reposes In beautiful thoughts so true, June light discloses Love's olden dreams sparkling anew Moonlight and roses Brings memories of you.

## 4. I WANT A GIRL . . .

I want a girl just like the girl That married dear old dad. She was a pearl and the only girl That daddy every had. A good old-fashioned girl with a heart so true; One who loves nobody else but youl I want a girl just like the girl That married dear old dad.

#### 5. WHEN YOU WORE A TULIP

When you wore a tulip, a big yellow tulip And I wore a big red rose; As I caressed you, 'twas then heaven

blessed you, What a blessing, no one knows—

You made life cherry when you called me 'Dearie," 'Twas down where the blue grass grows; Your lips were sweeter than julep when you wore a tulip, And I wore a big red rose.

## 6. LET'S ALL SING LIKE THE BIRDIES SING

Let's all sing like the birdies sing Tweet—Tweet—Tweet—Tweet—Tweet Let's all sing like the birdies sing Sweet—Sweet—Sweet—Sweet Let's all warble like the nightingales Give your throat a treat Take your time from the birds Now you know all the words Tweet—Tweet—Tweet—Tweet

#### 7. MY GAL SAL

They called her frivolous Sal, A peculiar sort of a gal, With a heart that was mellow, An all 'round good fellow Was my old pal (my old pal). Your troubles, sorrows and care She was always willing to share. A wild sort of devil, But dead on the level Was my gal Sal.

## 8. FOR ME AND MY GAL

The bells are ringing, for me and my gal. The birds are singing, for me and my gal. Ev'ry body's been knowing To a wedding they're going And for weeks they've been sewing Ev'ry Susie and Sal.

They're congregating, for me and my gal. The parson's waiting, for me and my gal. And some time, I'm going to build a little home for two, For three or four, or more, In loveland, for me and my gal.

## 9. MY WILD IRISH ROSE

My wild Irish Rose, The sweetest flower that grows, You may search everywhere, But none can compare, With my wild Irish Rose, The dearest flower that grows, And some day for my sake, She may let me take, The bloom from my wild Irish Rose.

#### 10. SMILES

There are smiles that make us happy. There are smiles that make us blue. There are smiles that steal away the tear-drops, As the sunbeams steal away the dew.

There are smiles that have a tender meaning, That the eyes of love alone may see And the smiles that fill my life with sunshine Are the smiles that you give to me.

#### 11. DAISY DAISY

Daisy, Daisy, give me your answer, do. I'm half crazy, all for the love of you. It won't be a stylish marriage, I can't afford a carriage. But you'll look sweet on the seat Of a bicycle built for two.

#### 12. WHEN IRISH EYES ARE SHINING

When Irish eyes are smiling,

Sure it's like a morn in Spring, In the lilt of Irish laughter

You can hear the angels sing. When Irish eyes are happy,

All the world seems bright and gay, And when Irish eyes are smiling, Sure, they steal your heart away.

# 13. THE BAND PLAYED ON

Casey would waltz with a strawberry blond, And the band played on! He'd glide 'cross the floor with the girl he adored. And the band played on! But his brain was so loaded it nearly exploded, The poor girl would shake with alarm, He married the girl with the strawberry curl, And the band played on!

# 14. OH, YOU BEAUTIFUL DOLL

Oh, you beautiful doll, You great big beautiful doll, Let me put my arms about you, I could never live without you, Oh, you beautiful doll, You great big beautiful doll, If you ever leave me, how my heart will ache, I want to hug you, but I fear you'd break. Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, Oh, you beautiful doll.

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#### 15. LET ME CALL YOU SWEETHEART

Let me call you sweetheart, I,m in love with you. LetLet me hear you whisper That you love me, too. Keep the lovelight burning In your eyes so true. Let me call you sweetheart, I,m in love with you.

#### 16. IN THE SHADE OF THE OLD APPLE TREE

In the shade of the old apple tree Where the love in your eyes I could see. When the voice that I heard Like the song of the bird, Seemed to whisper sweet music to me. I could hear the dull buzz of the bee In the blossoms as you said to me: With a heart that is true I'll be waiting for you In the shade of the old apple tree.

#### 17. I WONDER WHAT'S BECOME OF SALLY?

I wonder what's become of Sally? That old girl of mine. The sunshine is missing from our alley Every since the day Sally went away, No matter where she is. If no one wants her now, Please send her back to me. I'll always welcome back my Sally, That old girl of mine.

#### 18. PUT ON YOUR OLD GREY BONNET

Put on your old gray bonnet With the blue ribbons on it While I hitch old Dobbin to the shay, And thru the fields of clover We'll drive up to Dover On our golden wedding day.

## 19. THERE'S A LONG, LONG TRAIL ...

There's a long, long trail awinding Into the land of my dreams Where the nightingales are singing And a white moon beams. There's a long, long night of waiting, Until my dreams all come true Till the day when I'll be going Down that long, long trail with you.

#### 20. THE OLD GREY MARE

Oh, the old grey mare, She ain't what she used to be, Ain't what she used to be, Ain't what she used to be. The old grey mare, She ain't what she used to be, Many long years ago, Many long years ago, Many long years ago. Oh, the old grey mare, She ain't what she used to be, Many long years ago!

#### 21. LOVE'S OLD SWEET SONG

Once in the dear, dead days beyond recall When on the world the mist begin to fall, Out of the dreams that rose in happy throng Low to our hearts love sang an old sweet song; And in the dusk where fell the firelight gleam Softly it wove itself into our dreams.

Just a song at twilight When the lights are low And the flick'ring shadows Softly come and go. Tho' the heart be weary Sad the day and long Still to us at twilight Comes love's old song, Comes love's old sweet song.

#### 22. I WONDER WHO'S KISSING HER NOW?

I wonder Who's kissing her now, Wonder who's teaching her how, Wonder who's looking into her eyes, Breathing sighs, telling lies? I wonder who's buying the wine For lips that I used to call mine? I wonder if she ever tells him of me? I wonder who's kissing her now.

#### 23. IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME!

In the good old summer time, In the good old summer time, Strolling thru the shady lane With your baby mine (baby mine). You hold her hand and she holds yours And that's very good sign, That's your toosie wootsie In the good old summer time.

#### 24. SWEET ADELINE

Sweet Adeline, sweet Adeline. My Adeline, my Adeline, At night dear heart, at night dear heart, For you I pine, for you I pine, In all my dreams, in all my dreams, Your fair face beams, your fair face beams, You're the flower of my heart, Sweet Adeline, sweet Adeline.

#### 25. AULD LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot And never brought to mind? Should auld acquaintance be forgot And days of auld lang syne? For auld lang syne, my dear, For auld lang syne We'll take a cup o' kindness yet For auld lang syne.

#### 26. MEET ME TONIGHT IN DREAMLAND

Meet me tonight in dreamland Under the silv'ry moon, Meet me tonight in dreamland Where love's sweet roses bloom (roses bloom)

Come with the love light gleaming In your dear eyes of blue (of blue), Meet me in dreamland, Sweet dreamy dreamland, There let my dreams come true.

## 27. WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG, MAGGIE

I wandered today to the hill, Maggie, To watch the scene below, The creek and the cracking old mill, Maggie, As we used to long, long ago.

The green grove is gone from the hill, Maggie, Where first the daisies sprung; The creaking old mill is still, Maggie. Since you and I were Young.

And now we are aged and grey, Maggie, The trials of life are nearly done. Let us sing of the days that are gone, Maggie, When you and I were young.

A city so silent and lone, Maggie, Where the young and the gay and the best In polished white mansions of stone, Maggie, Have each found a place of rest

Is built where the birds used play, Maggie, And join in the songs that were sung For we sang as gay as they, Maggie, When you and I were young.

And now we are aged and grey, Maggie, The trials of life are nearly done. Let us sing of the days that are gone, Maggie, When you and I were young.

## 28. IN THE EVENING BY THE MOONLIGHT

In the evening by the moonlight, You could hear the young folks singin', In the evening by the moonlight, You could hear those banjos ringin'

How the old folks would enjoy it, They would sit all night and listen, As we sang in the evening By the moonlight

In the evening la de ah dah By the moonlight la de ah dah You can hear the young folk singin' La de ah dah

In the evening la de ah dah By the moonlight la de ah dah You can hear those banjos ringin' La de ah dah

How the old folks would enjoy it They would sit all night and listen La de ah dah As we sang in the evening By the moonlight la de ah dah.

#### 29. THAT'S WHERE MY MONEY GOES

That's where my money goes, To buy my baby's clothes, I buy her everything To keep her in style.

She rides in a limousine, I buy the gasoline. Say, boys, that's where my money gies.

She wears my BVDs, I stand outside and freeze. Say, boys, that's where my money gies.

#### 30. SHINE ON HARVEST MOON FOR ME AND MY GAL

Oh, shine on, shine on harvest moon Up in the sky I ain't had no lovin' Since January, February, June or July Snow time ain't no time to stay Outdoors and spoon, So shine on, shine on harvest moon, For me and my gal.

## 31. OH, DEAR WHAT CAN THE MATTER BE?

Oh, dear, what can the matter be? Dear, dear what can the matter be? Oh, dear, what can the matter be? Johnny,s so long at the fair.

He promised to buy her a trinket to please her An, then for a smile, oh, he vowed he would tease her.

He promised to bring her a bunch of blue ribbons To tie her bonnie brown hair.

He promised to buy her a basket of posies, A garland of lilies, a gift of red roses, A little straw hat to set off the blue ribbons That tied up her bonnie brown hair.

Oh where, oh where, has my little dog gone? Oh where, oh where, can he be? With his ears cut short and his tail cut long, O where, oh where can he be?

#### 32. SIDEWALKS OF NEW YORK

East side, West side, All around the town. The tots played ring-around-rosie, London Bridge is falling down. Boys and girls together, Me and Mamie O'Roark, Tipped the light fantastic On the sidewalks of New York.