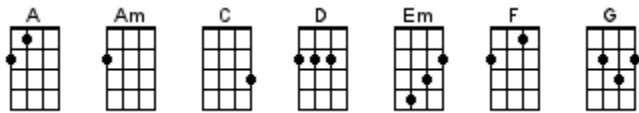


The Mummings' Dance (C)(EASIER)

Loreena McKennitt 1997



INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 /

[Am] Oooooo **[C]** oooooo **[G]** oooooo **[Am]** oooooo
[F] Oooooo **[G]** ooo-ooo **[A]** oooooo **[A]**

When **[Am]** in the springtime **[G]** of the year
When the **[Em]** trees are crowned with **[A]** leaves
When the **[Am]** ash and oak, and the **[G]** birch and yew
Are **[Em]** dressed in ribbons **[A]** fair

When **[Am]** owls call the **[G]** breathless moon
In the **[Em]** blue veil of the **[A]** night
The **[Am]** shadows of the **[G]** trees appear
A-**[Em]**↓midst the lantern **[A]**↓ light

CHORUS:

[A] We've been rambling **[G]** all of the night
And for **[D]** some time of this **[A]** day
And **[A]** now returning **[G]** back again
We **[D]** bring a garland **[A]** gay
[G] / **[F][G]** / **[A]** / **[A]** /

[Am] Who will go down to those **[G]** shady groves
And **[Em]** summon the shadows **[A]** there
And **[Am]** tie a ribbon on those **[G]** sheltering arms
In the **[Em]** springtime of the **[A]** year

The **[Am]** songs of birds seem to **[G]** fill the wood
That **[Em]** when the fiddler **[A]** plays
[Am] All their voices **[G]** can be heard
Long **[Em]**↓ past their woodland **[A]**↓ days

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[G] / **[F][G]** / **[A]** / **[A]** /
[G] / **[F][Em]** / **[A]** / **[A]** /

[Am] / **[C]** / **[G]** / **[Am]** /
[F] / **[G]** / **[A]** / **[A]** /

And **[Am]**↓ so they linked their **[G]**↓ hands and danced
 Round in **[Em]**↓ circles and in **[A]**↓ rows
 And **[Am]**↓ so the journey of the **[G]**↓ night descends
 When **[Em]**↓ all the shades are **[A]**↓ gone

"A **[Am]**↓ garland gay we **[G]**↓ bring you here
 And **[Em]**↓ at your door we **[A]**↓ stand
 It **[Am]**↓ is a sprout well **[G]**↓ budded out
 The **[Em]**↓ work of Our Lord's **[A]**↓ hand"

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[Am] Oooooo **[C]** oooooo **[G]** oooooo **[Am]** oooooo
[F] Oooooo **[G]** ooo-ooo **[A]** oooooo **[A]**↓

