

The Cherry Tree Carol

Peter, Paul and Mary

1. When Joseph was an old man an old man was he
[: he married Virgin Mary the Queen of Galilee. :]
2. And day as they were walking all in the garden green
[: there were berries and cherries as thick as may be seen.
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3. Then Mary said to Joseph so meek and so mild:
[: "Joseph gather me some cherries for I am with child." :]
4. The Joseph flew in anger in anger flew he:
[: "Let the father of the baby gather cherries for thee." :]
5. Then up spoke baby Jesus from out Mary's womb:
[: "Bow down ye tallest tree that my mother might have some.
" :]
6. So bent down the tallest tree to touch Mary's hand
[: said she: "Oh look now Joseph I have cherries at command.
" :]
- 7.=1.