I Never Will Marry

Words & Music: Traditional American

C G One morning, as I rambled C F All down the seashore, C The wind it did whistle G C And the waters did roar.

I heard a fair damsel Make a pitiful sound. She sounded so lonesome In the waters around.

She plunged her fair body In the waters so deep. She closed her dear blue eyes In the waters to sleep.

My love's gone and left me. The one I adore. He's gone where I never Will see him no more.

I never will marry. I'll be no man's wife. I expect to live single All the days of my life.

The shells in the ocean Will be my deathbed. The fish in deep water Swim over my head.

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