

When You and I Were Young Maggie Blues

Words and Music by Jack Frost and Jimmy McHugh 1922

Note: This song is two melodies played together at the same time

WOMEN: RED

MEN: BLACK

BOTH sing same words: PURPLE

INTRO: <SLOWLY>

[A7]↓ I [D]↓ wandered to-[D7]↓ day to the [G]↓ hill [G]↓ Maggie
Where [D]↓ we used to [A7]↓ stroll long a-[D]↓ go

A TEMPO / 1 2 3 4 /

[D] / [G]↓ [A7]↓

I [D] wandered to-[D7] day to the [G] hill [G] Maggie
You simply [D] take a favourite [D7] then you flavour it
[G] with just a note or two of [G] blue harmony

To [D] watch the [D] scene be-[A] low [A]
[D] Tell the orchestra to [D] play staccato
[A] and then you jazz a little [A] obligotto

The [D] creek and the [D7] creaking old [G] mill [G] Maggie
[D] Now that Maggie tune [D7] is a raggie tune
[G] pay no attention to the [G] music that they play

As [D] we used to [A7] long a-[D] go [D7]
But [D] just rock... [A7] your blues a-[D] way
on the spot, start to [D7] sway, gettin' hot now

The [G] green grove is [G] gone from the [D] hill [D] Maggie
[G] Hear that broken time [G] if just spoke in time
[D] all around I see [D] harmony, charmin' me

Where [A] once the [E7] daisies [A] sprung [A7]
[A] Ev 'ry lovin' note [E7] is a lovin' boat
[A] just full of music that you [A7] can't refuse

But I [D] love you the [D7] same as of [G] old [G] Maggie
[D] Now you know the way [D7] tell the band to play
[G] and when you listen just [G] christen it and say I've got those

[D] When you and I were [A7] young, Maggie [D] Blues [D]

I [D] wandered to-[D7] day to the [G] hill With just a note or two of [G] blue
harmony

To [D] watch the [D] scene be-[A] low And then you jazz a little [A] obligotto

[D] Now that Maggie tune **[D7]** is a raggie tune
[G] Pay no attention to the **[G]** music that they play
But **[D]** just rock **[D]** your **[A7]** blues a-**[D]**way on the spot
start to **[D7]** sway, gettin' hot now

The **[G]** green grove is **[G]** gone from the **[D]** hill **[D]** Maggie
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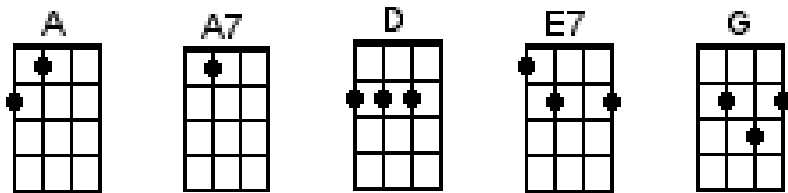
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But I **[D]** love you the **[D7]** same as of **[G]** old **[G]** Maggie
[D] Now you know the way **[D7]** tell the band to play
[G] and when you listen just **[G]** christen it and say I've got those

[D] When you and I were **[A7]** young, Maggie

[D] When you and I were **[A7]** young Jimmy

[D] When you and I were **[A7]** young, Maggie **[D]** Blues **[D]**↓**[G]**↓ **[D]**↓



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