

# The Rose of Ben Nishaere

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Voice

The musical score is written in 4/4 time on a single treble clef staff. It consists of six lines of music, each with a line of lyrics underneath. Chord symbols (C, F, G, Dm) are placed above the staff at the beginning of each line. The lyrics are: "By the moun-tain glen my lov - er waits, the Rose of Ben Nish-aere. We will tar - ry in the moun-tain glen when eve - ning paints the land. His\_ gold voice gleams on the moun-tain streams like sun - light on his In his crad - ling arms, I will watch the stars; in moon-light we will hair. He will gird me roundin gar-lands; he will hold me thorn-less close; he will dance. I will gird him roundin gar-lands; I will hold him thorn-less close; I will kiss me soft and gen - tle as the dew u - pon the rose. And we'll kiss him soft and gen - tle as the moon-light on the rose. lie a-mong the hea - ther in a bed of moun-tain air, my hawk, my dove, my light, my love, my Rose of Ben Nish - aere."

C F C G Dm F C

By the moun-tain glen my lov - er waits, the Rose of Ben Nish-aere.  
We will tar - ry in the moun-tain glen when eve - ning paints the land.

4 F C G Dm F

His\_ gold voice gleams on the moun-tain streams like sun - light on his  
In his crad - ling arms, I will watch the stars; in moon-light we will

8 C F C F Dm F

hair. He will gird me roundin gar-lands; he will hold me thorn-less close; he will  
dance. I will gird him roundin gar-lands; I will hold him thorn-less close; I will

13 C G Dm F C

kiss me soft and gen - tle as the dew u - pon the rose. And we'll  
kiss him soft and gen - tle as the moon-light on the rose.

17 F G C F G C F G

lie a-mong the hea - ther in a bed of moun-tain air, my hawk, my dove, my

22 C F Dm F C

light, my love, my Rose of Ben Nish - aere.