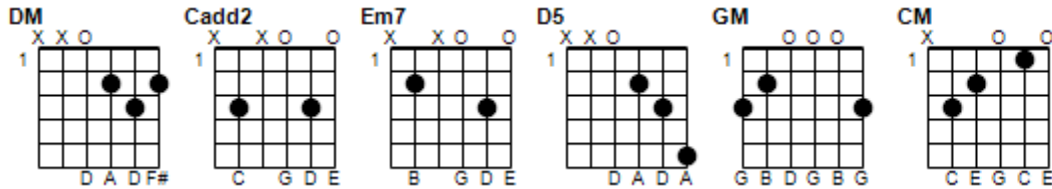


The Bonnie Woods Of Hattan

Traditional

Open

Fingerpicked



DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
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DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 Come comrades and companions and all ye females dear
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 To my sad lamentation, pray lend an ear
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 T'was once I loved a bonnie lass, loved her as my life
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 And it was my sole intention to make that girl my wife
 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 I said "my dearest Betsy when will you name the time
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 When you and I'll be married love and hands together join?
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 You'll sit in our wee cottage and neither spin nor sew
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 As your own true-hearted highland lad goes whistling at the plough"
 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 I courted with yon bonnie lass a twelve month and a day
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 Sometimes among the green grass, sometimes among the hay
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 I courted her the leelong night and part of the next day
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 'till she said "My dearest Andy, it's time you were away"
 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM

There's Castom and there's Caddom mills and leather mills likewise
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 Their woods and waters many more bring pleasure to mine eyes
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 But the bonnie woods o' Hatton they aye grow green in May
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 And it's there the bonnie lassie lived 'stole my heart away
 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 I'll speak about yon bonnie lass though she be far awa
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 I'll speak about yon bonnie lass to those she never saw
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 I'll tell them that I loved her well although she proved untrue
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 And left me down by Hatton woods my follies for to rue
 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 But blessings on yon bonnie lass wherever she may be
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 I wish no evil unto her although she slighted me
 DM Cadd2 DM GM CM DM
 I only hope that she might say one day before she dies
 DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM
 "O I wish I'd wed that highland lad 'sang so sweet to me"
 D5 DM D5

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 D5 DM D5

DM Cadd2 Em7 Cadd2 DM D5
 Yes, it was my sole intention to make that girl my wife