

# Mary Blane

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Andante

The musical score for 'Mary Blane' is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 2/4 time, marked 'Andante'. The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand, both in G major. The melody is marked with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The introduction consists of 9 measures. The vocal entry begins at measure 10, marked with a repeat sign and the key signature of G major. The lyrics are: 'Oh once I knew a gen - tle maid, And took her for my wife; She While through the for - est broad I sped The wild deer's track to gain; An I asked the ea - gle as he soared A - bove the loft - y peak, If'. The piano accompaniment for the vocal part consists of chords in the right hand and single notes in the left hand, corresponding to the lyrics. The chords are G, Am/C, D7(omit 5), and G. The piano part continues for 10 measures, ending with a final chord of G.

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15 G Am/C D7(omit 5) G

came from where the or - ange grows, I loved her as my life. We  
 In - dian band our hut as - sailed And bore off Mar - y Blane. Long,  
 he could see my sto - len bride, His an - swer was a shriek. I

19 D A7/E A7(omit 5) D

hap - py lived no care was ours, She nev - er caused me pain, But  
 long I grieved - and searched the wilds, My ef - forts were in vain; No  
 fol - lowed him when down he plunged To - ward a rock - y plain - And

23 D G A7(omit 5) rit. D N.C. Ad lib.

on one dark and drear - y night, I lost poor Mar - y Blane.  
 one could tell me where to find My much - loved Mar - y Blane. Oh! — fare -  
 there I saw the whit'n - ing bones Of my poor Mar - y Blane.

27 G G G D7(omit 5)

well, fare - well poor Mar - y Blane, One faith - ful heart still beats for you; Fare-

31 G G7/F C/E G C#dim7 G/D D7 G

well, fare - well, poor Mar - y Blane, The fair, the fond and true.

35 D.S.

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