

# The Water of Tyne

trad., arr. J.A. Fuller Maitland

The musical score is written in 6/8 time with a key signature of two sharps (D major). It consists of two systems. The first system starts with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The piano part is marked 'Moderato'. The second system begins at measure 6 and continues with the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: '1. I cannot get to my love if I would dee, The water of Tyne runs be- tween him and me; And here I must stand with the tear in my e'e, Both sighing and sickly my sweetheart to see.'

1. I cannot get to my love if I would dee,  
The water of Tyne runs between him and me;  
And here I must stand with the tear in my e'e,  
Both sighing and sickly my sweetheart to see.
2. O where is the boatman? my bonny hinny!  
O where is the boatman? bring him to me,-  
To ferry me over the Tyne to my honey,  
And I will remember the boatman and thee.
3. O bring me a boatman, I'll give any money,  
And you for your trouble rewarded shall be,  
To ferry me over the Tyne to my honey,  
Or scull him across that rough river to me.

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