

THE ASH GROVE

Welsh

traditional

The musical score for 'The Ash Grove' is written in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of six staves of music. The chords indicated above the notes are: G, Am, D7, G, C, G, D7, G, G, Am, D7, G, Em, D, A7, D7, G, Am, D7, G, C, G, D7, G.

Down yonder green valley, where streamlets meander
Where twilight is fading, I pensively rove
Or at the bright noontide, in solitude wander
Amid the dark shade of the lonely ash grove.

'Tis there where the blackbird is cheerfully singing.
Each warbler enchants with its note from the tree.
'Tis then little think I of sorrow or sadness;
The ash grove, enchanting, spells beauty for me.

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