

# Darling Girl

## Mandolin Orange

It's a darling girl, my darling girl with eyes as dark as night  
and a heart so true but just so strong, set to live a darling life  
As years roll by, she'll grow up fine and she'll sing a silent song  
But she'll find your piano and she'll find her wings  
and she'll sing all the days ...

I'm waiting on a ghost  
To show her love in arms  
and sweet Marie I can see your faint light shining down on me

Well go call on her brother and her sister too  
go call on all the town  
Tell them all today, your darling girl is to wear a wedding gown

And though it all came so fast, ten years soon will pass  
before there's room for three  
My sister will grow, my mother will know  
soon there will be room for me.

I'm waiting on a ghost  
To show her love in arms  
and sweet Marie I can see your faint light shining down on me

Like an old toy top spins and stops  
Or tag ... in the ball  
A long summer's wait come walking down  
She'll be buried in the fall

And now she sleeps with you Marie  
bittersweet is this old world  
They tell me soon my sister too will have a darling girl

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to show her love in arms  
and sweet marie I can see your faint light shining down on me

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