Black Is the Colour

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Black is the color of my true love's hair

Her lips are like a rose so fair

She's got the sweetest face and the gentlest hands

I love the ground whereon she standsI love my love and well she knows

I love the ground whereon she goes

And how I wish the day would come

When she and I can be as oneI go to the Clyde and mourn and weep

Satisfied I never will sleep

I'll write her a letter just a few short lines

And suffer death ten thousand times

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