

# Shackles and Chains

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On a long lonesome journey I'm going  
Oh darling, and please don't you cry  
Though in shackles and chains they will take me  
In prison to stay till I die And at night through the bars, I gaze at the stars  
And I long for your kisses in vain  
A piece of stone I will use for my pillow  
While I'm sleeping in shackles and chains Put your arms through these bars once, my darlin'  
Let me kiss those sweet lips that I love best  
In heartache, you're my consolation  
In sorrow, my haven of rest And at night through the bars, I will gaze at the stars  
The plans that we made were in vain  
A piece of stone I will use as my pillow  
While I'm sleeping in shackles and chains

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