

# Blackbird

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Foretold me I'll remain, my fortune is high  
I've been over courted, my rakish young light  
And I've kept my love's company by night and by day  
But now that he's listed and gone far away For if I were a BLACKBIRD, I'd whistle, I'd sing  
And I'd follow the ship my true love sailed in  
High upon this land, must I dabble my name  
Long I shall I gaze on these lily white banks  
For my laws and the soldiers, many's name told unfair  
There's none in the army come equal to it  
With his red rosy cheeks and his colly black eyes  
His flattering tongue goes my heart to a snack  
For some people's talking that I'm out of my mind  
Some people said that I'm not with the child  
And be talking and say what they will  
When this breath in my body, I done my last will  
For if I were a BLACKBIRD, I'd whistle, I'd sing  
And I'd follow the ship my true love sailed in  
High upon this land, must I dabble my name  
Long I shall I gaze on these lily white banks For if I were a merchant and could handle my band  
I'd write in a letter to him I would send  
Your tendency they're sailing and found wind to blow  
It's a deal to my true love wherever he goes  
For if I were a BLACKBIRD, I'd whistle, I'd sing  
And I'd follow the ship my true love sailed in  
High upon this land, must I dabble my name  
Long I shall I gaze on these lily white banks  
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