

Donna Donna (capo on 3 - Cm) (BR = Bass Run)

Am E Am E Am Dm Am E
On a wagon bound for market there's a calf with a mournful eye
Am E Am E Am Dm E Am
High above him flies a swallow winging swiftly through the sky (BR to G)

[Chorus]

G C Am G C Am
How the winds are laughing, they laugh with all their might
G C E Am E Am
Laugh and laugh the whole day through and half the summer's night (BR to E)
E Am G C Am
Donna donna donna donna, donna donna donna don
E Am E Am
Donna donna donna donna, donna donna donna don (BR to Am)

Am E Am E Am Dm Am E
Stop complaining said the farmer Who told you a calf to be?
Am E Am E Am Dm E Am
Why don't you have wings to fly with like the swallow, so proud and free? (BR to G)

[Chorus]

Am E Am E Am Dm Am E
Calves are easily bound and slaughtered, never knowing the reason why
Am E Am E Am Dm E Am
But whoever treasures freedom like the swallow has learned to fly (BR to G)

[Chorus]

Am E Am E Am Dm Am E
When you're young and when you're able, like the swallow you'll learn to fly
Am E Am E Am Dm E Am
But when you're old and when you're feeble, like the calf you will learn to die (BR to G)

[Chorus]

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[Chorus]

Bb Eb Cm Bb Eb Cm
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Bb Eb Bb Cm Bb Cm
Laugh and laugh the whole day through and half the summer's night (BR to Bb)
Bb Cm Bb Eb Cm
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