

Put on Your Old Grey Bonnet

Tune F-A-C

(1909)

Music: P. Wenrich

For diatonic dulcimer

Lyrics: S. Murphy

Moderate tempo

Arr: Merv Rowley ©2005

F
F
G7
G7

On the old farm house ver - an - da, there sat Si - las and Mi - ran - da, think - ing
 It was in the same old bon - net, with the same blue rib - bon on it, in the

5
Edim
Am
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of the days gone by. - Said he "Dear - ie don't be wea - ry, you were
 old shay by his side, - That he drove her up to Do - ver thro' the

11
G7
G7
Edim
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al - ways bright and cheer - y, But a tear, Dear, fills your eye." - Said
 same old fields of clo - ver, To be - come his hap - py bride. - - The

17
G7
G7
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G7
Am

she "they're tears of glad - ness, Si - las, they're not tears of sad - ness, It is
 birds were sweet - ly sing - ing, and the same old bells were ring - ing as they

21
F#dim
G7
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fif - ty years to - day, since we were wed." -
 pass'd the quaint old church where they were wed. -

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- Then the old man's dim eyes bright-en'd, And his stern old heart it
 - And that night when stars were gleam - ing, The old cou - ple lay a

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28 G7 Edim Am F

light - en'd, as he turn'd to her and said, _____
 dream - ing, dream - ing of the words he'd said, _____

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33 F F Bb Bb

"Put on your old grey bon-net with the blue rib - bon on it, While I

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38 F F G7 C7 F F

hitch old Dobbin to the shay, _____ And thro' the fields of clo - ver, We'll drive

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44 Bb Bb F F C7 F

up to Do - ver on our Gold - en Wed - ding day,"

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