

# *I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen*

Tune D-F#-A

(1876)

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For diatonic dulcimer

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With feeling

1. I'll take you home a - gain, Kath - leen A - cross the  
2. I know you love me, Kath - leen, dear, Your heart was  
3. To that dear home be - yond the sea My Kath - leen

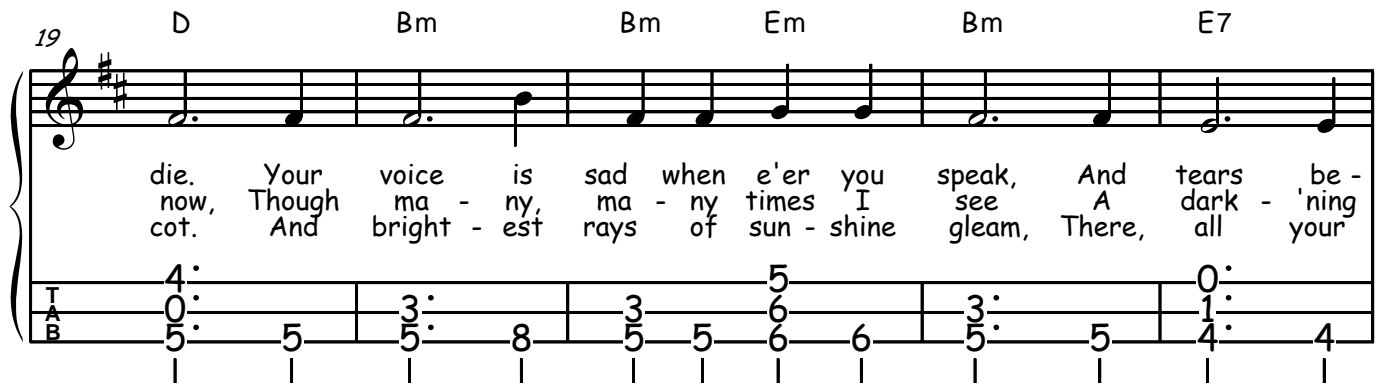
6 oc - ean wild and wide. To where your heart has ev - er  
ev - er fond and true. I al - ways feel when you are  
shall a - gain re - turn. And when thy old friends wel - come

10 been, Since first you were my bon - nie bride. The ro - ses  
near That life holds noth - ing, Dear, but you. The smiles that  
thee, Thy lov - ing heart will cease to yearn. Where laughs the

15 all have left your cheeks. I've watched them fade a - way and  
once you gave to me, I scarce - ly ev - er see them  
lit - tle sil - ver stream, Be - side your moth - er's hum - ble

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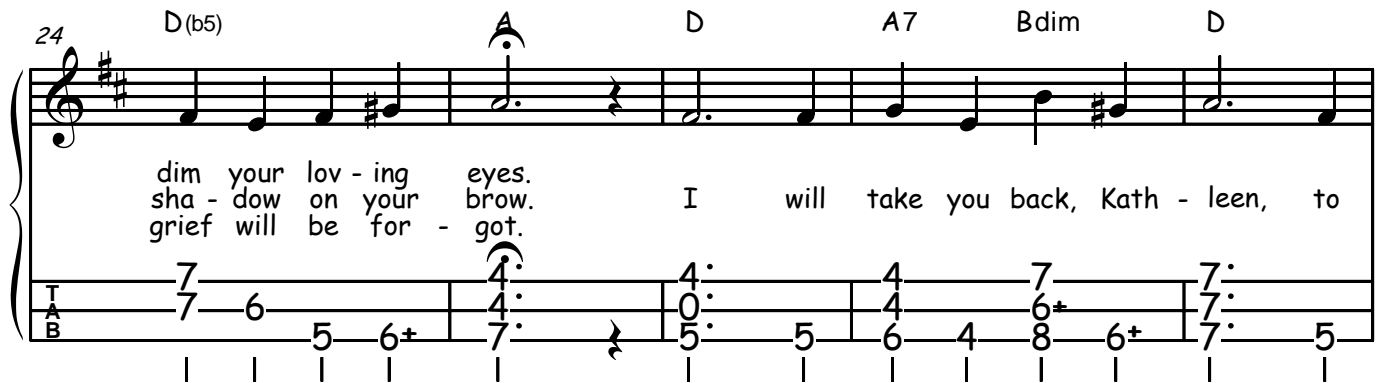
19      D                  Bm                  Bm                  Em                  Bm                  E7



die. Your voice is sad when e'er you speak, And tears be -  
now, Though ma - ny, ma - ny times I see gleam, There, A dark - ning  
cot. And bright - est rays of sun - shine all your

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24      D(b5)                  A                  D                  A7                  Bdim                  D



dim your lov - ing eyes. sha - row on your brow. I will take you back, Kath - leen, to  
grief will be for - got.

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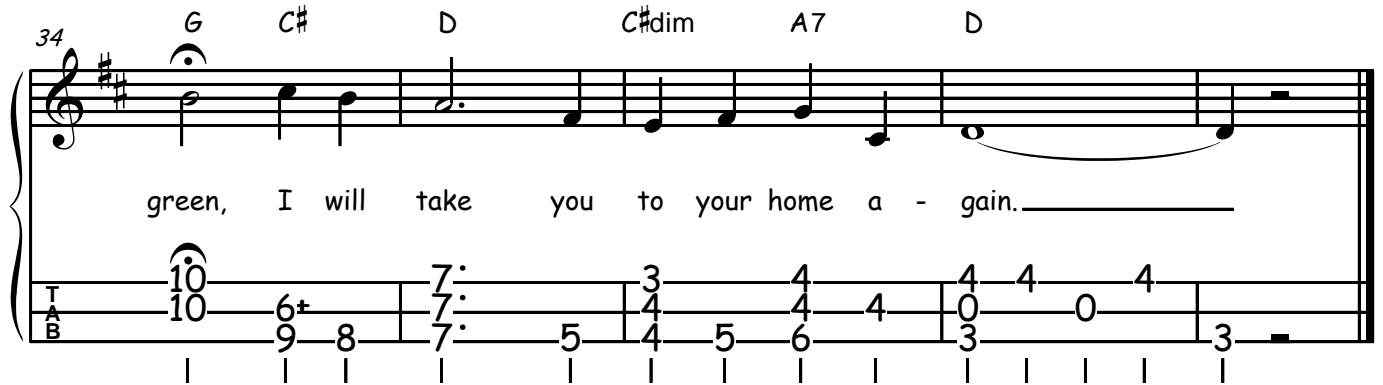
29      F#m                  F#m                  D                  D                  Em                  G



where your heart will feel no pain. And when the fields are fresh and

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34      G                  C#                  D                  C#dim                  A7                  D



green, I will take you to your home a - gain.

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