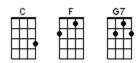
I'll Tell Me Ma

Traditional



INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [C] / [C]

CHORUS:

I'll [C] tell me ma, when [F] I get [C] home
The [G7] boys won't leave, the [C] girls alone
They [C] pull me hair and [F] stole me [C] comb
But [G7] that's all right, till [C] I go home
[C]↓ She is handsome [F]↓ she is pretty
[C]↓ She is the Belle of [G7]↓ Belfast city

[C] She is courtin' [F] \downarrow one [F] \downarrow two [F] \downarrow three [C] Please won't you [G7] tell me [C] who is she [C]

[C] Albert Mooney [F] says he [C] loves her

[G7] All the boys are [C] fightin' for her

They [C] knock on her door, they [F] ring on her [C] bell sayin'

[G7] "Oh me true love [C] are you well?"

[C] Out she comes as [F] white as snow

[C] Rings on her fingers [G7] bells on her toes

[C] Old Jenny Murphy [F] says she'll die

If she [C] doesn't get the [G7] fella with the [C] rovin' eye

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[C] Please won't you [G7] tell me [C] who is she [C]

Let the [C] wind and the rain and the [F] hail blow [C] high

And the [G7] snow come shovellin' [C] from the sky

[C] She's as sweet as [F] apple [C] pie

And [G7] she'll get her own lad [C] by and by

[C] When she gets a [F] lad of her own

She [C] won't tell her ma when [G7] she gets home

[C] Let them all come [F] as they will

But it's [C] Albert [G7] Mooney [C] she loves still

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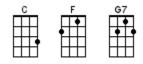
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