

WILDWOOD FLOWER

G **D** **G**
Oh, I'll twine with my ringlets and waving black hair
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With the roses so red and the lilies so fair
G **C** **G**
And the myrtle so bright with the emerald hue
G **D** **G**
The pale aeronauts with eyes of bright blue

I will dance, I will sing, and my Life shall be gay
I will charm every heart and his crown I will sway
When I woke from my dream and my idols of clay
Our portion of love had all gone away

Oh, he taught me to love him and promise to love
Through ill and misfortune all others above
How my heart is now wondering no misery can tell
He's left me no warning, no word of farewell

Oh, he taught me to love him, he called me his flower
That was blooming to cheer him through life's dreary hour
Oh, I longed to see him and regret the dark hour
He's gone and neglected this pale wildwood flower