LAURA LEE
Ballad
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VOICE.

GUITAR.

Why has thy merry face Gone from my side, Lea-ving each cherish'd place

Cheerless and void! Why has the happy dream, Blen-ded with thee,

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2.
Far from all pleasure torn,
   Sad and alone,
How doth my spirit mourn
   While thou art gone!
How like a desert isle
   Earth seems to me,
Robbed of thy sunny smile,
   Sweet Laura Lee!

3.
When will thy winning voice
   Breathe on mine ear?
When will my heart rejoice
   Finding thee near!
When will we roam the plain
   Joyous and free,
Never to part again
   Sweet Laura Lee!
When will we roam the plain
   Joyous and free,
Never to part again
   Sweet Laura Lee!