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in the Dell

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1. Oh, well I remem-ber the
2. Though fair was the blush of the
3. With eyes of a beau-ti-ful

day,
rose,
blue,

In the bright, beauti-ful month of May;
Although pure were the blue vi-o-let blows,
With a heart ev-er sin-cere and true,

When I Of them With a

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first met sweet ro - sy cheek'd Nell, 
all, not a flow'r in the dell 
smile bright as summer sun's rays, 
At the old grape-vine swing in the 
Could compare with sweet golden hair'd 
With a voice sweet as nightingale 

dell; Blooming flow'rs to the branches a - round us were cling - ing, And their 
Nell; When the dew on the grass in the val - ley was ly - ing, When the 
lays, Oh, I long for the day of sweet rapture and pleas - ure, That I'll 

fragrant breath was borne on the air, While the birds in the trees sweet songs were 
summer sky was cloudless and blue, When the winds thro' the trees were soft - ly 
married be to my true hearted Nell; And there's one thing our hearts will ev - er 

sing - ing. And all na - ture seemed so smiling and fair. 
sigh - ing. At the swing we met, our vows to re - new. 
treas - ure, 'Tis that dear old grape - vine swing in the dell.
**CHORUS.**

**SOPRANO.**

Oh, how dear is that old spot to my heart! Sweet, pleasant thoughts it will ever impart; There I

**ALTO.**

Oh, how dear is that old spot to my heart! Sweet, pleasant thoughts it will ever impart; There I

**TENOR.**

Dear to my heart,

**BASS.**

Dear to my heart,

**PIANO.**

Thoughts 'twill impart,

Thoughts 'twill impart,

first met blue-eyed, golden haired Nell,

At the old grape-vine swing in the dell.

Golden haired Nell,

At the old swing in the dell.

**GRAPe-VIINE SWIiNG IN THE DELL.**