

The Girl I Left Behind Me

The musical score is written on five staves in a 4/4 time signature with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The lyrics are: I'm _____ lone - - some since I cross'd the hill And o'er the moor__ and__ val - - ley; Such __ hea - vy thoughts my heart do fill, Since part - ing with my _ Sal - ly. I __ seek no more the fine and gay, For each does but re - mind me How _ swift the hours did pass a - way With the girl I've left be - - hind me.

I'm lonesome since I cross'd the hill
And o'er the moor and valley;
Such heavy thoughts my heart do fill,
Since parting with my Sally.

I seek no more the fine and gay,
For each does but remind me
How swift the hours did pass away
With the girl I've left behind me.

Oh ne'er shall I forget the night,
The stars were bright above me,
And gently lent their silv'ry light,
When first she vow'd she loved me.

But now I'm bound to Brighton camp,
Kind Heav'n may favor find me,
And send me safely back again
To the girl I've left behind me.