

## Cupid's Garden

The image shows a musical score for the song 'Cupid's Garden'. It consists of five staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 4/4 time signature. The lyrics are: 'Twas down in Cup - id's gar - - den I \_\_\_ wand - ered for # to view. The second staff continues: The sweet and \_\_\_ love - ly flow - - ers that \_\_\_ in the gar - den grew \_\_\_. The third staff: And \_\_\_ one it was sweet jas - - min the \_\_\_ li - ly pink and rose \_\_\_. The fourth staff: They are the fin - - est flow - - - - ers. The fifth staff: That \_\_\_ in the gar - - den grow, that in the gar - den \_\_\_ grow.

'Twas down in Cupid's Garden I wandered for the view  
The sweet and lovely flowers that in the garden grew  
And one it was sweet jasmin, the lily, pink and rose,  
They are the finest flowers that in the garden grow,  
That in the garden grow.

I had not been in the garden but scarcely half an hour  
When I held two maidens sat under a shady bower,  
And one was lovely Nancy so beautiful and fair  
The other was a virgin and did the laurels wear,  
And did the laurels wear.

I boldly stepp-ed up to them and unto them did say,  
Are you engaged to any young man, come tell to me, I pray,  
No, I'm not engaged to any young man I solemnly declare  
I mean to stay a virgin and still the laurels wear  
And still the laurels wear.

So hand in hand together this loving couple went,  
To view the secrets of her heart was the sailor's full intent,  
Or whether she would slight him while he to the wars did go.  
Her answer was, "Not I, my love, for I love a sailor bold,  
I love a sailor bold."

It's down in Portsmouth harbour there's a ship lies waiting there,  
Tomorrow to the seas I go, let the wind blow high or fair,  
And if I should live to return again how happy I shall be  
With you, my love, my own true-love, sitting smiling on my knee  
Sit smiling on my knee.