

2 IN THE SHADE OF THE OLD APPLE TREE

(1905)

As sung by the GALA LADS 1963 International Champions

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With a heart that is true, I'll be wait - ing for

you, — In the shade of the old ap - ple tree. —

VERSE

1. The o - ri - ole with joy was sweet - ly sing - ing, — The
real - ly come a long way from the cit - y, — And

Sing - ing, sweet - ly sing - ing
Cit - y, from the cit - y

lit - tle brook was bab' - ling its tune, The vil - lage bells at noon were gai - ly
though my heart is breaking I'll be brave, I've brought this bunch of flow'rs I think they're

Sing - ing, sweet - ly sing - ing
Cit - y, from the cit - y

ring - ing — The world seem'd bright - er than a har - vest moon; For
pret - ty — To place up - on a fresh - ly mould - ed grave; If

Ring - ing, gai - ly ring - ing
Pret - ty, ve - ry pret - ty

Ring - ing, gai - ly ring - ing
Pret - ty, ve - ry pret - ty

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there with - in my arms I gent - ly pressed you, — And
 you will show me, fa - ther, where she's ly - ing, — Or

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blush - ing red, you slow - ly turned a - way, I can't for - get the way I once ca -
 if it's far just point it out to me, Said he "she told us all when she was

22 23 24

ressed you; I on - ly pray we'll meet an - oth - er day. (an - oth - er day)
 dy - ing, To bur - y her be - neath the ap - ple tree. (the ap - ple tree)

CHORUS

25 26 27 28 29

In the shade of the old ap ple tree, — Where the love in your

30 31 32 33 34 35

eyes I could see, — When the voice that I heard, like the song of the

bird, Seem'd to whis-per sweet mu-sic to me; I could

hear the dull buzz of the bee, In the blos-soms as

you said to me, With a heart that is true, I'll be

wait-ing for you, In the shade of the old ap-ple

tree. 2. I've in the shade of the old ap-ple tree.

Second verse: Tenor, baritone and bass should hum while Lead sings lyrics.