



Hares on the Mountains



A popular song found in many versions by Cecil Sharp and other folk-song collectors in the west of England. It should be sung slowly, with great feeling. It expresses the sweetly remembered joys of pursuit better than any other song in the language.

Moderato

E^b A^b E^b A^b E^b A^b E^b

Young wo-men, they run like hares on the moun-tain; Young

B^b B^b7 E^b A^b E^b

wo-men they run — like hares on the moun-tain, If

A^b E^b B^b A^b E^b

I were but a young man I'd soon go a - hunt-ing, To my

molto rit. *affrettando*