

Bonny Light Horseman

When Bonaparte he commanded his troops for to stand
And he leveled his cannon all over the land
He leveled his cannon the whole victory to gain
And he killed my light horseman returning from Spain

Chorus:

*Brokenhearted I will wander for the loss of my lover
He's my bonny light horseman in the wars he was slain*

If you saw my love on sentry on a cold winters day
With his red rosy cheeks and his color so gay
All mounted on horseback the whole victory to gain
And it's over the battlefield my love he did range

Chorus: Broken hearted...

Oh if I were a blackbird and I had wings to fly
I would fly to the spot where my true love did lie
And with my little fluttering wings his wounds I would heal
And it's all of the night on his breast I'd remain

Chorus: Broken hearted...

And the dove she laments for her mate as she flies
Oh where tell me where is my true love she cries
And where in this wide world is there one to compare
With my bonny light horseman who was slain in the war

Chorus: Broken hearted...

Oh Napoleon Bonaparte I have done you no harm
So why tell me why have you caused this alarm
We were happy together my true love and me
But now you have stretched him in his grave over the sea