

# Shine On Harvest Moon

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A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup> A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup> G<sup>m</sup>  
 The night was mighty dark so you could hardly see,  
 D<sup>m</sup> B<sup>b7</sup> A<sup>7</sup>  
 For the moon refused to shine.  
 D<sup>m</sup> A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup>  
 Couple sitting underneath a willow tree  
 G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
 For love they pine.

Little maid was kinda 'fraid of darkness  
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So she said, "I guess I'll go."

G<sup>7</sup> A<sup>m</sup> G<sup>7</sup> A<sup>m</sup>  
 Boy began to sigh, looked up at the sky,  
 D<sup>m</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>o</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
 Told the moon his little tale of woe

D<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>  
 Shine on, shine on harvest moon up in the sky.  
 C<sup>6</sup> C<sup>7</sup> C<sup>6</sup> C<sup>7</sup> F B<sup>b</sup> F  
 I ain't had no lovin' since January, February, June or July,  
 D<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>  
 Snow time ain't no time to stay outdoors and spoon,  
 C<sup>6</sup> C<sup>7</sup> C<sup>6</sup> C<sup>7</sup> F B<sup>b</sup> F  
 So shine on, shine on harvest moon, for me and my gal.

A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup> A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup> G<sup>m</sup>  
 I can't see why a boy should sigh when by his side  
 D<sup>m</sup> B<sup>b7</sup> A<sup>7</sup>  
 Is the girl he loves so true.  
 D<sup>m</sup> A<sup>7</sup> D<sup>m</sup>  
 All he has to say is, "Won't you be my bride,  
 G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
 For I love you."

"Why would I be telling you this secret  
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When I know that you can guess?"  
 G<sup>7</sup> A<sup>m</sup> G<sup>7</sup> A<sup>m</sup>  
 Harvest moon will smile, shine on all the while,  
 D<sup>m</sup> G<sup>7</sup> C<sup>o</sup> C<sup>7</sup>  
 If the little girl should answer, "Yes."

Soprano

Baritone

