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## Paroles de chanson

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# Scarborough Fair

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*Album : VA - Long Live Guitar*

(both)

Are you going to Scarborough Fair?

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Remember me to one who lives there,

For she once was a true love of mine.

(man)

Tell her to make me a cambric shirt,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Without any seam nor needlework,

**And then she'll be a true love of mine.**

Tell her to wash it in yonder dry well,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Which never sprung water nor rain ever fell,

**And then she'll be a true love of mine.**

Tell her to dry it on yonder thorn,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Which never bore blossom since Adam was born,

**And then she'll be a true love of mine.**

Ask her to do me this courtesy,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

And ask for a like favour from me,

**And then she'll be a true love of mine.**

(both)

Have you been to Scarborough Fair?

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Remember me from one who lives there,

For he once was a true love of mine.

(woman)

Ask him to find me an acre of land,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Between the salt water and the sea-sand,

**For then he'll be a true love of mine.**

Ask him to plough it with a lamb's horn,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

And sow it all over with one peppercorn,

**For then he'll be a true love of mine.**

Ask him to reap it with a sickle of leather,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

And gather it up with a rope made of heather,

**For then he'll be a true love of mine.**

When he has done and finished his work,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Ask him to come for his cambric shirt,

**For then he'll be a true love of mine.**

(both)

If you say that you can't, then I shall reply,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

Oh, Let me know that at least you will try,

Or you'll never be a true love of mine.

Love imposes impossible tasks,

**Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme,**

But none more than any heart would ask,

I must know you're a true love of mine.

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