Donna Donna

Traditional

Verse 1
Am E7 Am E7 Am Dm F E7 On a wagon bound for market there's a calf with a mournful eye.
Am E7 Am E7 Am Dm F G Am G High above him there's a swallow winging swiftly through the sky
Chorus
How the winds are laughing, they laugh with all their might.
C E7/B Am E E7 Am Laugh and laugh the whole day through and half the summers night
Donna, Do
E Donna Donna, E7 Donna. Donna, Donna
Verse 2
"Stop complaining" said the farmer, "Who told you what had to be?
Why don't you have wings to fly with, like the swallow, so proud and free?"
Chorus
How the winds are laughing, they laugh with all their might.
C E7/B Am E E7 Am Laugh and laugh the whole day through and half the summers night
Donna, Do
Donna Donna, Donna. Donna, Don
Verse 3
Calves are easily bound and slaughtered never knowing the reason why.
But whomever treasures freedom like the swallow has learned to fly
Outro/Chorus
How the winds are laughing, they laugh with all their might.
C E7/B Am E E7 Am Laugh and laugh the whole day through and half the summers night
Donna Donna, Don
Donna Donna, Donna. Donna, Don
Donna, Donna, Donna, Don