

# Gathering Mushrooms

Clannad

Rising early out of bed, across the fields I steered O  
When oh and I, a woman I spied  
A pretty fair maid appeared O  
Her head was bare, I do declare  
She had neither hat nor feather on  
And she stooped so low  
Gave me to know it was mushrooms she was gathering O  
Oh gathering O, and she stooped so low, gave me to know  
It was mushrooms she was gathering O

"Where are you going?" says I, "My dear  
Why are you up so early O?  
I've seen you on the dewy grass before the sower early O"  
Quite modestly she answered me  
And she gave her head one fetch up  
And she said, "I am gathering mushrooms  
To make my mammy ketchup O"  
Oh ketchup O, and she said  
"I am gathering mushrooms  
To make my mammy ketchup O"

Her parting breast on mine she pressed  
Her heart was like a feather O  
And her lips on mine do gentle join  
And we both sat down together O  
Together O, and her lips on mine do gentle join  
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