

## Sleepy Desert

Uncle Earl

Awake, awake, you sleepy desert  
Awake, awake, it's a-comin' day  
Stick your head out of the window  
And see what your true lover says

Some people say that courting's pleasure  
Oh what pleasure do I see  
The dearest girl in this world  
Has gone and turned her back on me

Awake, awake...

You needn't to bother asking my papa  
He's in his room taking his rest  
And in his hand he holds a weapon  
To kill the man that I love best

Awake, awake...

I have no one to follow to the bedroom  
I have no one to sleep with me  
I have a wife way up in heaven  
And the lord knows she loves me

Awake, awake...