Wild Mountain Thyme

Verse 1

O the summer time has come And the trees are sweetly bloomin' And the wild mountain thyme Grows around the bloomin' heather Will ye go Lassie Go?

Chorus

And we'll all go together
To pull wild mountain thyme
All around the bloomin' heather
Will ye go Lassie Go?

Verse 2

I will build my love a bower By yon cool crystal fountain And round it I will pile All the wild flowers o' the mountain Will ye go Lassie Go?

Chorus

Verse 3

If my true love she'll not come Then I'll surely find another To pull wild mountain thyme All around the bloomin' heather Will ye go Lassie Go?

Chorus x 2

Wild mountain thyme – is the flower on the heather bush, which has purple and pink flowers and often covers whole hillsides in summer

Bower - a pleasant shady place under trees or climbing plants in a wood