

# Merry Widow Waltz (Love Remained) music

by Franz Lehar (1905) and lyrics by Sidney D. Mitchell (1925)

C C C C G7 C G7 G7  
Long ago a belle and beau with hearts in tune  
G7 G7 G7 G7 C G7 C C7  
Met and danced became entranced and parted soon  
F G7 C Am Dm Dm6 E7 E7  
For the dance was over when the music waned  
G7 G7 C F Dm7 G7 C<sub>(hold)</sub> C  
That was oh! So long ago but love remained

*Slowly on chorus*

Dm7 G7 C C  
Although they said good-bye the parting made them sigh  
Dm7 G7 C C  
And soon they wondered why their lonesome hearts began to cry  
Dm7 Dm7 C C<sub>(sus6)</sub>  
For tho' they were far apart, each had a sad and lonely heart  
Dm7 G7<sub>(sus6)</sub> C C  
The kind of lonely heart that pained for love remained.

Lovers often hum this soft and sweet refrain  
Even after youth and laughter cease to reign  
It recalls a night when hearts were unrestrained  
With the dawn that night was gone but love remained

# Happy Birthday music by Franz Lehar (1905) and lyrics by Tom Chapin (1989)

Happy Birthday, Happy birthday, We love you.  
Happy Birthday and may all your dreams come true.  
When you blow out the candles, one light stays aglow.  
It's the love light in your eyes, where'er you go.