

Oh, Promise Me

lyrics by Clement Scott and music by Reginald de Koven (1887)

F *F* *F* *F*
Oh promise me that some day you and I,
Gm7 *Bbm* *F* *C7*
Will take our love together to some sky.
Gm *Gm* *Gm* *Gm*
Where we can be alone and faith renew,
Bb *Bb* *A6* *C7*
And find the hollows where those flowers grew.

F *Dm* *Am9* *C*
Those first sweet violets of early spring,
Bb *Gm7* *D9* *A7*
Which come in whispers thrill us both and sing
Bb *C7* *Dm7* *Gm7*^(½) *C7#5*^(½)
Of love unspeakable that is to be,
F *C7* *F* *Dm7* *Gm7* *C7*
Oh promise me, oh promise me.

F *F* *F* *F*
Oh promise me that you will take my hand,
Gm7 *Bbm* *F* *C7*
The most unworthy in this lonely land.
Gm *Gm* *Gm* *Gm*
And let me sit beside you in your eyes,
Bb *Bb* *A6* *C7*
Seeing the vision of our paradise.

F *Dm* *Am9* *C*
Hearing God's message while the voices roll,
Gm7 *Gm7* *D7* *A7*
They're mighty music to our very souls.
Bb *C7* *Dm7* *Gm7*^(½) *C7#5*^(½)
No love less perfect than a life with thee,
F *C7* *F* *Dm7*
Oh promise me, oh promise me.