

# The Star of the county Down

Traditional Irish  
arr. Mark Armstrong

The musical score is arranged in a standard orchestral format with the following parts from top to bottom:

- Voice:** Four measures of whole rests.
- Flute:** Four measures of whole rests, followed by a seven-note ascending scale in the fourth measure, marked *p*.
- Oboe:** Four measures of whole rests, followed by a seven-note ascending scale in the fourth measure, marked *p*.
- Clarinet:** Four measures of whole rests.
- Horn:** Four measures of whole rests.
- Harp:** Four measures of whole notes, marked *p*.
- Vln 1:** Four measures of eighth-note triplets, marked *p*.
- Vln 2:** Four measures of eighth-note triplets, marked *p*.
- Viola:** Four measures of eighth-note triplets, marked *p*.
- Cello:** Four measures of whole rests.
- CB (Double Bass):** Four measures of whole notes, marked *pizz.* and *p*.
- Timp (Timpani):** Four measures of whole rests.
- Glock (Glockenspiel):** Four measures of whole rests.



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Voice

Flute

Oboe

Cl.

Horn

Harp

Vln 1

Vln 2

Viola

Cello

CB

Timp

Glock

13

Voice

Near to

13

Flute

13

Oboe

13

Cl.

13

Horn

13

Harp

13

Vln 1

13

Vln 2

13

Viola

13

Cello

13

CB

13

Timp

13

Glock

17

Voice

Ban - bridge town in the Coun - ty Down one morn - ing — in Ju - ly, down a

17

Flute

17

Oboe

17

Cl.

17

Horn

17

Harp

17

17

Vln 1

17

Vln 2

17

Viola

17

Cello

17

CB

17

Timp

17

Glock

21

Voice

bor - een green came a sweet col - leen and she smiled as she passed me by. She

21

Flute

21

Oboe

21

Cl.

21

Horn

21

Harp

21

Vln 1

21

Vln 2

21

Viola

21

Cello

21

CB

21

Timp

21

Glock



29

Voice

coax - ing elf, sure I shook my - self for to see I was real - ly there. From

29

Flute

29

Oboe

29

Cl.

29

Horn

29

Harp

29

Vln 1

29

Vln 2

29

Viola

29

Cello

29

CB

29

Timp

29

Glock



33

Voice

Ban-try Bay up to Der - ry Quay and from Gal - way to Dub - lin\_\_ town. No

33

Flute

*mf*

33

Oboe

*mf*

33

Cl.

*mf*

33

Horn

33

Harp

*mf*

33

Vln 1

*mf*

33

Vln 2

*mf*

33

Viola

*mf*

33

Cello

*mf*

33

CB

*mf*

33

Timp

*mf*

33

Glock

*mf*

37

Voice

maid I've seen like the brown col - leen that I met in the coun - ty Down.

37

Flute

37

Oboe

37

Cl.

37

Horn

37

Harp

37

Vln 1

37

Vln 2

37

Viola

37

Cello

37

CB

37

Timp

37

Glock

41

Voice

41

Flute

41

Oboe

41

Cl.

41

Horn

41

Harp

41

Vln 1

41

Vln 2

41

Viola

41

Cello

41

CB

41

Timp

41

Glock

45

Voice

As she on-ward sped sure I scratched my head and I looked with a feel-in'  
The Har-vest Fair she'll be sure - ly there and I'll dress in my Sun-day clothes,

45

Flute

45

Oboe

45

Cl.

45

Horn

45

Harp

45

Vln 1

45

Vln 2

45

Viola

45

Cello

45

CB

45

Timp

45

Glock

49

Voice

rare. And I says, says I to a pas - ser by, 'Who's the maid with the nut-brown  
— With my shoes shone bright and my hat cocked right for a smile from my nut-brown

49

Flute

49

Oboe

49

Cl.

49

Horn

49

Harp

49

Vln 1

49

Vln 2

49

Viola

49

Cello

49

CB

49

Timp

49

Glock

53

Voice

hair?' He smiled at me and he says, says he, 'That's the gem of Ire - land's  
rose. No pipe I'll smoke, no horse I'll yoke Till my plough turns rust col - oured

53

Flute

53

Oboe

53

Cl.

53

Horn

53

Harp

53

Vln 1

53

Vln 2

53

Viola

53

Cello

53

CB

53

Timp

53

Glock

57

Voice

crown. Sure it's Ro-sie Mc-Cann from the banks of the Bann, she's the star of the Coun - ty  
brown, Till my smil-ing\_\_ bride by my own fire - side sits the star of the Coun - ty

57

Flute

57

Oboe

57

Cl.

57

Horn

57

Harp

57

57

Vln 1

57

Vln 2

57

Viola

57

Cello

57

CB

57

Timp

57

Glock

61

Voice

Down. From Ban - try Bay up to Der - ry Quay and from Gal - way to Dub - lin —  
Down

61

Flute

61

Oboe

61

Cl.

61

Horn

61

Harp

61

Vln 1

61

Vln 2

61

Viola

61

Cello

61

CB

61

Timp

61

Glock



65

Voice

town. No maid I've seen like the brown col-leen that I met in the coun-ty

65

Flute

65

Oboe

65

Cl.

65

Horn

65

Harp

65

Vln 1

65

Vln 2

65

Viola

65

Cello

65

CB

65

Timp

65

Glock

