

# Cherry Tree Carol

When Jo - seph was an old man an old man was
D / / G D D A7 D G D / / /

he he mar - ried Vir - gin Ma - ry the queen of Gal - i -
A D A7 G D A7 D G D / / / A7

lee He mar - ried Vir - gin Ma - ry the Queen of Gal - i - lee
F#m / A7 G D A7 D G D / / / A7 D

Joseph and Mary walked through an orchard green  
There were cherries and berries as thick as might be seen (2x)

Mary said to Joseph so meek and so mild  
"Won't you gather me some cherries, for I am with child (2x)

Then Joseph flew in anger, in anger flew he  
"Let the father of the baby gather cherries for thee (2x)

Then up spoke baby Jesus, from in Mary's womb  
"Bend down the tallest branch that my mother might have some (2x)

Then bent the tallest branch 'till it touched Mary's hand  
Cried she "oh look thou Joseph, I have cherries by command (2x)

Then Joseph took Mary all on his right knee  
"Oh what have I done Lord, have mercy on me (2x)