

# Scarborough Fair/Canticle

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**Intro:**

Em . . | . . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . |  
Are— you go-ing to Scar— bo-rough Fair—

G . . . | Em . . | \*G\ \*A . | Em . . | . . . | . . . |  
Pars-ley, sage— rose—ma-ry and thyme—

. | . . . | G . . | G\ F#m\ Em\ | D . \*Dsus4\ D\ | Dsus4\ D . |  
Re-mem—ber me— to one who lives the-ere—

Em . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
She— once was— a true love of mine—

Em . . | . . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . | G

Tell her to make me a cam— bric shirt—

*On the side of a hill in the deep for-est green*

. . . | Em . . | \*G\ \*A . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
Pars-ley, sage— rose—ma-ry and thyme—  
*trac-ing of spar-row on snow- crest-ed brown*

. | . . . | G . . . | G\ F#m\ Em | D . \*Dsus4\ D\ | Dsus4\ D . |  
With-out— no seams— nor nee—ee—dle work

*Blank-ies and bed-clothes, the child of the*

Em . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
Then— she'll be— a true love of mine.  
*Sleeps un—a—ware of the clar—i—on call—*

Em . . | . . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . | G

Tell her— to find me an a—cre of land—

*On the side of a hill a sprink-ling of leaves*

. . . | Em . . | \*G\ \*A . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
Pars-ley, sage— rose—ma-ry and thy—y—yme—  
*Wash-es the grave— with sil- ver- y tears—*

. | . . . . | G . . . | G\ F#m\ Em\ | D . \*Dsus4\ D\ | Dsus4\ D . |  
Be- tween the salt wa—ter and the sea stra-ands  
A sol—dier cleans— and polish—es a

Em . . | D . . . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
Then— she'll be— a true love of mine—  
*gun.*

Em . . | D . . | Em . . | G  
Tell her— to reap it— with a sick-le— of leath-er—  
*War bel-lows blaz-ing in scar-let bat-tal-ions*

| Em . . | \*G\ \*A . | Em . . | . . . | . . . |  
Pars-ley, sage— rose—ma-ry and thyme——  
*Gen-er-als or—der their sol-diers to kill—*

| . . . | G . . | G\ F#m\ Em\ | D . . \*Dsus4\ D\ | Dsus4\ D . |  
And gath-er it all— in a bu—unch of heath-er,  
*And to fight for a cause— they've long a-go for-*

Em . . | D . . | Em . . | . . . | . . . | . . . |  
Then— she'll be— a true love of mine——  
*got-ten*

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Re-mem—ber me— to one who lives the-ere——

Em . . | D . . | Em . . | . . . |  
She— once was— a true love of mine——

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A	-----	2	2	-----	2	2	-----	2	2	-----	2	2	-----	
E	-----	3	3	-----	3	3	-----	3	3	-----	3	3	-----	
C	-----	4	4	-----	4	4	-----	4	4	-----	4	4	-----	
G	-----			-----			-----			-----				