

# **EILEEN OG**

(The Pride of Petravore)

(Percy French)

[Em] EILEEN OGE, AND THAT THE DARLIN'S NAME IS  
[D] THRU THE BARONY HER FEATURES THEY WERE FAMOUS  
AND [Em] IF WE LOVED HER, WHO WAS THERE TO BLAME US  
FOR WASN'T SHE THE [B] PRIDE OF PETRA- [Em] VORE?

[C] BUT HER BEAUTY [G] MADE US ALL SO SHY  
[B] NOT A MAN AROUND COULD [Em] LOOK HER IN THE EYE  
[C] BOYS, OH BOYS! - SURE [G] THAT'S THE REASON WHY  
WE'RE IN [Em] MOURNING  
FOR THE [B] PRIDE OF PETRA- [Em] VORE!

*[C] EILEEN OGE, MY [G] HEART IS GROWING GREY  
[B] EVER SINCE THE DAY YOU [Em] WANDERED FAR AWAY  
[C] EILEEN OGE, THERE'S [G] GOOD FISH IN THE SEA  
BUT THERE'S [Em] NONE THAT'S LIKE  
THE [B] PRIDE OF PETRA- [Em] VORE!*

FRIDAY AT THE FAIR IN BALLINTUBBER  
EILEEN MET MCGRATH THE CATTLE JOBBER  
I'D LIKE TO SET MY MARK UPON THE ROBBER  
FOR HE STOLE AWAY THE PRIDE OF PETRAVORE!  
HE NEVER SEEMED TO SEE THE GIRL AT ALL  
EVEN WHEN SHE OGLED HIM FROM UNDERNEATH HER SHAWL  
LOOKING BIG AND MASTERFUL WHILE SHE WAS LOOKING SMALL -  
MOST PROVOKING FOR THE PRIDE OF PETRAVORE!

BOYS OH BOYS! WITH FATE IT'S HARD TO GRAPPLE  
OF MY EYE THIS EILEEN WAS THE APPLE  
AND NOW TO SEE HER WALKING TO THE CHAPEL  
WITH THE HARDEST MEANEST MAN IN PETRAVORE!  
AND NOW, MY BOYS, THIS IS ALL I HAVE TO SAY  
WHEN YOU DO YOUR COURTING, MAKE NO DISPLAY  
IF YOU WANT THEM TO RUN AFTER YOU  
JUST WALK THE OTHER WAY  
FOR THEY'RE MOSTLY LIKE THE PRIDE OF PETRAVORE!