## Tell Me, Ma

Tell me, Ma, when I go home The boys won't leave the girls alone They pull my hair, they stole my comb But, that's alright, 'til I go home She is handsome, she is pretty She is the belle of Belfast City She is a-courting one, two, three Please, won't you tell me who is she?

Albert Mooney says he loves her All the boys are fighting for her Knock at the door and they ring that bell Oh, my true love, are you well? Out she comes, as white as snow Rings on her fingers and bells on her toes Johnny Murphy says, "She'll die If she doesn't get the fella with the roving eye" She is handsome, she is pretty She is the belle of Belfast City She is a-courting one, two, three Please, won't you tell me who is she? Let the wind and the rain and the hail blow high And the snow come a-tumbling from the sky She's as nice as apple pie And she'll get her own lad, by and by When she gets a lad of her own She won't tell her Ma, 'til she gets home Let them all come, as they will For it's Albert Mooney she loves still She is handsome, she is pretty She is the belle of Belfast City She is a-courting one, two, three Please, won't you tell me who is she? She is handsome, she is pretty She is the belle of Belfast City She is a-courting one, two, three Please, won't you tell me who is she?