

Bonny At Morn

Traditional Northumberland Folk Song



Em Am Dm G Em Am

The sheep's in the mea-dows, The kye's in the corn, Thou's o - wer lang in thy bed,

8 G Am Em Am Dm G

Bon - ny at morn. The sheep's in the mea-dows, The kye's in the corn, Thou's

14 Am C Em Am Am

o - wer lang in thy bed, Bon - ny at morn. Can - ny at night,

20 G F C Am Em C Em Am

Bon - ny at morn, Thou's o - wer lang in thy bed, Bon - ny at morn.

The bird's in the nest
The trout's in the burn,
Thou hinders thy mother
In many a turn.
Canny at night,
Bonny at morn,
Thou's ower long in thy bed
Bonny at morn.

We're all laid idle
Wi' keeping the bairn,
The lad winnot work
And the lass winnot lairn,
Canny at night,
Bonny at morn,
Thou's ower long in thy bed
Bonny at morn.

Boony is the lazy son who stays in bed in the mornings and stops everyone getting on with their work. However there is also an adored new baby in the family Who also keeps people up.