

In wilderness

Anonym

1. In wil - der - ness There found I Bess, Se - cret a - lone,
 2. "A - las", she said, "I was a maid As o - thers be,
 3. A wan - ton child Spake wor - des mild To me a - lone,
 4. Now it is so, Leave off my woe With good de - vise.

In great dis - tress, Re - me - di - less, Ma - - king her moan.
 And at - a - braid I was a - fraid Right pi - teous - ly.
 And me be - guiled, Got - ten with child And now is gone.
 And let him with sor - row al - so and play the wise.

5. Now may I wind With - out a friend With heart un - fain;
 6. These young men say In sport and play, "Go watch a bird!
 7. I can - not keep But sore I weep And all for one;
 8. A - las, that ge Has thus left me My self a - lone.

In far count - ry Men ween I be A maid a - - - gain.
 Men telleth in town When clothes be down The smock is hid.
 So from my heart Shall he not start thof he be gone.
 In wil - der - ness, Re - me - di - less, Ma - - king my moan.