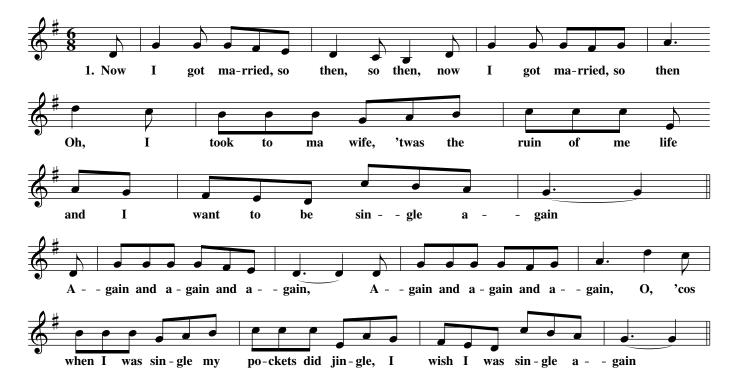
I Wish I was Single again



- 2. Now, my wife she took fever, so then, so then My wife she caught fever, so then Oh, my wife she caught fever, I hope it won't leave her I want to be single again Again and again and again, Again and again and again Oh, my wife she caught fever I hope it wont leave her, I want to be single again.
- 3. Now, my poor wife she died, so then, so then My poor wife she died, so then Oh, my poor wife she died, and I laughed 'til I cried I want to be single again Again and again and again, Again and again and again And when I was single my pockets did jingle I want to be single again.
- 4. Now, I took to another, so then, so then I took to another, so then Oh, I took to another, she turned out a bother And I want to be single again Again and again and again, Again and again and again And when I was single my pockets did jingle I want to be single again.

5. So, all you young men who have wives, have wives All you young men who have wives
Take care of the purse 'cos the next may be worse.
And you'll want to be single again.
[Again and again and again,
Again and again and again.
Take care of the purse 'cos the next may be worse.
And you'll want to be single again.]

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