

## Gallant Hussar

A dam-sel po-essed of great beau-ty She stood at her own fa-ther's gate. The  
gal-lant Hus-sars were on du - ty To view them this maid-en did wait. Their  
hor-ses were cape-ring and pran - cing, Their ac - cou-tre-ments shone like a star. From the  
field they were near-est ad - - van-cing, She spied her young gal-lant hus - sar.

2 Their fleeces were strung over their shoulder, So careless they seemed for to ride,  
So warlike appearance these young soldiers, With glittering swords by their side;  
To the barracks so early next morning, This damsel she went with her car,  
Because she loved him sincerely - Young Edwin, her gallant Hussar.

3. It was there she conversed with her soldier, These words she was heard for to say;  
Says Jane - 'I have seen none more bolder, To follow my laddie away.'  
'O, fie,' said young Edwin, 'Be steady, And think of the dangers of war.  
When the trumpet sounds I must be ready, So wed not your gallant Hussar.'

4. Says Edwin - 'Your friends you must mind them, Or else you're ever undone;  
They'll leave you no portion behind them, So pray! Do my company shun.'  
She says - 'If you will be true hearted, I've money of my own in store,  
From this time no more we'll be parted, I'll wed with my gallant Hussar.

5. For twelve months on bread and cold water, My parents confined me for you;  
Oh, hard hearted friends to their daughter, Whose heart it was loyal and true!  
Unless they confine me for ever, Or banish me from you afar,  
I'll follow my soldier so clever, I'll wed with my gallant Hussar.'

6. As he gazed on each beautiful feature, The tears they did stand in each eye -  
'I'll wed with this beautiful creature And forsake cruel war,' he did cry:  
So now they're united together, Friends, think of them now you're afar,  
Saying - 'Heaven bless them now and forever, Young Jane and her gallant Hussar.'