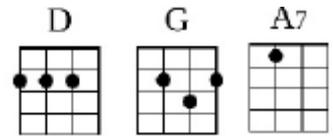


DARCY FARROW

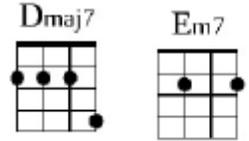
INTRO: D . . . D . . . G . . . D . . . G . A7 . D . G . D . A7 . D \ . . .

D G D
Where the Walker runs down to the Carson Valley plain



D D Em7 A7
There lived a maiden, Darcy Farrow was her name

D G D
The daughter of old Dundee, and a fair one was she



G A7 D G D A7 D D
The sweetest flower that bloomed o'er the range

D G D
Her voice was as sweet as the sugar candy

D D Em7 A7
Her touch was as soft as a bed of goose down

D G D
Her eyes shone bright like the pretty lights

G A7 D G D A7 D
That shine in the night out at Yerington town

D G D
She was courted by young Vandermeer

D D Em7 A7
A fine lad was he, as I am to hear

D G D
He gave her silver rings and lacy things

G A7 D G D A7 D D
He promised to wed before the snows came that year

D G D D
Her pony did stumble and she did fall

D D Em7 A7
Her dying touched the hearts of us one and all

D G D
Young Vandy in his pain put a bullet through his brain

G A7 D G D A7 D D
We buried them together as the snows began to fall

D G D D
They sing of Darcy Farrow where the Truckee runs through

D D Em7 A7
They sing of her beauty in Virginia City too

D G D
At dusky sundown to her name they drink a round

G A7 D G D A7 D
And to young Vandy, whose love was true

Beginning in 1848 the discovery of gold & silver in the Sierra Nevada created a stampede west of humanity toward the promise of riches and fame. Music accompanied the pioneers all along the trail west as they documented their experience. This song encompasses a love found along the trail and the sorrow found far too often by so many making the journey. The headwaters of the Truckee River in Placer County served as inspiration for so many such tales, songs and folk lore.

OUTRO: PLAY INTRO