

The Spanish Lady (Traditional) Key C

C **Am**
As I came down thru Dublin city
Dm **G7**
At the hour of twelve at night
C **Am**
Who should I see but a Spanish Lady,
Dm **G7**
Washing her feet by candlelight
C **Am**
First she washed them, then she dried them
C **G**
Over a fire of amber coals
C **Am**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm **G7**
A maid so sweet about the soul

Chorus:

C **Am**
Whack for the toora loora laddy
Dm **G7**
Whack for the toora loora lay
C **Am**
Whack for the toora loora laddy
Dm **G7**
Whack for the toora loora lay

C **Am**
As I came back thru Dublin city
Dm **G7**
At the hour of half past eight
C **Am**
Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Dm **G7**
Brushing her hair outside the gate
C **Am**
First she tossed it, then she combed it,
C **G**
On her lap was a silver comb
C **Am**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm **G7**
A maid so fair since I did roam

(Chorus)

C **Am**
I stopped to look but the Watchman passed
Dm **G7**
He said "Young fellah, now the night is late
C **Am**
Along with ye home or I will wrestle you
Dm **G7**
Straight back through the Bridewell gate"
C **Am**
I threw a kiss to the Spanish lady
C **G**
Hot as a fire of angry coal
C **Am**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm **G7**
A maid so sweet about the soul

C **Am**
As I came back thru Dublin city
Dm **G7**
As the sun began to set
C **Am**
Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Dm **G7**
Catching a moth in a golden net
C **Am**
When she saw me, then she fled me
C **G**
Lifting her petticoat over her knee
C **Am**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm **G7**
A maid so shy as the Spanish Lady

(Chorus)

C **Am**
I've wandered north and south through
Dm **G7**
Stoneybatter and Patrick's Close
C **Am**
Up and around by the Gloucester Diamond
Dm **G7**
And back by Napper Tandy's house
C **Am**
Old age has laid her hand on me
C **G**
Cold as a fire of ashy coals
C **Am**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Dm **G7**
A maid so sweet as the Spanish Lady

The Spanish Lady (Chauncy Olcott / Ernest Ball / George Graff) Key G

G **Em**
As I came down thru Dublin city
Am **D7**
At the hour of twelve at night
G **Em**
Who should I see but a Spanish Lady,
Am **D7**
Washing her feet by candlelight
G **Em**
First she washed them, then she dried them
G **D**
Over a fire of amber coals
G **Em**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Am **D7**
A maid so sweet about the soul

Chorus:

G **Em**
Whack for the toora loora laddy
Am **D7**
Whack for the toora loora lay
G **Em**
Whack for the toora loora laddy
Am **D7**
Whack for the toora loora lay

G **Em**
As I came back thru Dublin city
Am **D7**
At the hour of half past eight
G **Em**
Who should I see but the Spanish lady
Am **D7**
Brushing her hair in broad daylight
G **Em**
First she tossed it, then she combed it,
G **D**
On her lap was a silver comb
G **Em**
In all my life I ne'er did see
Am **D7**
A maid so fair since I did roam

(Chorus)

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