

The Old Yeare Now Away Has Fled

Carol Printed in London in 1642
To the tune of "Greene Sleeves"

The musical score is written on three staves in 4/4 time. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The melody consists of quarter and eighth notes. Chords are indicated above the staff: Am, G, Am, E, Am. The second staff continues the melody with chords: G, Am, E, A, C, G, Am. The third staff concludes the piece with chords: E, C, G, Am, E, A. The piece ends with a double bar line.

This is an example of one of the many simple variations on the tune "Green Sleeves". It is perhaps more interesting for its age; it was printed in 1642, roughly a century after Greensleeves was composed.

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