

# King William's Wall

Tune: Royal Forester

Angus of Blackmoor



As I came down to Coop-er's Lake In an - swer to the call I saw for-ty-sev-en Cal-on men A



mar-chin' with a wall, Sing-ing ded-e-i-o, sing Ca-lon-tir, singin' ded-e-i-o-i - ay.



Sing-ing ded-e-i-o, sing Ca-lon-tir, singin' ded-e-i-o-i - ay.

As I came down to Cooper's Lake  
In answer to the call  
I saw forty-seven Calon men  
A marchin' with a wall,  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

If this sad fate should come to pass  
Then I will turn to ye,  
And ye'll take yer greatsword in yer hand  
And ye'll gang in with me,  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

Did ya come by the Calon men  
And did ya come down to stay  
And did ya see King William and his men  
As they marched away  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

Them That were Calon brothers brave  
Went in amangst the thrang  
And they swapped doon the Eastern lads  
With swords baith sharp and lang,  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

Once we were the minions  
Of the Middle realm,  
But now we have our own king  
With a falcon on his helm,  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

The first stroke King William gave  
The Tyger king did reel,  
The second stroke King William gave  
His banner he did steal.  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

They winna knock our shield wall down,  
They winna break it free,  
But if they knock our shield wall down,  
Then we will never flee.  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

A cry arose among the Eastern men  
As they saw their banner fall,  
And we lifted it and carried it  
A triumph of our wall!!  
Singing ded-e-i-o, sing Calontir,  
singin' ded-e-i-o-i-ay.

Copyright Charles Dennison. Copyable within the Society for Creative Anachronism.