

The Merry Widow Waltz [ðə 'mɛr.i 'wɪd.oːr wɔːltʃ]

From *The Merry Widow (Die Lustige Witwe)* (duet: soprano and tenor)
Translated from the German original by *Adrian Ross* (1859-1933) [Br]
Set by *Franz Lehar* (1870-1948) [Gr]

Golden glowing
['ɡoːʊl.dən 'ɡloːʊ.ɪŋ]

Lamps are throwing
[læmps æ 'θroːʊ.ɪŋ]

Light above,
While the swaying
Tune is saying
Love, love, love!

And the feet of dancers
Sound it as they go
Don't you hear them say
My dear, I love you so!

And with the music's chime,
My heart is beating time,
As if to give a sign
That it would cry
Be mine, be mine!

Though our lips may say no word,
Yet in the heart a voice is heard,
That seems to whisper soft and low,
I love you so!

Love that hovers
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