

Staines Morris

musical arrangement by Jerit Adamson Fourman Key of Am

as sung by John Roberts & Tony Barrand

Am Dmaj Am G
Come ye young men come a long with your music and your
Am C G Am C G
song bring your lassies in your hand for 'tis that which love com-
Am C G Am
mands Then to the May pole ha-ste-a-way for tis now our hol-li-day
C Am G Am
Then to the May — pole haste a — way for tis no-w our hol-li — day!

It is the choice time of the year
For the violets now appear
And the rose receives its birth
And pretty primrose decks the earth
Then to the Maypole, &c.

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Here each bachelor may choose
One that will not faith abuse
Nor repay with coy disdain
Love that should be loved again
Then to the Maypole, &c.

And when you well reckoned have
What kisses you your sweethearts gave
Take them all again and more
It will never make them poor
Then to the Maypole, &c.

INSTRUMENTAL

When you thus have spent your time
And the day be past its prime
To your beds repair at night
And dream there of the day's delight
Then to the Maypole, &c.

Come ye young men come along
With your music and your song
Bring your lassies in your hands
For tis that which love commands
Then to the Maypole, &c.