

# CHERRY TREE CAROL

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**1** When | Joseph was an | old man, an | old man was | he  
When he | courted Virgin | Ma-ry, the | Queen of Gali | lee  
When he | courted Virgin | Ma-ry, the | Queen of | Galilee.

**2** As Joseph and Mary were walking one day  
here are apples and cherries o Mary did say,  
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**3** Then Mary said to Joseph, so meek and so mild:  
Joseph, gather me some cherries, for | I am with child  
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**4** Then Joseph flew in anger, in anger flew he  
Let the father of the baby gather | cherries for thee!  
Let the father of the baby gather cherries for thee!

**5** Then | up spoke baby Jesus, from in Mary's womb:  
Bow down the tallest branches, that my mother might have some  
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**6** So bend down\_the tallest branches, and tou-ched Mary's hand  
Said she: Oh look thou Joseph, I have cherries on command  
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