

# King William and the Keeper

1. You sub - jects of Eng - land I \_\_\_ pray you \_\_\_ draw near, A \_\_\_  
 2. King Wil - liam rose ear - ly all \_\_\_ on a \_\_\_ May morn, And a -  
 3. Then a - way to the for - est King \_\_\_ Wil - liam \_\_\_ did ride, Where his  
 4. Says the King, "I've two hors - es I'll \_\_\_ free - ly \_\_\_ give thee, Be - -

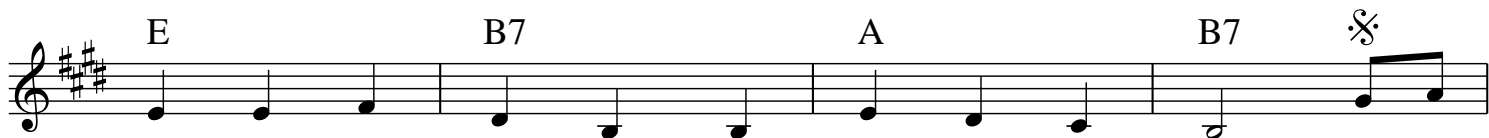
com - i - - cal sto - - ry you quick - ly shall hear, 'Tis con -  
 - hunt - ing he went in a for - est his own, 'Twas a  
 grey - hounds ran swift and the keep - er drew nigh, Saying, Be -  
 - sides my two grey - hounds so good as they be. Be - -

- cern - ing King Wil - liam and his keep - er \_\_\_ al - - so, That  
 suit of brown rus - set King \_\_\_ Wil - liam \_\_\_ put on, As  
 - gone thou proud fel - low. Thou shalt have \_\_\_ no sport here, With -  
 - sides I will give you full \_\_\_ for - ty \_\_\_ shil - lings, If

met in the for - - est some win - - ters a - - go.  
 though he had been \_\_\_ some sil - - ly poor man.  
 - - out the con - - sent of King Wil - - liam. For - - bear!  
 thou'll not be - - tray me to Wil - - liam our King.



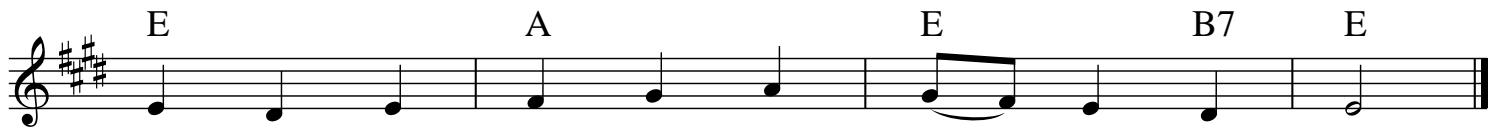
5. I'll not have thy hors - es thou'st of - fered to me, I'll  
 6. The King in his mod - est be - - hav - ior re - - plied, "Oh  
 7. At this the bold keep - er fell all on his knees, Your  
 8. A - - rise my bold keep - er, and shake off thy fear, For



not have they grey - hounds so good as they be, But I'll  
 dost thou not see the bright star on my side? The  
 Maj - est - y's par - don, Do just as you please. The  
 by me no harm shalt thou ev - - er come near, For if



have thee be - - fore him as sure as a gun, And  
 for - est is mine, I'd have thee to know, Then  
 blood in my bo - - dy be - - gins to run cold, Your  
 all of my sub - jects were loy - al as thee, Oh



there thou shalt an - - swer for what thou hast done.  
 pray why's the reas - - on thou'st threat - - en me so?  
 Maj - es - - ty's par - - don for be - - ing so bold.  
 what a brave man King Wil - - liam would be.

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