

Wildwood Flower

Ma Belle Carter

Key of C

C G7 C
Oh I'll twine with my mingles and waving black hair.
C G7 C
With the roses so red and the lilies so fair.
C F C
And the myrtles so bright with the emerald dew.
C G7 C
The pale and the leader and eyes look like blue.

C G7 C
I will dance I will sing and my laugh shall be gay.
C G7 C
I will charm every heart in each crown I will sway.
C F C
When I woke from my dreaming my idols were clay.
C G7 C
All portions of love had all blown away.

C G7 C
Oh he taught me to love him and promised to love.
C G7 C
And to cherish me over all others above.
C F C
How my heart is now wondering no misery can tell.
C G7 C
He's left me no warning no words of farewell.

C G7 C
Oh he taught me to love him and call me his flower.
C G7 C
That was blooming to cheer him through life's dreary hour.
C F C
Oh I long to see him and regret the dark hour.
C G7 C
He's gone and neglected his pale wildwood flower.

Capo tip:

Capo the 2nd fret to get the key of D.

Capo the 4th fret to get the key of E.