

Keler Tsoler

(Komitas Vartabed (1869-1935), an Armenian priest, ethnomusicologist, and composer who collected and organized over 4,000 folk songs)

*Keler Tsoler im yaru,
Arevi dagin
Keler Tsoler im yaru,
Sari sovor, men menavor, sheg dgha
Shogh arekag, togh arekag, yeg dgha.*

*Keler...Aghpyoori agin...Keler
Ganach arvov, janach arvov yeg dgha
Baghovn ari, shaghovn ari, sheg dgha.*

*Keler...Kerantin oosin... Keler
Hov dzari dag, zov dzari dag, yeg dgha
Hoonts es arel, krdink darel, sheg dgha.*

*Keler...Jan achki loosin... Keler
Hov e knir, zov e knir sheg dgha
Hoonts es arel, shad bezarel sheg dgha.*

*Hov e knir, zov e knir
sheg dgha*

Walking Glistening

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*Walking glistening is my love,
Under the sun
Walking glistening my love,
He is a mountain man, a lonely, blond boy
Shining like the sun; leave the sun and come.*

*Walking...At the mouth of the spring...
Come way of the green brook, the familiar brook
Through the garden, the morning dew, blond boy.*

*Walking...With a sickle on his shoulder...
In the cool shade of the tree, come to me.
You've been harvesting wheat, covered in
sweat, blond boy.*

*Walking...Sweet light of my eye...Walking
It is breezy, sleep; it is cool, sleep, boy
You've harvested the wheat, you're tired blond boy.*

*It is breezy--sleep, it is cool--sleep,
blond boy*

From Zulal Armenian A Cappella Trio's first album "Zulal".

Zulal invites singers to explore their arrangements.

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