

Acony Bell - Gillian Welch, 1996

G

The fairest bloom the mountain knows

G7

Is not an iris or a wild rose

C

G

But the little flower of which I'll tell

D

G

Known as the brave acony bell

G

Just a simple flower so small and plain

G7

With a pearly hue and a little known name

C

G

But the yellow birds sing when they see it bloom

D

G

For they know that spring is coming soon

G

Well it makes its home mid the rocks and the rills

G7

Where the snows lie deep on the windy hills

C

G

And it tells the world "Why should I wait

D

G

This ice and snow is gonna melt away."

Outro verse:

C

G

And so I'll sing that yellow bird's song

D

G

For the troubled times ... will ...soon ...be ..gone

