

Veris dulcis in tempore

Carmina Burana no. 85

11th-13th century Goliard song

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1. Spring is sweet, and green is grow - ing
2. See the trees with blos - soms cling - ing;
3. See the li - ly where it blaz - es;
4. If my one de - sire were grant - ed,

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'Neath the tree; her sis - ter show - ing,
Lust - i - ly the birds are sing - ing,
Ev - ery vir - gin glad - ly rais - es
3 In the fo - rest sha - dows slant - ed

Ju - li - a - na's glad and glow - ing: How sweet this need!
Breez - es to the vir - gins bring - ing: How sweet this need!
To the gods the high - est prais - es: How sweet this need!
4 I would kiss my love, en - chant - ed: How sweet this need!

Those who are of Spring un - know - ing Are poor in - deed.