

Sweet Violets

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[CHORUS]

C
Sweet Violets

G7
Sweeter than the roses

Covered all over from head to toe

C F C
Covered all over with sweet violets

C
There once was a farmer who took a
G7

young miss, In back of the barn where
he gave her a

C
Lecture on horses and chickens and
G7
eggs, And told her that she had such
beautiful

C
Manners that suited a girl of her
G7
charms, A girl that he wanted to take
in his

C
Washing and ironing and then if she
G7
did, They could get married and raise
lots of

[REPEAT CHORUS]

C
The girl told the farmer that he'd
G7
better stop, And she call her father
and he called a

C G7
Taxi and got there before very long
'Cause some one was doin' his little girl

C
Right for a change and so that's why
G7

he said, If you marry her son, you're
better off

C G7
Single 'cause it's always been my belief
Marriage will bring a man nothing but

[REPEAT CHORUS]

C G7
The farmer decided he'd wed anyway
And started in planning for his
wedding

C
Suit which he purchased for only one
G7
buck
G7

But then he found out he was just out
of

C G7
Money and so he got left in the lurch
A standin' and waitin' in front of the

C
End of the story which just goes to
G7

show, All a girl wants from a man is
his

[REPEAT CHORUS]