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The rich old miser courted me

Chorus for Mixed Voices

Anonymous

New England Folk-song
Arranged by Ruth E. Abbott

Allegro con moto (♩=90)

Soprano and Alto (Unison)

Tenor and Bass (Unison)

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1. The rich old mis-er

court-ed me With hous-es and with land. My fa-ther bade me

mar-ry him and live at his com-mand: — But I won't! For the

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I won't! For old men they are
old man With all his houses and land, — For old men they are

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old, — And the old men they are grey; — But the young men are so
old, — And the old men they are grey; — But the young men are so

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full of fun, — A - way, old man, a - way, — a - way! —
full of fun, — A - way, old man, a - way! —

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young man he comes skip-ping in: Says, (Tenor) (Alto) But I won't! ———
 way! ——— "Kiss me, my dear wife." But I

(unison)
 won't! ——— For old men they are old, And the old men they are
 But she won't! For old men they are grey: ———
 For old men they are grey; ———

grey; ——— But the young men are so full of fun, — A-way, old man a - way!
 A - - way, old man, a - rit. way!
 A way, old man, a - way! ———