

# Scarlet Ribbons

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[3/4 time]

G C D7 G  
I peeked in to say good night  
C D7 C G  
When I heard my child in prayer  
C D7 G  
Send dear God some scarlet ribbons  
C D7 C G  
Scarlet ribbons for my hair  
C D7 G  
All the stores were closed and shuttered  
C D7 C G  
All the streets were dark and bare  
G C D7 G  
In our town no scarlet ribbons  
C D7 C G  
Not one ribbon for her hair  
D7 G C  
Through the night my heart was aching  
E7 A7 D7  
Just before the dawn was breaking  
G C D7 G  
I peeked in and on her bed  
C D7 C G  
In gay pro fusion lying there  
C D7 G  
I saw ribbons scarlet ribbons  
C D7 C G  
Scarlet ribbons for her hair  
D7 G C  
If I live to be a hundred  
E7 A7 D7  
I will never know from where  
G C D7 G  
Came those lovely scarlet ribbons  
C D7 C D7 G  
Scarlet ribbons for her hair