Lovely Leitrim Shore/Galway Bay

A thought came to my mind today, I had to ask you dear If you would join me on a walk, to a spot not far from here To a place where you and I first met, and all our dreams came true Under Slieve Anierins shady vale, I gave my heart to you

Chorus

Will you walk with me once more, to a place we've been before And while strolling down together, we can pick that rolling heather And whilst walking hand in hand, we'll recall it was so grand Looking out over Lough Allen on that lovely Leitrim Shore

Instrumental

So thinking of old memories, we started out from town
The birds were singing in the trees as we went walking down
To the shore where you and I first kissed and all our dreams came true
You looked into my eyes and smiled I said those words to you

Chorus

Looking out over Lough Allen on that lovely Leitrim Shore

Key Change

It's far away I am today where I roamed a boy And long ago the hour I know I first saw Illinois But time nor tide nor waters wide could wean my heart away For ever true it flies to you, my own dear Galway Bay

My chosen bride lives by my side, her crown is silver grey Her daughter Rose just like the prose as April dawn today Her eldest boy, his mothers joy, his father's pride and stay With gifts like these I'd live at ease, right in Galway bay

Key Change

The blessing of a poor old man be with you night and day
The blessing of a lonely man whose heart will soon be clay
It's all of Heaven I'll ask of God upon my dying day
My soul to soar for ever more above you, Galway Bay

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