

## **Bogie's Banks and Bogie's Braes**

*Greig-Duncan 547*

Maggie sings this lovely little song which recounts memories of youth, love and contentment. It is normally sung to the tune 'Corn Riggs', but Tom set it to 'Logan Banks' which we feel suits it better.

I hae a housie o my ain  
It has a kist in but and ben  
An mair nor aa the world kens  
On the bonnie banks o the bogie

*Bogie's banks and bogie's braes  
Bogie's haughs for bleaching claes  
Bogie's banks far lamies play  
On the bonnie banks o the Bogie*

I hae a grannie in the neuk  
Whiles at her wheel, whiles at her book  
I hae a coo, a hen and a duke  
On the bonnie banks o the Bogie

I hae a laddie leel an true  
A strappin cheel wi een o blue  
There's never better brushed the dew  
On the bonnie banks o the Bogie.

Fae Craig tae Huntly weel I ken  
I'll twist an twine on haugh an glen  
I learnt every step and stane  
On the bonnie banks o the Bogie.

Faan I am deid jist lay me doon  
Faar Bogie's waters sweetly croon  
In yon kirkyard I will sleep soond  
On the bonnie banks o the Bogie.

aa = all  
ain = own  
cheel = man  
claes = clothes  
duke = duck  
faan = when  
faar = where  
haughs = level ground beside a stream  
in but and ben = in both rooms  
kens = knows  
kist = chest  
leel = loyal  
neuk = corner beside the fire  
nor = than  
stane = stone  
strappin = big, strong