

Cat Stevens

"The Boy With A Moon And Star On His Head"

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A gardener's daughter stopped me on my way, on the
day I was
To wed
It is you who I wish to share my body with she said
We'll find a dry place under the sky with a flower for a
bed
And for my joy I will give you a boy with a moon and
Star on his head.
Her silver hair flowed in the air laying waves across the
sun
Her hands were like the white sands, and her eyes had
Diamonds on.
We left the road and headed up to the top of the
Whisper Wood
And we walked 'till we came to where the holy magnolia
stood.
And there we laid cool in the shade singing songs and
Making love...
With the naked earth beneath us and the universe
above.
The time was late my wedding wouldn't wait I was sad
but
I had to go,
So while she was asleep I kissed her cheek for cheerio.
The wedding took place and people came from many
Miles around
There was plenty merriment, cider and wine abound
But out of all that I recall I remembered the girl I met
'Cause she had given me something that my hear
could not
Forget.
A year had passed and everything was just as it was a
year
Before...
As if was a year before...
Until the gift that someone left, a basket by my door.
And in there lay the fairest little baby crying to be fed,
I got down on my knees and kissed the moon and star
on
His head.
As years went by the boy grew high and the village
looked

On in awe
They'd never seen anything like the boy with the moon
and
Star before.
And people would ride from far and wide just to seek
the
Word he spread
I'll tell you everything I've learned, and Love is all...he
said.

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