

## Perry Como

# "When You & I Were Young, Maggie"

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I wandered today to the hill, Maggie  
To watch the scene below  
The creek and the rusty old mill, Maggie  
Where we sat in the long, long ago

The green grove is gone from the hill, Maggie  
Where first the daisies sprung  
The old rusty mill is still, Maggie  
Since you and I were young

A city so silent and lone, Maggie  
Where the young and the gay and the best  
In polished white mansion of stone, Maggie  
Have each found a place of rest

Is built where the birds used to play, Maggie  
And join in the songs that were sung  
For we sang just as gay as they, Maggie  
When you and I were young

They say I am feeble with age, Maggie  
My steps are less sprightly than then  
My face is a well written page, Maggie  
But time alone was the pen

They say we are aged and gray, Maggie  
As spray by the white breakers flung  
But to me you're as fair as you were, Maggie  
When you and I were young

And now we are aged and gray, Maggie  
The trials of life nearly done  
Let us sing of the days that are gone, Maggie  
When you and I were young

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