

Libretto yr opera Gymraeg gyntaf

BLODWEN  
Op. 31

*Libretto of the first Welsh opera*

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## NODIADAU RHAGARWEINIOL/INTRODUCTORY NOTES

### NODIADAU RHAGARWEINIOL

1. Fformat y libretto hwn yw:

Cymraeg  
*cyfwerth ffonetig*

Cyfieithad llythrennol Saesneg

2. Hepgorir mwyafrif y geiriau sy'n ailadrodd.
3. Er bod Cytganau 15. ac 22. â'r un gerddoriaeth a bron yr un geiriau, i fod yn eglur, fe'u cynhwysir ar wahan (yn wahanol i Gytganau 3. ac 8. a Chytganau 24. a 26. , sydd â'r un gerddoriaeth a geiriau).
4. Yn fersiwn ffonetig y libretto hwn (ond nid yn y sgôr) dangosir lleoliad yr acen gydag islnelliad – fel arfer ar y goben.
5. Yn 40. ‘Cenwch y Clychau’, newidiwyd ‘Prydain’ y libretto gwreiddiol i ‘Lloegr’ er mwyn gwneud gwell synnwyr o’r stori.
6. Newidiwyd diwedd yr hen orgraff ‘-awg’ e.e. ‘ewynnawg’ i’r ‘ewynnog’ mwy cyfoes.
7. Mae fersiwn llafar o’r libretto Cymraeg ar gael – ewch i [josephparry.org](http://josephparry.org)

### INTRODUCTORY NOTES

1. The format of this libretto is:

Cymraeg [Welsh]  
*phonetic equivalent*

Literal English translation

2. Repeating words are mostly omitted.
3. Although Choruses 15. and 22. have the same music and almost the same words, for clarity, they are included separately (unlike Choruses 3. & 8. and Choruses 24. & 26. , which have identical words and music).
4. In the phonetic equivalent of this libretto (not in the score), the accented portion of a word is underlined – usually on the penultimate syllable.
5. In 40. ‘Cenwch y Clychau’, the original Welsh libretto word ‘Prydain’ [Britain] has been changed to ‘Lloegr’ [England] for the plot to make more sense.
6. In the Welsh libretto, the obsolete word ending ‘-awg’ e.e. ‘ewynnawg’ is replaced with the more modern ‘ewynnog’.
5. A spoken version of the Welsh libretto is available – go to [josephparry.org](http://josephparry.org)

## PRONOUNCING WELSH

The ideal way for a non-Welsh speaker to sing *Blodwen* with the original Welsh lyrics would be to learn how to pronounce the sound of each consonant and vowel. Welsh is mostly a phonetic language so this is relatively easily – there are innumerable books and websites devoted to Welsh pronunciation.

The ‘phonetic equivalent version’ (page 4 below) is more specific to *Blodwen* and should only serve as a guide to the sound of the Welsh lyrics. If possible, practice with a Welsh-speaker.

### CONSONANTS

<u>Welsh</u>	<i>Phonetic equivalent</i>	<i>As in</i>	<u>Notes</u>
c	<i>k</i>	<b>key</b>	
ch	<i>CH</i>	<b>loch</b>	as in Scottish/German pronunciation
dd/th	<i>th</i>	<b>this</b>	‘soft’ <b>th</b> (see also ‘th’ below)
f	<i>v</i>	<b>van</b>	
ff/ph	<i>f</i>	<b>far</b>	
ll	<i>LL</i>	<i>place tongue behind top teeth &amp; blow gently</i>	
r	<i>r</i>	<b>rrrrrr</b>	always rolled
rh	<i>HR</i>	<b>hr</b>	<b>h</b> is aspirated before rolled <b>r</b>
s	<i>s</i>	<i>always ‘hard’ as in ‘see’</i>	
th	<i>TH</i>	<b>thin</b>	‘hard’ <b>th</b> (see also ‘dd/th’ above)
w	<i>w</i>	<b>win</b>	‘short’ <b>w</b> (see also <b>w</b> in VOWELS below)

### VOWELS (some have two slightly different sounds)

<u>Welsh</u>	<i>Phonetic equivalent</i>	<i>As in</i>	<u>Notes</u>
a	<i>a</i>	<b>can</b>	‘short’ <b>a</b>
a/â	<i>ah</i>	<b>far</b>	‘long’ <b>a</b>
e	<i>e</i>	<b>men</b>	
e	<i>eh</i>	<b>day</b>	no diphthong
i	<i>i</i>	<b>pin</b>	‘short’ <b>i</b>
i/u	<i>ee</i>	<b>peel</b>	‘long’ <b>i</b>
o	<i>o</i>	<b>top</b>	
o	<i>oh</i>	<b>flow</b>	no diphthong
w	<i>oo</i>	<b>moo</b>	‘long’ <b>w</b> (see also <b>w</b> in CONSONANTS above)
y	<i>uh</i>	<b>bun</b>	
y	<i>ee</i>	<b>peel</b>	as i/ee above

### ALTERNATE PHONETIC EQUIVALENTS FOR WORDS USED IN THIS LIBRETTO

<u>Welsh</u>	<i>Phonetic equivalent</i>	<i>Or</i>
ai/a’i	<i>ahee</i>	<i>I</i>
mai/mae	<i>mahee</i>	<i>my</i>
oed	<i>oeed</i>	<i>oyd</i>

## PRONOUNCING THE ‘PHONETIC EQUIVALENT VERSION’

- 1.1 Welsh dialects have slightly different vowel sounds. For example ‘Elen’ can be pronounced *ehlen* or *elen*. Generally in the score and in order to save space, the ‘shorter vowel’ (*e* in this case) is used. But as in this example, either vowel *e/eh* pronunciation is acceptable.
- 1.2 A longer example - the opening lyric: ‘Rwy’n dod o’r Wyddfa uchel bell’ could be sung with ‘short’ vowels (as mostly used in the score): *rooen dod or ooeethvah eeCHel beLL* OR with ‘long’ vowels (as in this libretto): *rooeen dohd ohr ooeethvah eeCHel behLL*. Both pronunciations are acceptable.
2. In the score, the relative duration of a note will have a varying phonetic vowel version. For example, a short(er) note ‘mae’ has *maee*, a long(er) note ‘mae’ has *mahee*. For an example, see #7. ‘Rwy’n gwybod dy hanes’, bars 33-34.
- 3.1 In the Welsh libretto, multi-syllable words, e.g. ‘eryr’ are ‘split’ to make the singer understand the word, i.e. ‘er-yr’. This is sung ‘e-ryr’ so the phonetic equivalent consonants correspond to where they should be sung. So for ‘er-yr’, the phonetic equivalent is *e-reer* (or *eh-reer* - see 1.1 above).
- 3.2 If a Welsh word has adjacent consonants, e.g. ‘Blod-wen’ then the phonetic equivalent consonants are also ‘split’, i.e. *blod-wen* even though it is sung as ‘Blo-**d**wen’.
- 4.1. Some Welsh words ‘mutate’ at the beginning (for more information, refer to books or the internet), i.e. the first letter(s) change(s), e.g. ‘mam’ (mother) changes to ‘dy fam’ (your mother) – known as a ‘soft mutation’.
- 4.2 In this libretto, for some ‘nasal mutation’ words, e.g. ‘yng ngwyneb’, the phonetic equivalent is amended to the sung version *uhng ooeneeb*. Similar examples include: ‘yng nghastell’ sung as *uhng hahstell*; ‘yng ngwaelod’ - *uhng wehlod*, ‘fy nheimlad’ - *vuhn hehmlahd*, ‘fy nghariad’ - *vuhng hahreeahd*, ‘fy mhopheth’ - *vuhm hopeTH*, ‘fy nghlwy’ – *vuhng hlooee*
- 4.3 Exceptions to the above are ‘fy Mlodwen’ which should be sung as *vuh mlodwen*; ‘wedi’u pinio’ - *wehdee pineeo*; ‘daw’n ôl’ - *dahoo nohl*. Also, ‘y wybren’ has been amended to the more modern ‘yr wybren’ and should be sung as *ehr ooeebren*. But in certain dialects, the ‘w’ is more of a consonant than a vowel so ‘y(r) wybren’ could also be sung as *uh weebren* – both versions are acceptable.
5. Some Welsh words have an indeterminate ‘vowel’ between the final two consonants, e.g. ‘Lloegr’. The phonetic equivalent inserts a vowel, so ‘Lloegr’ should be sung as *LLoeeger*, ‘llwybr’ as *LLooebeer*, ‘dieithr’ as *dee-ehthuhr*, ‘dinistr’ as *dinistuhr*, ‘ochr’ as *oCHor*, *et al*
6. ‘i’w’ and other examples is represented by *u* as in ‘few’

## MYNEGAI/INDEX

### ACT 1

1. Rwy'n dod o'r Wyddfa uchel bell (Negesydd/*Messenger*[Baritone])
2. Syr Hywel o'r Wyddfa (Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*)
3. & 8. Rhown fanerau ar y muriau (Corws/*Chorus*)
4. Boed heddwch i'n Harglwyddes! (Iolo)
5. Mae marchog pendefigaidd (Negesydd/*Messenger*[Tenor], Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*)
6. O gartref yr Eryr (Blodwen, Hywel)
7. Rwy'n gwybod dy hanes (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Hywel, Iolo)
- 8.(&3.) Rhown fanerau ar y muriau (Corws/*Chorus*) *a la* 3.
9. Un blodeuglwm o bleserau (Blodwen, Corws/*Chorus*)
10. Yng ngwyneb y nef (Mynach/*A monk*)
11. Cydfloeddiwn, cydganwn! (Corws/*Chorus*)
12. Y sêr ar fynwes y ffurafafen fad (Iolo)
13. Cydlawenhawn am funud awr (Elen, Arthur)
14. Yn enw Harri ddewr (Arweinydd/*Leader*, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Corws/*Chorus*)

### ACT 2

15. Mae'r haul yn codi dros y bryn (Corws TTBB *Chorus*)
16. Mae seren ofnadwy (Iolo)
17. Tra bydd yr helwyr yn hela (Hywel)
18. Ychydig a wyr ef (Blodwen)
19. Hywel, be' ti'n geisio yma (Blodwen, Hywel)
20. Rwy'n cofio'r adeg cyntaf (Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*)
21. Cennad, fy arglwyddes (Negesydd/*Messenger*[Tenor])
22. Mae'r haul yn machlud dros y bryn (Corws TTBB *Chorus*)
23. Mae Cymru'n barod ar yr wŷs (Hywel, Arthur)
24. Mae sŵn rhyfel yn y gwynt (Corws TTBB *Chorus*)
25. Ffarwel, Arthur! (Elen, Blodwen, Hywel, Arthur)
26. I'r gad! (Corws TTBB *Chorus*) *a la* 24. Mae sŵn rhyfel yn y gwynt (Corws TTBB *Chorus*) \*
27. Cennad o faes y gwaed (Negesydd/*Messenger*[Tenor], Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*)
28. Mae Harri a'i fyddinoedd (Iolo, Corws/*Chorus*)

### ACT 3

29. Mae mywyd bron a rhedeg (Arthur)
30. Arthur, annwyl, paid a'm gadael (Elen, Arthur)
31. Taenwn flodau (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Negesydd/*Messenger*[Tenor], Iolo, Corws/*Chorus*)
32. Mae ffawd yn cefnu (Negesydd/*Messenger*[Tenor], Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Blodwen)
33. O dywed im' awel y nefoedd (Blodwen)
34. Breuddwydaias i neithiwr (Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*)
35. Mae'r seren wedi machlud (Iolo)
36. Bu galed iawn y brwydro (Iolo)
37. Chwibanu rhyddion odlau (Corws/*Chorus*)
38. Fy Mlodwen, f'anwylyd (Hywel)
39. Mae mil o ysbrydion (Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Iolo)
40. Cenwch y clychau (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Hywel, Iolo, Corws/*Chorus*)
41. Ai dyma gell Syr Hywel Ddu? (Rhys Gwyn, Iolo, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Blodwen)
42. Molianwn (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/*Lady Maelor*, Hywel, Iolo, Corws/*Chorus*)

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ACT 1

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**1. Rwy'n dod o'r Wyddfa uchel bell (Negesydd/Messenger[Baritone])**

Rwy'n dod o'r Wyddfa uchel bell  
*rooeen dohd ohr ooeethvah eeCHel behLL*

Â llythyr oddi wrth Syr Hywel Ddu.  
*ah LLuhTHir othee oorTH suhr huhwel thee*

Gorchmynnai ei gyflwyno gyda brys,  
*gorCHmuhnahhee eh guhvlooeeno guhdah bree*

A'r chwys ewynnog welir ar fy march  
*ahr CHooees ewuhnog wehlir ar vuuh mahrCH*

Wrth borth y castell ddwed  
*oorTH borTH uh kahsteLL thooehd*

Mai ffyddlon wyf i'w archiad ef.  
*mahee fuhthon ooeev u ahrCHeeahd ehv*

**2. Syr Hywel o'r Wyddfa (Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor)**

Syr Hywel o'r Wyddfa,  
*suhruhuhwel ohr ooeethvah*

Y marchog dewr, cadarn,  
*uh mahrCHog deoor kahdahrn*

Sy'n dyfod yn gynnar  
*seen duhvod uhn guhnahr*

I uno'n y wledd.  
*ee eenon uh oolehth*

Yn gwmni i'r marchog  
*uhn goomnee eer mahrCHog*

Daw Blodwen Dolbadarn,  
*dahoo blodwen dohlbahdahrn*

Er chwyddo'r llawenydd,  
*er CHooeethor LLahwehnith*

Y mwyniant a'r hedd.  
*uh mooeeneeahnt ahr hehth*

A chyda yr Eryr  
*ah CHuhdah uhr ehreer*

A'r G'lomen o'r Wyddfa,  
*ahr glomen ohr ooeethvah*

I come from the high and distant Snowdon

With a letter from Sir Hywel Ddu

He orders it to be delivered at haste

And the foaming sweat seen on my steed

By the castle gate shows

That I am faithful to his order

The brave, strong knight

Who's coming early

To join in the feast

The knight's companion is

Blodwen of Dolbadarn

To enhance the joy

The pleasure and peace

And with the Eagle

And the Dove from Snowdon

Daw Madog a Morfudd <i>dahoo <u>mahdog</u> ah <u>morvith</u></i>	Come Madog and Morfudd
O fryn Dinas Brân. <i>oh vrin <u>deenahs brahn</u></i>	From the hill of Dinas Brân
Yr awen a ddeffry <i>uh'r <u>ahwen</u> ah <u>thefree</u></i>	The breeze awakens
A'r delyn chwareua: <i>ahr <u>dehlin</u> CHooahrehah</i>	And the harp plays
'Lwc dda' i'r pâr dedwydd <i>look thah eer pahr <u>dedwith</u></i>	'Good luck' to the content couple
Mewn dawns ac mewn cân. <i>meoon dahoons ahk meoon kahn</i>	In dancing and singing
Ond cyn y llawenydd, <i>ond kin uh LLahwehnith</i>	But before the joy
Rwy'n gofyn i'r nefoedd <i>rooeen gohyvin eer <u>nehvoeeth</u></i>	I ask heaven
Am fendith oddi yno <i>am <u>vendiTH</u> othee <u>uhno</u></i>	For a blessing from there
I Elen fy merch. <i>ee <u>ehlen</u> vu h merCH</i>	For Elen my daughter
Os heddwch ddilyna <i>os <u>hehthooCH</u> theeluhnah</i>	If peace follows
Neu ynte rhyfeloedd, <i>neh <u>uhnteh</u> HRuhvehloeth</i>	Or wars
Boed Arthur ym mhobman <i>boeed ahrTHir uhm <u>hohbmahn</u></i>	May Arthur be everywhere
Yn seren ei serch. <i>uhn <u>sehren</u> eh serCH</i>	As the star of her love
Yng nghanol y storm <i>uhng <u>hahnol</u> uh storm</i>	In the midst of a storm
A than belydr yr heulwen, <i>ah THan <u>beleeduhr</u> uhr <u>hehlwen</u></i>	And under a ray of sunshine
Mewn hawddfyd a gofid, <i>meoon <u>hahoothveed</u> ah <u>gohvid</u></i>	In contentment and worry
Mewn gaeaf a haf. <i>meoon <u>gehahv</u> ah <u>hahv</u></i>	In winter and summer

Dymunaf o'm calon  
*duhmeenahv ohm kahlon*

My heart wishes

I Arthur ac Elen  
*ee ahrTHir ahk ehlen*

For Arthur and Elen

Gael bywyd diogel  
*gaheel buhwid deeohgel*

To have a safe life

Yn nwylaw fy Naf.  
*uhn nooelahoo vu h nahv*

In the hands of my Lord

### 3. (& 8.) Rhown fanerau ar y muriau (Corws/*Chorus*)

Rhown fanerau ar y muriau,  
*HRohn vahnehrahee ahr uh mireeahee*

We'll put banners on the walls

Dewch â'r lili,  
*deooCH ahr lilee*

Bring lilies

Dewch â'r rhos.  
*deooCH ahr HRohs*

Bring roses

Gwnawn lun calon fawr o flodau  
*goonahoon leen kahlon vahoor oh vlohdahhee*

We'll make a big heart shape of flowers

Uwch ystafell Elen dlos.  
*uoCH uhstahveLL ehlen dlohs*

Above pretty Elen's room

Ni gymysgwn y llythrennau  
*nee guhmuhsgoon uh LLuhTHrenahee*

We'll mix the letters

Sydd yn enw'r ddeuddyn llon.  
*seeth uhn ehnoor thehddin LLon*

In the names of the happy couple

Ac mewn blodau aur afalau  
*ahk meoon blohdahee aheer ahyahlahee*

And in golden apple flowers

Dodwn hwy'n y galon hon.  
*dohdoon hooeen uh gahlon hon*

We'll place them in this heart

### 4. Boed heddwch i'n Harglwyddes! (Iolo)

Boed heddwch i'n Harglwyddes!  
*boeed hehthooCH een hahrglooeethes*

Peace to our Lady

A heddwch yn y castell gorwych hwn!  
*a hehthooCH uhn uh kahsteLL gorweeCH hoon*

And peace within this splendid castle

Rwy'n dod i roi fy mendith  
*rooeen dohd ee roee vu h mendiTH*

I come to give my blessing

I dy ferch.  
*ee duh verCH*

On your daughter

Ysbrydion y dewrion a'r da <i>uhsbruhdeeon uh deooreeon ahr dah</i>	The spirits of the brave and the good
Syrthiasant ar faes y gad. <i>suhrTHEeahsahnt ahr vahees uh gahd</i>	Fall on the battle field
Anadlant mewn nefol chwa <i>ahnahdlant meoon nehvol CHwah</i>	They breathe with a heavenly breeze
I Arthur ac Elen fwynhad. <i>ee ahrthir ahk ehlen vooeenhahd</i>	For Arthur and Elen's enjoyment
Fe rua y ceunant certh <i>veh reeah uh kehnahnt kerTH</i>	The wondrous river gorge roars
Ei fendith i'r ddau yn awr. <i>eh vendith eer thahee uhn ahoor</i>	Its blessing now on the couple
A chwmwl y dymestl gerth <i>ah CHoomool uh duhmestuhl gerTH</i>	And the wondrous storm cloud
Sy'n tywallt ei fendith i lawr. <i>seen tuhwahLLt eh vendiTH ee lahoor</i>	Pours its blessing down
<b>5. Mae marchog pendefigaidd (Negesydd/Messenger[Tenor], Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor)</b> Mae marchog pendefigaidd <i>mahee mahrCHog pendeveegaheeth</i>	There is an aristocratic knight
Wrth y porth, <i>oorTH uh porTH</i>	At the gate
A'i wisg sydd ddieithr iawn i mi, <i>ahee wisg seeth thee-ehTHuhr eeahoon ee mee</i>	And his clothes are unfamiliar to me
Yn ddu o'i gorun hyd ei draed, <i>uhn thee oee gorin heed eh draheed</i>	Black from the top of his head to his feet
A'i wallt modrwyog <i>ahee wahLLt modrooeeog</i>	And his curly hair
Sydd fel torchau aur. <i>seeth vel torCHahee aheer</i>	Is like golden coils
A phluen wen yr Aran <i>ah flee-en wen uhr ahrahn</i>	With the white feather of Aran
Yn ei helm. <i>uhn eh helm</i>	In his helmet
Mae boneddiges <i>mahee bonetheeges</i>	A lady
Fil mwy hardd na'r wawr <i>veel mooee hahrth nahr wahoor</i>	A thousand times prettier than the dawn

Yn pwys yn lluddedig <i>uhn poeeso uhn LLeethehdig</i>	Leans wearily
Ar ei fraich. <i>ahr eh vraheeCH</i>	On his arm
A gaf fi daflu'r porth yn rhydd i'r ddau? <i>ah gahv vee dahyleer porTH uhn HReeth eer thahee</i>	May I throw open the gate for them both?
Nac oeder un eiliad, <i>nahk oeeder een ehleahd</i>	Do not hesitate one second
Croeso iddynt hwy. <i>kroeeso eethint hooee</i>	Welcome to them both
Mae'r daith yn hir <i>maheer daheeth uhn heer</i>	The journey is long
O'r Wyddfa i lawr, <i>ohr ooeethyah ee lahoor</i>	Down from Snowdon
A hwythau yn flinedig iawn. <i>ah hooeeTHahee uhn vleenehdig eeahoон</i>	And they are very tired
<b>6. O gartref yr Eryr (Blodwen, Hywel)</b> O gartref yr eryr <i>oh gahrtrev uhr ehreer</i>	From the home of the eagle
Y daethom ein dau, <i>uh dehTHom ehn dahee</i>	We both have come
Dros fryniau o eira ac ia. <i>dros vrughneeahee oh ehrab ahk eeah</i>	Over hills of snow and ice
I weld ein Harglwyddes <i>ee weld ehn hahrglooeethes</i>	To see our Lady
A chydlawenhau <i>ah CHeedlahooenhahee</i>	And rejoice together
A rhoddi i Elen lwc dda. <i>ah HRohthee ee ehlen look thah</i>	And give Elen good luck
Amddifad wyf fi, <i>ahmtheevahd ooeev vee</i>	I am an orphan
Mae mam mewn bedd <i>mahee mahm meoon behth</i>	My mother is in a grave
Ym mynwent Padarn bell. <i>uhm muhnwent pahdahrn behLL</i>	In faraway Padarn cemetery
A'm tad a syrthiodd	And my father fell,

*ahm tahl ah surTHeeoth*

Yn aberth i'r cledd  
*uhn ahberTH eer klehth*

Sacrificed on a sword

Neu ynte mae'n crino  
*neh uhnteh maheen kreeno*

Or is withering

Yn llwyd ei wedd  
*uhn LLooeed eh wehth*

And of grey appearance

Dan rwymau y Sais  
*dan rooeemahee uh sahees*

Under the bonds of the English

Mewn daear gell.  
*meoon dehahr geLL*

In a buried cell

Er hynny,  
*er huhnee*

Even though,

Caf/cei gartref  
*kahv/keh gahrtrev*

I/you will have a home

Yng Nghastell yr Wyddfa  
*uhng hahsteLL uhr ooeethyah*

In Snowdon Castle

A chwarae â'r wyn  
*ah CHooahrahee ahr ooeen*

And play with the lambs

A marchogaeth a hela.  
*ah mahrChohgaheeTH ah hehlah*

And ride and hunt

## **7. Rwy'n gwybod dy hanes (Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Hywel, Iolo, Blodwen)**

Rwy'n gwybod dy hanes,  
*rooeen gooeebod duh hahnes*

I know your history

Adwaenwn dy dad.  
*ahdwehnoon duh dahd*

I knew your father

Rwy'n cofio ei ddewrder  
*rooeen koveeo eh theoorder*

I remember his bravery

Yn achos ei wlad.  
*uhn ahCHos eh oolahd*

For his country's cause

A hoffwn it' aros  
*ah hofoon eet ahros*

And I would like you to stay

Ym Maelor byth mwy,  
*uhm mehlor beeTH mooee*

In Maelor forever

Cei ran o fy hawddfyd,  
*keh ran oh vuuh hahoothveed*

You can share my contentment

Fy nghlefyd a'm clwy. <i>Vuhng hlehvid ahm klooee</i>	My pain and my wound
Gwneud cartref ym Maelor <i>goonehd kahrtrev uhm mehlor</i>	Making a home in Maelor
I Blodwen sydd well, <i>ee blodwen seeth wehLL</i>	Is better for Blodwen
Mae twrw rhyfeloedd <i>mahee tooroo HRuhvehloeth</i>	The sound of war
Yn dyfod o bell. <i>uhn duhvod oh beLL</i>	Is getting closer
A gwyddost bydd Hywel <i>ah gweethost beeth huhwel</i>	And you know that Hywel
Yn gwisgo ei gledd, <i>uhn gwisgo eh glehth</i>	Will be wearing his sword
Y cynta'i orchfygu <i>uh kuhntahee orCHvuhgee</i>	The first to conquer
Neu'r cynta'n ei fedd. <i>nehr kuhntaheen eh vehth</i>	Or the first into his grave
Mae'n rhaid cael pen y gelyn mawr <i>maheen HRaheed kaheel pen uh gehlin mahoor</i>	We must have the head of the great enemy
A'i ormes erchyll oll i lawr. <i>ahee ormes erCHeeLL ohLL ee lahoor</i>	And defeat his dreadful oppression
Mae seren ddydd rhyw gyfnod gwell <i>mahee sehren theeth HRu guhvnod gwehLL</i>	A day star of a better time
Yn codi yn y dwyrain pell. <i>uhn kohdee uhn uh dooeeraheen pehLL</i>	Is arising in the far east
A rhyddid ar yr awel rydd <i>ah HRuhthid ahr uhr ahwel reeth</i>	And freedom on the free breeze
Sy'n dod o draw, <i>seen dohd oh drahoo</i>	Is coming from afar
Fe ddaw yn ddydd. <i>veh thahoo uhn theeth</i>	Day is coming
<b>8. Rhown fanerau ar y muriau (Corws/<i>Chorus</i>) a la 3.</b>	
<b>9. Un blodeuglwm o bleserau (Blodwen, Corws/<i>Chorus</i>)</b>	
Un blodeuglwm o bleserau <i>een blodehgloom oh blehsehrahee</i>	One bouquet of pleasures

Fyddo holl flynyddau'th oes. <u>vuhtho</u> <u>hohLL</u> <u>vluhnuhthaheeTH</u> <u>oees</u>	May all your years be
Tyfed rhosys hyd dy lwybrau, <u>tuhved</u> <u>HRosis</u> <u>heed</u> <u>duh</u> <u>looeebrahee</u>	May roses grow on your paths
Gyda blodau rhin a moes. <u>guhdah</u> <u>blohdahee</u> <u>HReen</u> <u>ah</u> <u>moees</u>	With virtuous and moral flowers
Dyma un o flodau'r Wyddfa, <u>duhmah</u> <u>een</u> <u>oh</u> <u>vlohdaheer</u> <u>ooeethvah</u>	Here is one of Snowdon's flowers
Blodyn bychan gwylt a llon. <u>blohdin</u> <u>buhCHahn</u> <u>gwiLLt</u> <u>ah</u> <u>LLon</u>	A small, wild and happy flower
Ar dy galon gwisga hwnna <u>ahr</u> <u>duh</u> <u>gahlon</u> <u>gwisgah</u> <u>hoonah</u>	Wear this on your heart
I atgofio'r adeg hon. <u>ee</u> <u>atgoveeor</u> <u>ahdeg</u> <u>hon</u>	To remember this time
Gwened nef, <u>gwehned</u> <u>nehv</u>	May heaven smile
Gwened daear, <u>gwehned</u> <u>dehahr</u>	May earth smile
Gwened dydd <u>gwehned</u> <u>deeth</u>	May day smile
A gwened nos <u>ah</u> <u>gwehned</u> <u>nohs</u>	And may night smile
Ar y priod dewr a hawddgar <u>ahr</u> <u>uh</u> <u>preeod</u> <u>deoor</u> <u>ah</u> <u>hahoothgahr</u>	On the brave and charming groom
A'r briodferch dyner dlos. <u>ahr</u> <u>breeodverCH</u> <u>duhner</u> <u>dlohs</u>	And the gentle, pretty bride
Gwn fod Arthur ddewr o'r Berwyn <u>goon</u> <u>vohd</u> <u>ahrTHir</u> <u>theoor</u> <u>ohr</u> <u>berwin</u>	I know that brave Arthur of Berwyn
Yn dy garu eneth gu. <u>uhn</u> <u>duh</u> <u>gahree</u> <u>ehneTH</u> <u>gee</u>	Loves you, beloved girl
Gwn fod hefyd galon rhywun <u>goon</u> <u>vohd</u> <u>hehveed</u> <u>gahlon</u> <u>HRueen</u>	I also know that someone's heart
Er ys tro yn eiddo i mi. <u>er</u> <u>uhs</u> <u>troh</u> <u>uhn</u> <u>ehtho</u> <u>ee</u> <u>mee</u>	Has belonged to me for a long time
Cei di law, <u>keh</u> <u>dee</u> <u>lahoo</u>	Receive a hand

Di annwyl ddewrddyn,  
*dee ahnooel theoorthen*

Cyn machluda haul yr hwyr.  
*kin mahCHleedah haheel uhr hooeer*

Pryd caiff Blodwen law ei rhywun?  
*preed kaheef blodwen lahoo eh HRueen*

Nid oes ond y nef a wyr.  
*nid oees ond uh nehv ah ooer*

### 10. Yng ngwyneb y nef (Mynach/A monk)

Yng ngwyneb y nef  
*uhng ooeeneb uh nehv*

Ac o flaen y byd,  
*ahk oh vlaheen uh beed*

Yr wyf yn cyhoeddi  
*ehr ooeev uhn kuh-hoeethhee*

Arthur o'r Berwyn  
*ahrTHir ohr berwin*

Ac Elen o Gastell Maelor  
*ahk ehlen oh gahsteLL mehlor*

Yn âr a gwraig.  
*uhn oor ah gooraheeg*

Yr hyn a gysylltodd Duw,  
*ehr hin ah guhsuhLLtoth du*

Na wahaned dyn.  
*nah wah-hahned deen*

Amen.  
*Ahmen*

### 11. Cydfloeddiwn, cydganwn! (Corws/Chorus)

Cydfloeddiwn, cydganwn!  
*keedyloeetheeoon keedgahnoon*

Cydfloeddiwn a chydganwn  
*keedyloeetheeoon ah CHeedgahnoon*

Hwre yn gytûn,  
*hooreh uhn guhteen*

Y Berwyn a Maelor  
*uh berwin ah mehlor*

A wnaethpwyd yn un.

You dear, brave person

Before the evenin sun sets

When will Blodwen receive someone's hand?

Only heaven knows

In the face of heaven

And in front of the world

I pronounce

Arthur of Berwyn

And Elen of Castell Maelor

Husband and wife

These whom God joined together

Let no man separate

Let us shout together, let us sing together

Let us shout together and sing together

Hooray all are agreed

That Berwyn and Maelor

Have been made one

*ah wnehTHpooeed uhn een*

Dewch â'r delyn,  
*deooCH ahr dehlin*

Bring the harp

Dewch â'r beirddion  
*deooCH ahr behrTHEeon*

Bring the bards

I ystafell bwrdd y wledd.  
*ee uhstahveLL boorth uh oolehth*

To the room of the celebration table

Dewch â'r gwinoedd,  
*deooCH ahr gweenoeeth*

Bring the wines

Dewch â'r danteithion,  
*deooCH ahr dantehTHEeon*

Bring the sweet things

Dewch â gwenau ar bob gwedd.  
*deooCH ah gwehnahee ahr bohb gwehth*

Bring smiles to all faces

**12. Y sêr ar fynwes y ffurfafen fad (Iolo)**  
Y sêr ar fynwes  
*uh sehr ahr vuhnwes*

The stars on the bosom

Y ffurfafen fad,  
*uh feervahven vahd*

Of the good firmament

Edrychant arnom  
*edruhCHahnt ahrnom*

Look upon us

Heno mewn boddhad,  
*hehno meoon both-hahd*

Tonight contently

A ffrydiau fyrrd  
*ah fruhdeeahee veerth*

And a multitude streams

Ar eu dolennog hynt,  
*ahr eh dolenog hint*

On their winding journey

Chwedleuant am ein hawddfyd  
*CHwedlehahnt ahm ehn hahoothveed*

Tell tales of our contentment

Wrth y gwynt.  
*oorTH uh gwint*

To the wind

**13. Cydlawenhawn am funud awr (Elen, Arthur)**  
Cydlawenhawn am funud awr  
*keedlahwenhahoон ahm yinid ahoor*

Let us rejoice for a minute, an hour

Â theulu llon y castell mawr.  
*ah THehlee LLon uh kahsteLL mahoor*

With the happy family of the great castle

Os ydyw pawb o'n cylch yn llon  
*os uhdu pahoob ohn kilCH uhn LLon*

If everyone around us is happy

Am ein priodi ni ein dau. <i>am ehn preeohdee nee ehn dahee</i>	For us two to marry
Pam na chawn ninnau'r adeg hon <i>pam nah CHahoon ninaheer ahdeg hon</i>	Why not allow at at this time
Gydgana a chydlawenhau? <i>geedgahnee ah CHeedlahwenhahee</i>	To sing and rejoice together?
Os toddai 'nghalon lawn o serch <i>os tothahhee nghahlon lahoon oh serCH</i>	If my heart full of love melts
Yn llyn o flaen deniadau merch. <i>uhn LLin oh vlaheen deneeahdahee merCH</i>	As a lake ahead of a lady's attractions
Er hyn mae gennyf y mwynhad <i>er hin mahee geniv uh mooenhahd</i>	Nevertheless I get pleasure
O ddweud fod Arthur eto'n ddyn, <i>oh thooehd vohd ahrTHir eton theen</i>	From saying that Arthur is a man
Yn cario'i gleddyf wrth ei glun. <i>uhn kahreeohee glehthiv oorTH eh gleen</i>	Carrying his sword on his hip
I gadw'i briod hoff a'i wlad. <i>ee gahdooe breeod hohfahee oolahd</i>	To protect his dear wife and country
Pwy sydd yn haeddu cariad merch? <i>pooee seeth uhn hehthee kahreeahd merCH</i>	Who deserves a lady's love?
Pwy sydd yn deilwng wrthdrych serch? <i>pooee seeth uhn dehloong oorTH-threeCH serCH</i>	Who deserves to be the subject of love?
Ond dewrion feibion Cymru wiw. <i>ond deooreeon vehbeeon kuhmree wu</i>	But great Wales's brave sons
Os oes gen ti dy gleddyf dur, <i>os oees gen tee duh glehthiv deer</i>	If you have your steel sword
Mae gennyf finnau galon bur <i>mahee geniv vinahee gahlon beer</i>	I have a pure heart
I garu Arthur tra bwyf byw. <i>ee gahree ahrTHir trah booev bu</i>	To love Arthur as long as I live.
<b>14. Yn enw Harri ddewr (Arweinydd/<i>Leader</i>, Arglwyddes/<i>Lady Maelor</i>, Corws/<i>Chorus</i>)</b>	
Yn enw Harri ddewr <i>uhn ehnoo hahree theoor</i>	In the name of brave Henry
O Loegr bell, <i>oh loeeger behLL</i>	Of faraway England
Rwy'n hawlio	I claim

*rooeen hahooleeo*

Holl allweddau'r castell hwn  
*hohLL ahLLwehthaheer kahsteLL hoon*

All the keys of this castle

Neu'n hawlio bywyd pawb  
*nehn hahooleeo buhwid pahoob*

Or claim the life of everyone

Sydd oddi fewn.  
*seeth othee veoon*

Who is inside

Mae byddin Lloegr  
*mahee buhthin LLoeeger*

England's army

Yn y dyffryn draw  
*uhn uh duhfrin drahoo*

Is in the far valley

A baner Harri'n clecian yn y gwynt.  
*ah bahner hahreen klekeeahn uhn uh gwint*

And Henry's flag is snapping in the wind

Mae trwst y miloedd carnau meirch  
*mahee troost uh meeloeth kahrnahee mehrCH*

The noise of thousands of horse hooves

Yn crynu'r ddaear  
*uhn kruhneer thehahr*

Makes the ground shake

O dan bwysau'r gwŷr!  
*oh dan boesaheer gweer*

Under the weight of the men!

Pa le mae'r allweddau?  
*pah leh maheer ahLLwehthahee*

Where are the keys?

Ewch at Harri,  
*eooCH at hahree*

Go to Henry

Dwedwch wrtho  
*dwedooCH oorTHo*

Tell him

Fod gan Gymru fyrrd yn awr  
*vohd gan guhmree veerth uhn ahoor*

That Wales now has a multitude

O galonnau mor anhyblyg  
*oh gahlonahhee mor ahnhuhblig*

Of hearts as inflexible

Â chlogwyni'r Wyddfa fawr!  
*ah CHlogooeeneer ooeethvah vahoor*

As the cliffs of great Snowdon

Chwi ddieithriaid,  
*CHooee thee-ehTHreeaheed*

You strangers,

Brysiwch ymaith,  
*bruhseeooCH uhmaheeTH*

Leave at haste,

Gwelwch ar y tŵr uwchben

See on the tower above

gwehlooCH ahr uh toor uooCHben

Ddraig y dewrion yn ymdonni  
*thraheeg uh deooreeon uhn uhmdonee*

Yn awelon mwyn y nen.  
*uhn ahwehlon mooeen uhn nen*

The dragon of the brave waving

In the gentle breezes of the sky

ACT 2

**15. Mae'r haul yn codi dros y brynn (Corws TTBB Chorus)**

Mae'r haul yn codi  
*maheer haheel uhn kohdee*

Dros y brynn  
*dros uh brin*

Over the hill

A thonau'r llyn yn llonydd.  
*ah THonaeer LLin uhn LLoohnith*

And the waves of the lake are still

Ni awn i hela'r hydd yn glau  
*nee ahoon ee hehlahr heeth uhn glahee*

We go hunt the stag quickly

Dros fryniau glynnaau glennydd.  
*dros vruhneeahee gluohnahee glenith*

Over the hilly splendid glens

Chwythwch yr helgorn  
*CHOouhTHooCH uhr helgorn*

Blow the hunting horn

O fynydd i fryn  
*oh vuhnith ee vrin*

From mountain to hill

Nes deffro yr atsain  
*nes defro uhr ahtsaheen*

Until the echo awakes

Yng ngwaelod y glyn.  
*uhng wehlod uhn glin*

At the bottom of the glen

Taliho!  
*Tahleehoh*

Tallyho

Awn i hela yr hydd.  
*ahoон ee hehlah uhr heeth*

We go to hunt the stag

Mae'r mynydd mawr yn codi'i ben  
*maheer muhnith mahoor uhn kohdee ben*

The large mountain is lifting its head

Fry tua'r nen yn union,  
*vree teeahr nen uhn ineeon*

High and straight toward the sky

I wadd yr helwyr fry yn glau  
*ee wahth uhr helweer vree uhn glahee*

To invite the hunters above quickly

I garu'i ochrau geirwon.

To love its rocky sides

*ee gahree oCHrahee gehrwon*

Ailchwythwch yr helgorn  
*aheelCHoouhTHooCH uhr helgorn*

Blow the hunting horn again

O fynydd i fryn.  
*oh vuhnith ee vrin*

From mountain to hill

**16. Mae seren ofnadwy (Iolo)**

Mae seren ofnadwy  
*mahee sehren ovnahdooee*

A frightening star

Yn dyfod bob hwyr  
*uhn duhvod bohb hooeer*

Comes every evening

Gan daflu ei rhychwant  
*gan dahvlee eh HRuhCHwahnt*

Throwing its span

Dros fwa y nen.  
*dros vooah uh nen*

Over the arch of the sky

Ond beth yw'r arwyddion?  
*ond behTH ur ahrooeetheeon*

But what are the signs?

Oes rhywun a âyr?  
*oees HRuwini ah ooer*

Does anyone know?

Mae llwybr y seren  
*mahee LLooebeer uh sehren*

The path of the star

Fel gwaed uwch fy mhen!  
*vel gooaheid uooCH vuuh mhen*

Is like blood above my head

Ymgilio mae Gwener i'r cwmwl,  
*uhmgeeleeo mahee gwehner eer koomool*

Venus retreats into the cloud

Fel pe bai'n yswilio dan glwy.  
*vel peh baheen uhswileeo dan glooee*

As if shy with a wound

A gwrido mae Mawrth yn y nifwl.  
*ah gooreedo mahee mahoorTH uhn uh neevool*

And Mars blushes in the mist

Beth bynnag yw meddwl y ddwy?  
*behTH buhnag u mehTHool uh thooee*

What are they both thinking?

Mae gwrid Mawrth  
*mahee gooreed mahoorTH*

Mars' blushing

Yn dywedyd  
*uhn duhwedid*

Says

Fod rhyfel gerllaw,  
*vohd HRuhvel gerLLahoo*

That war is at hand

A'r seren ddieithr  
*ahr sehren ddee-ehthuhr*

And the strange star

Yn ateb o draw.  
*uhn ah-teb oh drahoo*

Answers from a distance

Paratoed y Cymry  
*pahrahtohed uh kuhmree*

The Welsh people must prepare

Rhag dinistr a braw!  
*HRahg dinistuhr ah brahoo*

Against destruction and terror

### 17. Tra byddo yr helwyr yn hela (Hywel)

Tra byddo yr helwyr yn hela,  
*trah buhtho uhr helweer uhn hehlah*

### ACT 2

Mae'n dda gennyf ddyfod fy hun  
*maheen thah geniv thuhvod vuuh heen*

While the huntsmen are hunting

O dan y gelynnen fan yma  
*oh dan uh geluhnen van uhmah*

I am content to bring myself

I ganu i Blodwen fy mun.  
*ee gahnee ee blodwen vuuh meen*

Under the holly tree here

Mae Blodwen yn gwybod fy nheimlad,  
*mahee blodwen uhn gooeebod vuhn hehmlahd*

To sing to Blodwen my girl

Mae'n darllen dalennau fy mron.  
*maheen dahrLLen dahlenahee vuuh mron*

Blodwen knows how I feel

Mae'n hawdd iddi weled fy nghariad  
*maheen hahooth eethee wehled vuuhng hahreeahd*

She reads the leaves of my breast

Yn tremio bob dydd yn fy llygad.  
*uhn tremeeo bohb deeth uhn vuuh LLuhgahd*

She can easily see that my love

Fy nghariad,  
*vuhng hahreeahd*

Is seen every day in my eye

Fy mhopeth yw hon.  
*vuhm hopeTH u hon*

My love

Cyfnewid mae tymor y flwyddyn,  
*kuhvnewid mahee tuhmor uh vlooeeethin*

My everything is she

Cyfnewid mae gaeaf a haf.  
*kuhvnewid mahee gehahv ah hahv*

The seasons of the year change

A gwywo mae'r tyner flodeuyn,  
*ah goowo maheer tuhner vlodehin*

Winter and summer change

And the gentle flower wilts

Pengrymu mae'r rhosyn yn glaf.  
*pengruhmee maheer HRosin uhn glahv*

The sick rose bows its head

Efallai daw trymion ryfeloedd,  
*ehyahLLahee dahoo truhmeeon ruhyehloeeth*

Mighty wars may come

Efallai daw heddwch o hyd,  
*evahLLahee dahoo hehthooCH oh heed*

Peace may yet come

Ond deued y geirwon dymhestloedd  
*ond dehed uh gehrwon duhmhestloeeth*

But if the wildest storms come

A deued yr haf a'i oludoedd.  
*ah dehed uhr hahv ahee oleedoeeth*

And if the summer comes with its riches

Fy Mlodwen fydd Blodwen  
*vuh mlodwen veeth blodwen*

My Blodwen will be Blodwen

Trwy'r cyfan i gyd.  
*trooer kuhvan ee geed*

Through it all

### 18. Ychydig aŵyr ef (Blodwen)

Ychydig aŵyr ef  
*uhCHuhdig ah ooer ehv*

Little does he know

Fy mod yn awr  
*vuh mohd uhn ahoor*

That I am now

Tu ôl i'r llwyn  
*tee ohl eer LLooeen*

Behind the bush

Yn gwrando'i swynol gân.  
*uhn goorahndoee sooeenol gahn*

Listening to his enchanting song

Ychydig hefyd aŵyr Hywel  
*uhCHuhdig hehvid ah ooer huhwel*

Little does Hywel also know

Fod ei eiriau'n suddo  
*vohd eh ehreeaheen seetho*

That his words sink

I fy nghalon i.  
*ee vuhng hahlon ee*

Into my heart

### 19. Hywel, be' ti'n geisio yma (Blodwen, Hywel)

Hywel, be' ti'n geisio yma,  
*huhwel beh teen gehseeo uhmah*

Hywel, what do you want here

Pan mae pawb er toriad dydd  
*pan mahee pahoob er toreeahd deeth*

When everyone since dawn

Ar y mynydd draw yn hela  
*ahr uh muhnith drahoo uhn hehlah*

Have been hunting on the mountain there

Ac yn ceisio dal yr hydd?

And trying to catch the stag

*ahk uhn kehseeo dahl uhr heeth*

Mae dy olwg bron fel Iolo,  
*mahee duh ohloog bron vel eeohlo*

Wyt ti'n ceisio mynd yn fardd?  
*ooeet teen kehseeo meend uhn vahrth*

Ai breuddwydio yn dy ddeffro  
*ahee brehthooeedeo uhn duh thefro*

Rwyt wrth rodio yn yr ardd?  
*rooeet oorTH rodeeo uhn uhr ahrth*

Breuddwydio neu beidio,  
*brehthooeedeo neh behdeeo*

Rwy'n llawn digon effro.  
*rooeen LLahoon deegon efro*

O Blodwen! Fy Mlodwen,  
*oh blodwen vu h mlodwen*

Ti wyddost fy nghlyw.  
*tee weethost vu hng hlooee*

Mi 'rosais o'r helfa  
*mee rosahees ohr helvah*

Er mwyn cael bod yma  
*er mooeen kaheel bohd uhmah*

I roddi fy hunan  
*ee rohthee vu h heenahn*

I Blodwen byth mwy.  
*ee blodwen biTH mooee*

A gymri di'n nghalon?  
*ah guhmree deeng hahlon*

Cymera'n ddi-oed.  
*kuhmehrahn theeoed*

Mae 'nghalon yn eiddo  
*maheeng hahlon uhn ehtho*

I Hywel erioed.  
*ee huhwel ereeoed*

Cyfnewid dwy galon  
*kuhvnewid dooee gahlon*

A wnawn yn ddi-oed.

You look just like Iolo

Are you trying to be a bard

Are you awake but dreaming

As you walk in the garden

Dreaming or not

I am awake enough

O Blodwen, my Blodwen

You know my pain

I stayed from the hunt

In order to be here

And give myself

To Blodwen forever

Will you take my heart

I'll take it immediately

My heart belongs

To Hywel forever

We'll exchange two hearts

Without delay

*ah oonahoon uhn thee-oeed*

Mae 'nghalon yn eiddo  
*maheeng hahlon uhn ehtho*

I Blodwen/Hywel erioed.  
*ee blodwen/huhwel ereeoeed*

**20. Rwy'n cofio'r adeg ddedwydd (Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor)**

Rwy'n cofio'r adeg ddedwydd  
*rooeen koveeoor ahdeg thedwith*

Pan own i'n ddeunaw oed,  
*pan ohn een thehnahoo oeed*

Yn chwarae hyd y bronnydd,  
*uhn CHwahrahee heed uh bronith*

Yn rhedeg llwybrau'r coed.  
*uhn HRehdeg LLooebraheer koeed*

Rwy'n cofio'r cariad cyntaf  
*rooeen koveeoor kahreeahd kuhntahv*

Yn saethu trwy fy mron,  
*uhn sehTHEe trooee vuuh mron*

Ac yno bydd yn olaf  
*ahk uhno beeth uhn ohlahv*

Tra cura'r galon hon.  
*trah keerahr gahlon hon*

Rwy'n gwybod,  
*rooeen gooeebod*

Blodwen ddedwydd,  
*blodwen thedwith*

Fod cariad cynta'th fron  
*vohd kahreeahd kuhntahTH vron*

Mor bur â bore'r wawrwydd,  
*mor beer ah bohrehr wahoortheeth*

Mor dwym â hafddydd llon.  
*mor dooeem ah hahytheeth LLon*

A chariad bron Syr Hywel  
*ah CHahreeahd bron suhr huhwel*

Sydd fel y dur i'w fun,  
*seeth vel uh deer u veen*

My heart belongs

To Blodwen/Hywel forever

I remember the contented time

When I was eighteen years old

Playing on the hills

Running along the forest paths

I remember the first love

Shooting through my breast

And there it will remain forever

As long as this hear beats

I know

Content Blodwen

That your breast's first love

Is as pure as the breaking dawn

As warm as a happy summer's day

And the love of Sir Hywel's breast

Is as iron to his girl

Yn nerthol ac yn gadarn, <i>uhn nerTHol ahk uhn gahdahrn</i>	Powerful and strong
Yn bur fel Duw ei hun. <i>uhn beer vel du eh heen</i>	Pure like God himself
<b>21. Cennad, fy arglwyddes (Negesydd/Messenger[Tenor])</b> Cennad, fy arglwyddes, <i>kenahd vuah ahrglooeethes</i>	A message, my lady
Oddi wrth Dywysog Cymru. <i>ohthee oorTH duhuhsog kuhmree</i>	From the Prince of Wales
Gorchmynnir ganddo ef, <i>gorCHmuhnir gahntho ehv</i>	He commands
Yn enw Duw a'n gwlaid <i>uhn ehnoo du ahn goolahd</i>	In the name of God and our country
I ddewr farchogion <i>ee theoor vahrCHogeeon</i>	For all the brave knights
Castell Maelor oll <i>kahsteLL mehlor ohLL</i>	Of Maelor Castle
I baratoi i ryfel <i>ee bahrahtoee ee ruhvel</i>	To prepare for war
Gyda'r wawr! <i>guhdahr wahoor</i>	At dawn
Mae Harri a'i fyddinoedd <i>mahee hahree ahee vuhtheenoeth</i>	Henry and his armies
Yn crynhoi <i>uhn kruhnhoee</i>	Are congregating
I ddod i'n herbyn <i>ee thohd een herbin</i>	To come opposite us
Yn y dyffryn draw. <i>uhn uh duhfrin drahoo</i>	In the far valley.
I'r gad! <i>eer gahd</i>	To arms
<b>22. Mae'r haul yn machlud dros y bryn (Corws TTBB Chorus)</b> Mae'r haul yn machlud <i>maheer haheel uhn mahCHlid</i>	The sun is setting
Dros y bryn <i>dros uh brin</i>	Over the hill
Â thonnau'r llyn yn llonydd.	And the waves of the lake are still

*ah THonaheer LLin uhn LLohnith*

Ni down o hela'r hydd yn glau  
*nee dohn oh hehlahr heeth uhn glahee*

Dros fryniau glynnaau glennydd.  
*dros yruhneeahee gluohnahee glenith*

Chwythwch yr helgorn  
*CHoouhTHooCH uhr helgorn*

O fynydd i fryn  
*oh vuhnith ee vrin*

Nes deffro yr atsain  
*nes defro uhr ahtsaheen*

Yng ngwaelod y glyn.  
*uhng wehlod uh glin*

Taliho!  
*Tahleehoh*

Mae hi'n derfyn y dydd,  
*mahee heen dervin uh deeth*

Down o hela yr hydd.  
*dohn oh hehlah uhr heeth*

Mae'r mynydd mawr  
*maheer muhnith mahoor*

Wrth godi'i ben  
*oorTH gohdee ben*

Fry tua'r nen yn union,  
*vree teeahr nen uhn ineeon*

Yn dweud na chawn edifarhau  
*uhn dooehd nah CHahoon edeevahrhahee*

Am garu'i ochrau geirwon.  
*ahm gahree oCHrahee gehrwon*

Ailchwythwch yr helgorn  
*aiheelCHoouhTHooCH uhr helgorn*

O fynydd i fryn  
*oh vuhnith ee vrin*

A dwed yr atsain o'r glyn  
*ah dooeched uhr ahtsaheen ohr glin*

Taliho!

We come from hunting the stag quickly

Over the hilly splendid glens

Blow the hunting horn

From mountain to hill

Until the echo awakes

At the bottom of the glen

Tallyho

It's the end of the day

We come from hunting the stag

The great mountain

As it lifts its head

High and straight toward the sky

Says that we may not repent

For loving its rocky sides

Blow the hunting horn again

From mountain to hill

And may the echo from the valley say

Tallyho

tahleehoh

**23. Mae Cymru'n barod ar yr wŷs (Hywel, Arthur)**

Mae Cymru'n barod ar yr wŷs  
*mahee kuhmreen bahrod ahr uhr ooees*

Wales is ready to be summoned

I dynnu'i chleddyf gwridog.  
*ee duhnee CHlehthiv gooreedog*

To withdraw her blushing sword

Pob dewr sy'n rhuthro gyda brys  
*pohb deoor seen HRiTHro guhdah breez*

Every brave person who rushes in haste

Ar alwad ein Tywysog,  
*ahr ahlwahd ehn tuhwuhsog*

To the call of our Prince

Y waedd "I'r Gâd"  
*uh waheeth eer gahd*

The call "To Arms"

A chwim eheda  
*ah CHwim eh-hehdah*

Flies quickly

O Fannau'r de  
*oh yahnaheer deh*

From the Beacons of the south

I ben yr Wyddfa.  
*ee ben uhr ooeethvah*

To Snowdon's peak

Y corwynt lleddf a gluda'r newydd  
*uh korwint LLethv ah gleedahr newith*

The plaintive hurricane carries the news

Mewn pruddaidd sain  
*mehoon preethaheeth saheen*

In sad tones

Dros fryn a bronnydd.  
*dros vrin ah bronith*

Over hills and hillocks

Fy ngwlad!  
*vuhng oolahd*

My country.

Paham mae'r gelyn cry'  
*pah-ham maheer gehlin kree*

Why does the strong enemy

Yn beiddio sathru  
*uhn behtheeo sahTHree*

Dare to trample

Dy ddyffrynnoedd cu?  
*duh thuhfruhnoeeth kee*

Your dear valleys?

Pa hyd y rhaid i Gymry wen,  
*pah heed uh HRaheed ee guhmree wen*

How long will pure Wales

Fy ngwlad, roi teyrned  
*vuhng oolahd roee tehrnged*

My country, pay tribute

I estron creulon llawn o frad?  
*ee estron krehlon LLahoon oh vrahd*

Fy ngwlad! A raid i'th huan cu  
*vuhng oolahd ah raheed eeTH heeahn kee*

Fachludo byth  
*vahCHleedoh biTH*

Dan warthus gwmwl du?  
*dahn wahrTHis goomool dee*

Gwisg dy gledd wroldeb frawd.  
*gwisg duh glehth ooroldeb vrahood*

Ni chaiff hen Gymru  
*nee CHaheef hehn guhmree*

Fod yn destun gwawd.  
*vohd uhn destin gwahood*

Os ydyw rhwysg  
*os uhdu HRooesg*

Ar ochr Harri fawr,  
*ahr ohCHor hahree vahoor*

Mae cledd cyfiawnder  
*mahee klehth kuhveeahoonder*

Gyda ni yn awr.  
*guhdah nee uhn ahoor*

Edrycha'r haul  
*edruhCHahr haheel*

Fel llygad Duw o'r nen  
*vel LLuhgahd du ohr nen*

I wylio dewrder meibion Cymru wen.  
*ee ooeeleeo deoorder mehbeeohn kuhmree wen*

Ond ni cha'r haul  
*ond nee CHahr haheel*

Byth weld o'r wybren law  
*biTH wehld ohr ooeebren lahoo*

Y Cymry'n cefnu  
*uh kuhmreen keynee*

Ar un gelyn cas.  
*ahr een gehlin kahs*

To a cruel foreigner full of betrayal?

My country. Will your dear sun have to

Set forever

Under a disgraceful black cloud?

Wear your sword of brothery bravery

Old Wales will never

Be the subject of mockery

If authority

Is on great Henry's side

The sword of justice

Is with us now

The sun looks

Like God's eye from above

Watching the bravery of Wales' pure sons

But the sun

Will never see from the sky the hand

From a single cruel enemy

Gwregyswn ein cleddyfau dur,  
*gooreguhsoon ehn klethuhvahee deer*

Let us wear our steel swords

Blaenllymwn saethau fyrrd.  
*blaheenLuhmoon sehTHahee veerth*

Let us sharpen many arrows

Mae miloedd o galonnau pur  
*mahee meeloeth oh gahlonahhee peer*

Thousands of pure hearts

Yn casglu hyd y ffyrdd.  
*uhn kahsglee heed uh feerth*

Are gathering along the ways

A!  
ah

Daw meibion dewrion Meirion bell  
*dahoo mehbeeon deooreeon mehreeeon behLL*

The brave sons of faraway Meirion come

Fel llif o'r Aran lawr.  
*vel LLeev ohr ahrahn lahoor*

Like a flood down from the Aran

A gwŷr Eryri o bob cell  
*ah gooer eruhree oh bohb keLL*

And the men of Snowdonia from every corner

Sy'n dod yn dyrfa fawr.  
*seen dohd uhn duhryah vahoor*

Come as a large crowd

## 24. Mae sŵn rhyfel yn y gwynt (Corws TTBB *Chorus*)

Mae sŵn rhyfel yn y gwynt,  
*mahee soon HRuhvel uhn uh gweent*

The sound of war is in the wind

Daw yn nes yn gynt.  
*dahoo uhn nehs uhn gint*

It comes closer, fast

Sŵn y Saeson ar eu hynt  
*soon uh sehson ahr eh hint*

It is the sound of the English on their way

Yn sathru tir a rhyddid Gwalia!  
*uhn sahTHree teer ah HRuhthid gooahleeah*

Trampling the land and freedom of Wales

A gawn ni â thawel wedd  
*ah gahoон nee ah THahwel wehth*

Will we, in a quiet manner

Weld ein gwlad yn fwyd i gledd?  
*weld ehn goolahd uhn vooeed ee gleth*

See out country as food for a sword?

A rhoi rhyddid yn ei fedd  
*ah HRoe HRuhthid uhn eh vehth*

And place freedom in its grave

Yn sain gorfoedd gwŷr Sacsonia?  
*uhn saheen gorvohleth gooer sahksoneeah*

In the sound of celebrating Englishmen?

Na, gwladgarwch eto sydd yn fyw!

No, patriotism is still alive

*nah goolahdgahrooCH eto seeth uhn vu*

Os byddwn farw,  
*os buhthoon vahroo*

If we die

Byddwn farw yn ddynion.  
*buhthoon vahroo uhn thuhneeon*

We die as men

Ein hunain a roddwn  
*ehn heenahseen ah rohthoon*

We give ourselves

Yn aberthau byw  
*uhn ahberTHahee bu*

As living sacrifices

I gadw ein gwlad  
*ee gahdoo ehn goolahd*

To keep our country

Rhag gormes ein gelynion.  
*HRahg gormes ehn geluhneeon*

From the oppression of our enemies

Duw fu'n darian  
*du veen dahreeahn*

God has been a shield

I'r Brythoniaid  
*eer bruhTHoneeahed*

To the Britons

Mewn oesoedd gynt  
*meoon oeesoeeth gint*

In previous ages

Ac a nerthodd ein gwroniaid  
*ahk ah nerTHoth ehn gooroneeahed*

And gave our heroes strength

Mewn oesoedd gynt.  
*mehoon oeesoeeth gint*

In previous ages

Wele fintai o'th addolwyr  
*wehle vintahee ohTH ahtholweer*

See a company of your worshippers

Ger dy fron  
*ger duh vron*

In your presence

Yn troi yn arwyr.  
*uhn troee uhn ahrweer*

Becoming heroes

Nodda feibion hen wladgarwyr  
*nohthah vehbeeon hehn wlahdgahrweer*

Protect the sons of old patriots

Yr oesoedd gynt.  
*uhr oeesoeeth gint*

Of previous ages

Nodda ni,  
*nohthah nee*

Protect us

Ein tirion Dad,

Gracious Father

*ehn tireeon dahd*

Tra'r ymladdwn dros ein gwlad!  
*trahr uhmlahthoon dros ehn goolahd*

\*I'r gad!  
*eer gahd*

Crochseinier utgorn rhyfel!  
*kroCHsehnee-er itgorn HRuhvel*

Y floedd a chwyddo'r awel!  
*uh vloeeth ah CHooeethor ahwel*

I'r gad yw atsain craig y mynydd!  
*eer gahd u ahtsaheen kraheeg uh muhnith*

I'r gad yw rhud tonnau'r Werydd.  
*eer gahd u HReeahd tonaheer wehrith*

Ymladdwn dros Dduw a'i allorau.  
*uhmlahthoon dros thu ahee ahLLohrahee*

Ymladdwn dros Gymru a'i breintiau!  
*uhmlahthoon dros guhmree ahee brehnteeahee*

Boed ysbryd Caradog,  
*boeed uhsbrid kahrahdog*

Yn ennyн pob mynwes,  
*uhn enin pohb muhnwes*

Ac oesau i ddyfod  
*ahk oeesahee ee thuhvod*

Fendithiant ein hanes!  
*vendeeTHEeahnt ehn hahnes*

Mae gwyr yr Eryri  
*mahee gooeer Uhr eruhree*

Yn dyfod fel afon  
*uhn duhvod vel ahvon*

A'r goelcerth gynheuwyd  
*ahr goeelkerTH guhnhehooeed*

Ar gopa Pumplumon,  
*ahr gopah pimlimon*

Yr Aran a'r Fama  
*ahr ahran ahr yahmah*

A Bannau Brycheiniog

As we fight for our country

To arms!

The war trumpet announces

The shout enhances the breeze

To arms says the echo of the mountain rock

To arms say the roaring Atlantic waves

We fight for God and his altars

We fight for Wales and her rights

May the spirit of Caradog

Enlighten every bosom

And the ages to come

Bless our history

The men of Snowdonia

Come as a river

And the bonfire lit

On the summit of Pumplumon

The Aran and the Fama

And Brecon Beacons

*ah bahnahee bruhCHehneeog*

I'r gad i gyfarfod  
*eer gahd ee guhvahrvod*

To arms to meet

Y dewrion sydd yn dyfod  
*uh deooreeon seeth uhn duhvod*

The brave men who approach

Arllwysant eu myrdd  
*ahrLooeesahnt eh meerth*

Pour their myriads

I chwyddo'r gad.  
*ee CHooeethor gahd*

To expand the army

I'r gad nes daw bloedd  
*eer gahd nehs dahoo bloeeth*

To arms until the shout comes

Annibyniaeth Cymru yn ôl.  
*ahneebuhneeaheeTH kuhmree uhn ohl*

Again for the independence of Wales

I'r gad nes daw buddugoliaeth  
*eer gahd nehs dahoo beetheegoleeaheeTH*

To arms until victory

A bloedd ein hannibyniaeth  
*ah bloeeth ehn hahneebuhneeaheeTH*

And the shout of our independence

Eto yn ôl.  
*eto uhn ohl*

Returns

\* q.v. 26. I'r gad! (Corws TTBB Chorus)

**25. Ffarwel, Arthur! (Elen, Blodwen, Hywel, Arthur)**

Ffarwel, Arthur!  
*fahrwel ahrThir*

Goodbye, Arthur

Duw y nefoedd  
*du uh nehvoeeth*

May the God of heaven

Fyddo gyda Chymru gu  
*vuhtho guhdah CHuhmree gee*

Be with dear Wales

Yn llywyddu ein byddinoedd  
*uhn LLuhwuhthee ehn buhtheenoeth*

Rule our armies

Ac yn baeddu'r gelyn du.  
*ahk uhn behtheer gehlin dee*

And defeat the black enemy

Cofia'r dwylaw fu yn rhoddi  
*koveeahr dooeelahoo vee uhn HRohthee*

Remember these two hands that placed

Yr ysnoden ar dy fron.  
*ehr uhsnohden ahr duh vron*

The ribbon on your breast

Cofia hefyd fod fy ngweddi

Remember as well my prayer

koveeah hehvid vohd vuhng wehthee

Drosot ti a Chymru lon.

drosot tee ah CHuhmreee lon

Gwen yw'r bluen sydd yn chwifio  
gwen ur blee-en seeth uhn CHwiveeo

Uwch dy gorun euraidd cu.

uooCH duh gorin ehraheeth kee

Gwen yw'r snoden wyf yn gwisgo  
gwen ur snohden ooeev uhn gwisgo

Ar dy fynwes wrol di.

ahr duh uhnwes oorol dee

Gwyddom fod ein pur serchiadau  
gooeethom vohd ehn peer serCHeeahdahee

Wedi'u pinio yn y fron.

Wehdee pineeo uhn uh vron

Cyn bod un o'r ysnodenau  
kin bohd een ohr uhsnohdenahee

Wedi dod o'ch dwylaw'n llon.

wehdee dohd ohCH dooeelahoон LLon

Clywch yr utgorn croch yn galw.

kluooCH uhr itgorn krohCH uhn gahloo

Farwel, Blodwen/Elen!

fahrwel blodwen/elen

Rhaid mynd ffwrdd.

HRaheed meend foorth

Cadwch y darluniau yma

kahdooCH uh dahrlineeaahee uhmah

Hyd nes cawn ni eto gwrrdd.

heed nes kahoon nee eto goorth

For you and joyful Wales

White is the feather that flies

Above your golden, dear, head

White is the ribbon that I place

On your brave breast

We know that pure love

Is pinned on your breast

Before one of the ribbons

Has left joyfully your two hands

Hear the loud trumpet calling

Goodbye Blodwen/Elen

I must leave

Keep these pictures

Until we meet again

**26. I'r gad! (Corws TTBB Chorus)**

*a la 24. Mae sŵn rhyfel yn y gwynt (Corws TTBB Chorus) \**

**27. Cennad o faes y gwaed (Negesydd/Messenger[Tenor], Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor)**

Cennad o faes y gwaed,

kenahd oh vahees uh gooahed

A message from the bloody battlefield

Fy Arglwyddes.

vuh ahrglooeethes

My Lady

Mae T'wysog Cymru,  
*mahee toouhsog kuhmree*

Ar ei fuan farch,  
*ahr eh veeahn vahrCH*

Yn taflu tân  
*uhn tahvlee tahn*

I fronnau pawb o'i wŷr,  
*ee vronahee pahoob oeo weer*

A hwythau'n lluchio angau llym  
*ah hooee THaheen LLiCHeeo ahngahee LLim*

Ar flaenau eu picellau erch  
*ahr ylehnahee eh pikeLLahee erCH*

I fynwes eu gelynion dewr.  
*ee vuhnwes eh geluhneeon deoor*

Syr Hywel Ddu  
*suhr huhwel thee*

Sy'n chwifio snoden wen  
*seen CHwiveeo snohden wen*

O flaeñ ei wŷr,  
*oh vlaheen eh weer*

Yn flaenaf yn y gad.  
*uhn ylehnahv uhn uh gahd*

Ac Arthur,  
*ahk ahr THir*

Ar ôl torri trwy ryw ddeg  
*ahr ohl toree trooee ru thehg*

O rengau y gelynion hyf,  
*oh rengahhee uh geluhneeon heev*

A wnaed yn farchog  
*ah oonaheed uhn yahrCHog*

Gan y T'wysog dewr  
*gan uh toouhsog deoor*

Yng nghanol lladdedigion  
*uhng hahnol LLahthedigeeon*

Ar y maes!  
*ahr uh mahees*

The Prince of Wales

On his fast steed

Throwing fire

Into the breast of all his men

And they thrust sharp death

On the points of their frightful lances

Into the bosom of their brave enemies

Sir Hywel Ddu

Waves a white ribbon

In front of his men

At the head of the army

And Arthur

After cutting through some ten

Ranks of the brave enemy

Was made a knight

By the brave Prince

In the middle of the dead

On the battlefield

Pa le mae'r bardd  
*pah leh maheer bahrth*

Where is the bard

A'i awen bur?  
*ahee ahwen beer*

And his pure inspiration?

Beth ddywed ef am hynt y gwyr?  
*behTH thuhwed ehv ahm hint uh gooeer*

What does he say of the men's journey?

## 28. Mae Harri a'i fyddinoedd (Iolo, Corws/Chorus)

Mae Harri a'i fyddinoedd  
*mahee hahree ahee vuhtheenoeth*

Henry and his armies

Yn dod fel y don,  
*uhn dohd vel uh don*

Are coming like a wave

O flaen y tymhestloedd  
*oh vlaheen uh tuhmhestloeeth*

Ahead of the storms

I'n gwlad yr awr hon.  
*een goolahd uhr ahoor hon*

Into our country now

Cysurwch/n eich/n Blodwen,  
*kuhseerooCH/n ehCH/n blodwen*

Comfort your/our Blodwen

Diddanwch/n eich/n Elen,  
*deethahnooCH/n ehCH/n ehlen*

Console your/our Elen

Mae adfyd gerllaw.  
*mahee ahveed gerLLahoo*

Adversity is close

Amneidio mae'r seren  
*ahmnehdeeo maheer sehren*

The star beckons

Wrth fflamio'n yr wybren  
*oorTH flahmeeon uhr ooebren*

As it flames through the sky

Mai dyfod o draw  
*mahee duhyod oh drahoo*

That from afar comes

Mae alaeth a braw.  
*mahee ahlaheeTH ah brahoo*

Grief and terror

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## 29. Mae mywyd bron a rhedeg (Arthur)

Mae mywyd bron a rhedeg  
*mahee muhwid bron ah HRehdeg*

My life has almost trickled

Yn ddafnau o fy nghlwyr'.  
*uhn thahvnahee oh vuhng hlooee*

As drops from my wound

Ychydig yw yr adeg  
*uhCHuhdig u uhr ahdeg*

Very little time

A gaf fi yma mwy.  
*ah gahv vee uhmah mooee*

Do I have here anymore

Tra rhed fy enaid allan  
*trah HRehd vu ehnaheed ahLLahn*

As my soul departs

Trwy'r clwyf i wir fwynhad,  
*trooer klooeev ee weer vooeenhahd*

Through the wound to true paradise

Mae'm serch o hyd yn para  
*maheem serCH oh heed uhn pahrah*

My love still extends

At Elen a fy ngwlad.  
*aht ehlen ah vu<sup>n</sup>ng oolahd*

To Elen and my country

### 30. Arthur, annwyl, paid a'm gadael (Elen, Arthur)

Arthur, annwyl,  
*ahrTHir ahnooeel*

Dear Arthur,

Paid a'm gadael.  
*paheed ahm gahdaheel*

Do not leave me

Wel' di nagrau'n treiglo'n lli'!  
*wehl dee nahgraheen trehglon LLee*

See my tears trickle as a flood

Elen dirion,  
*ehlen direeon*

Gentle Elen,

Cyn ymadael,  
*kin uhmahdaheel*

Before departing,

Gwrando fy nymuniad i.  
*goorahndo vu nuhmineahd ee*

Listen to my wish

Gwn nas gelli ymladd brwydrau  
*goon nahs geLLee uhmlaith brooeedrahee*

I know that you cannot fight battles

Fel dy briod,  
*vel duh breeod*

Like your spouse

Fel dy dad.  
*vel duh dahd*

Like your father

Ond ti elli daer weddio  
*ond tee eLLee daheer wethee*

But your can earnestly pray

Dros dy Arthur  
*dros duh ahrTHir*

For your Arthur

A dy wlad.  
*ah duh oolahd*

And your country

### 31. Taenwn flodau (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Negesydd/Messenger[Tenor], Iolo, Corws/Chorus)

Taenwn flodau ar y galon  
tehnoon vlohdahhee ahr uh gahlon

Waedodd dros ei Walia wen.  
wehdoth dros eh wahleeah wen

Planner llawryf bythol wyrddion  
plahner LLaahooreev buhTHol weertheeon

Byth i dyfu uwch ei ben.  
biTH ee duhvhee uooCH eh ben

Llaw y dewr sydd wedi oeri  
LLahoo uh deoor seeth wehdee oeeree

Tra yn rhwym am garn ei gledd.  
trah uhn HRooeem ahm gahrn eh glehth

Ond bydd ysbryd rhyddid Cymru  
ond beeth uhsbreed HRuhthid kuhmree

Byth yn gwylio'i annwyl fedd.  
biTH uhn gooeleeoee ahnooel vehth

**32. Mae ffawd yn cefnu (Negesydd/Messenger[Tenor], Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Blodwen)**  
Mae ffawd yn cefnu  
mahee fahood uhn keynee

Ar ein byddin gref,  
ahr ehn buhthin grehv

A Harri a'i wŷr  
ah hahree ahee weer

Ar uchelfannau'r maes.  
ahr eeCHelyahnahheer mahees

Fe gwympodd lluoedd  
veh gooeempoth LLeeoeeth

O'n gwroniaid ni,  
ohn gooroneeaheed nee

A thaenwyd dychryn  
ah THehnooed duhCHrin

Drwy ein rhengau dewr.  
drooee ehn HRengahee deooor

Er hyn mae'r dreigiau  
er hin maheer drehgeeahee

Yn ddiogel oll.  
uhn theeohgel ohLL

We scatter flowers on the heart

That bled for his pure Wales

May an evergreen laurel be planted

To grow forever above his head

The hand of the brave has gone cold

While grasping the hilt of his sword

But the spirit of free Wales

Will always watch his dear grave

Our strong army

With Henry and his men

On on the battlefield highground

Throngs of

Our brave men fell

And terror was spread

Throughout our brave ranks

Nevertheless the dragons

Are all safe

Encilia'r fyddin  
*enkileeahr yuhthin*

Tua'r Wyddfa draw.  
*teeahr ooeethvah drahoo*

Pa le mae Hywel?  
*pah leh mahee huhwel*

Ai diogel ef?  
*ahee deeohgel ehv*

O Hywel annwyl!  
*oh huhwel ahnooel*

A yw ef yn fyw?  
*ah u ehv uhn vu*

Pa bryd daw'n ôl?  
*pah breed dahoo nohl*

O na chawn weld ei wedd!  
*oh nah CHahoon weld eh wehth*

Syr Hywel oedd y dewraf  
*suhr huhwel oeeth uh deoorahv*

Ar y maes.  
*ahr uh mahees*

Nis gwn ai byw ai marw yw yn awr.  
*nis goon ahee bu ahee mahroo u uhn ahoor*

**33. O dywed im' awel y nefoedd (Blodwen)**  
O dywed im' awel y nefoedd  
*oh duhwed eem ahwel uh nehvoeeth*

Yw Hywel yn fyw yr awr hon.  
*u huhwel uhn vu Uhr ahoor hon*

Ti gwmwl sy'n cludo'r tymhestloedd,  
*tee goomool seen kleedor tuhmhestloeeth*

Tawela'r ystorm sy'n fy mron.  
*tahwehlahr uhstorm seen vuuh mron*

Yr atsain sy'n gwibio drwy'r broydd,  
*uhr ahtsaheen seen gweebree drooeer broheeth*

Deffroed holl nerthoedd dy lef.  
*defrohed hohLL nerTHoeeth duh lehv*

Dod dafod i glogwyn y mynydd  
*dohd dahvod ee glohgooleen uh muhnith*

The army is retreating

Toward distant Snowdon

Where is Hywel?

Is he safe?

Oh dearest Hywel!

Is he alive?

When will he return?

Oh that I may see his appearance

Sir Hywel was the bravest

On the battlefield

I don't know whether he is now alive or dead

O tell me, heaven's breeze

Is Hywel alive now

You cloud that carries the storms

Pacify the storm that's in my breast

The echo that darts through the vales

Awaken all the strengths of your cry

Give a voice to the mountain cliff

I ddwedyd ai byw ydyw ef. <i>ee thooehdid ahee bu uhdu ehv</i>	To say if he is alive
Fy nhad a fu farw'n y carchar <i>vuh nhahd ah vee yahroon uh kahrCHahr</i>	My father that died in the jail
Neu ynte ar gochfaes y gad. <i>neh uhnte ahr goCHvahees uh gahd</i>	Or even on the bloody battlefield
A minnau adawyd yn gynnar <i>ah minahee ahdahooeed uhn guhnahr</i>	And I was left early
Heb frodryr, <i>hehb vrohdir</i>	Without brothers
Heb fam ac heb dad. <i>hehb vahm ahk hehb dahd</i>	Without a mother and without a father
Ond teimlwn fy hun yn ddiogel <i>ond tehmloon vuh heen uhn theeoohgel</i>	But I felt safe
Dan lygad f'anwylyd o hyd. <i>dahn luhgahd vahnooeleed oh heed</i>	Always under the eye of my dearest.
Ai tybed im' golli fy Hywel, <i>ahee tuhbed eem goLLee vuuhuhwel</i>	I wonder if I've lost my Hywel
Y gorau a'r ola'n y byd! <i>uh gohrahee ahr ohlahn uh beed</i>	The best and last in the world
Fy Hywel! <i>vuh huhwel</i>	My Hywel
<b>34. Breuddwydais i neithiwr (Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor)</b> Breuddwydais i neithiwr ddiwethaf <i>brehthooeedeeahes ee nehTHEeoor theeweTHahv</i>	I dreamed this last night
Fod Hywel yn fyw yn y gad, <i>vohd huhwel uhn vu uhn uh gahd</i>	That Hywel was alive in the battle
A'i fod ef yn gyntaf ac olaf, <i>ahee vohd ehv uhn guhntahv ahk ohlahv</i>	And that was he first and last
Yn taro dros ryddid ei wlad. <i>uhn tahro dros ruhthid eh oolahd</i>	Striking for the freedom of his country
Breuddwydais doi adref <i>brehthooeedeeahes doee ahdrev</i>	I dreamed that he would come home
Yn union <i>uhn ineeon</i>	Immediately
A'r snoden fu unwaith yn wen <i>ahr snohden vee inwaheeTH uhn wen</i>	With the ribbon that was once white

Yn rhuddgoch  
*uhn HReethgohCH*

Crimson-red

Gan waed ei elynion.  
*gahn waheed eh eluhneeon*

With the blood of his enemies

Rwy'n siwr daw fy mreuddwyd i ben.  
*rooen shoorahoo vuuh mrethooeed ee ben*

I'm sure that my dream will come to an end

### 35. Mae'r seren wedi machlud (Iolo)

Mae'r seren wedi machlud,  
*maheer sehren wehdee mahCHlid*

The star has set

A seren Cymru gu  
*ah sehren kuhmree gee*

And dear Wales's star

Sydd wedi suddo hefyd  
*seeth wehdee seetho hehyid*

Has also sunk

O dan y cwmwl du.  
*oh dahn uh koomool dee*

Under the black cloud

Mae miloedd o galonnau  
*mahee meeloeth oh gahlonahee*

The thousands of hearts

Fu'n curo dros ein gwlad  
*veen keero dros ehn goolahd*

That beat for our country

Yn llonydd yn yr angau  
*uhn LLohnith uhn Uhr ahngabee*

Are still in the death

Ar waedlyd faes y gad.  
*ahr wehdliid vahees uh gahd*

On the bloody battlefield

### 36. Bu galed iawn y brwydro (Iolo)

Bu galed iawn y brwydro  
*bee gahled eeahoon uh brooeedro*

The fighting was hard

Ar bob llaw,  
*ahr bohb LLahoo*

On all sides

Ond gorfu ar y Cymry dewrion ffoi.  
*ond gorvee ahr uh kuhmree deooreeon foee*

But the brave Welshmen had to flee

Syr Hywel oedd yr olaf  
*suhr huhwel oeeth uhr ohlahv*

Sir Hywel was the last

Ar y maes  
*ahr uh mahees*

On the battlefield

Ac amgylchynwyd ef  
*ahk ahmguhlCHuhnooeed ehv*

And he was surrounded

Gan luoedd o ddewr elynion.

By throngs of brave enemies

*gahn leeoeeth oh theoor eluhneeon*

Ymladd law yn llaw y buont,  
*uhmlahth lahoo uhn LLahoo uh beeont*

They fought hand-to-hand

Ond cyn hir gorchfygwyd ef  
*ond kin heer gorChvuhgoeed ehv*

But before long he was overpowered

A gwnaed y gwron yn garcharor.  
*ah goonaheed uh gooron uhn gahrChahror*

And the hero was taken prisoner

Ac yng nghastell Caer  
*ahk uhng hahsteLL kaheer*

And in Chester jail

Y gorwedd ef yn awr,  
*uh gorweth ehv uhn ahoor*

He now lays

Yn rhwym i aros dydd  
*uhn HRooeem ee ahros deeth*

Bound to await the day

Ei dynged erch.  
*eh duhnged erCH*

Of his dreadful fate

**37. Chwibanu rhyddion odlau (Corws/Chorus)**

Chwibanu rhyddion odlau  
*Chooebahnee HRuhtheeon odlahee*

Whistling rhymes of freedom

Mae'r awel megis cynt,  
*maheer ahwel mehgis kint*

Does the breeze as in the past

Wrth ddawnsio  
*oorTH thafoonseeo*

As it dances

Hyd y bryniau  
*heed uh bruhneeahee*

On the hills

A'r cymoedd ar ei hynt.  
*ahr kuhmoeeth ahr eh hint*

And valleys on its journey

Ond gruddfan mewn cadwynau  
*ond greethvahn meoon kahdooeenahee*

But wailing in chains

Heb obaith am ryddhad,  
*hehb ohbaheeTH ahm reeth-hahd*

Without hope of freedom

'Rym ni bob dydd  
*reem nee bohb deeth*

We do every day

Mewn celloedd cudd  
*meoon keLLoeth keeth*

In hidden cells

Am garu tir ein gwlad.  
*ahm gahree teer ehn goolahd*

For loving our country's land

Mae'r adar yn telori <i>maheer <u>ahdahr</u> uhn <u>teloree</u></i>	The birds sing
Mor swynol ag erioed, <i>mor <u>sooeenol</u> ahg <u>ereeoeed</u></i>	As charming as ever
A bywyd yn ymdonni <i>ah <u>buhwid</u> uhn <u>uhmdonee</u></i>	And life ripples
Yng ngwyrddion gangau'r coed. <i>uhng <u>weertheeon</u> <u>gangaheer</u> koeed</i>	In the green branches of the trees
Ond ow! <i>ond oh</i>	But oh
Mae'n gwlad anwylgu <i>maheen goolahd <u>ahnooeelgee</u></i>	Our dear country
Yn gorwedd yn ei gwaed, <i>uhn <u>gorweth</u> uhn eh <u>gooaheed</u></i>	Lays in its blood
A'r gelyn cryf <i>ahr <u>gehlin</u> <u>kreev</u></i>	And the strong enemy
Yn sathru'n hyf <i>uhn <u>sahTHreen</u> <u>heev</u></i>	Tramples boldly
Ei thegwch dan ei draed. <i>eh <u>THEhgooCH</u> dahn eh <u>draheed</u></i>	Her fairness under its feet
O Dduw ein tadau, <i>oh thu ehn <u>tahdahee</u></i>	O God of our fathers
Cofia ni, <i>koveeah <u>nee</u></i>	Remember us
A gwrando ein pryderus gri. <i>ah <u>goorahndo</u> ehn <u>pruhderis</u> <u>gree</u></i>	And listen to our worried cry
Dinoetha'th gadarn fraich <i>deenoee<u>T</u>Hah<u>TH</u> <u>gahdahrn</u> <u>vrahee</u><u>CH</u></i>	Show us your strong arm
Yn awr, <i>uhn <u>ahoor</u></i>	Now
A dryllia ben y gelyn mawr. <i>ah <u>druhLLeeah</u> ben uh <u>gehlin</u> <u>mahoos</u></i>	And shatter the head of the big enemy
<b>38. Fy Mlodwen, f'anwylyd (Hywel)</b>	
Fy Mlodwen, <i>vuh <u>mlodwen</u></i>	My Blodwen
F'anwylyd, <i>vahnooleed</i>	My beloved

Fy mhopeth,  
*vuhm hopeTH*

Mae'n dda gennyf weled dy wedd.  
*maheen thah geniv wehlehd duh wehth*

Ond sycha dy ddagrau,  
*ond suhCHah duh thahgrahee*

Fy ngeneth,  
*vuhng ehneTH*

Mae dwyfron dy Hywel  
*mahee dooeevron duh huhwel*

Mewn hedd.  
*mehoon hehth*

Os dygwyd fy nghleddyf oddi arnaf,  
*os duhgooeed vuhng hlehthiv ohthee ahrnahv*

Os rhwymwyd fi ddwylaw a thraed,  
*os HRooemooeed vee thooeelahoo ah THraheed*

Mae'm hysbryd yn rhydd a dianaf  
*maheem huhsbrid uhn HReeth ah deeahnahv*

Mewn carchar  
*meoon kahrCHahr*

Fel ar faes y gwaed.  
*vel ahr fahees uh gooahed*

Ac wele'r ysnoden wen honno  
*ahk wehlehr uhsnohden wen hono*

A roist im'  
*ah roeest eem*

Ar lechwedd y ddôl,  
*ahr leCHweth uh thohl*

Er iddi gan waed gael ei rhuddo,  
*er eethee gahn waheed gaheel eh HReetho*

I ti rwy'n ei dychwel yn ôl.  
*ee tee rooeen eh duhCHwel uhn ohl*

O! Cadw hi'n dynn ar dy galon  
*oh kahdoo heen din ahr duh gahlon*

I gofio dy gariad a'th ffrind.  
*ee goveeo duh gahreeahd ahTHfrind*

My everything

It's good to see your appearance

But dry your tears

My girl

Your Hywel's breast

Is at peace

If my sword was taken from me

If I was bound hand and foot

My spirit is free and unhurt

In prison

As on the battlefield

And see that white ribbon

That you gave me

On the side of the meadow

Though it has been reddened by blood

I return it to you

Oh! Keep it tight on your heart

To remember your love and friend

Ffarwel i ti Blodwen, <i>fahrwel ee tee blodwen</i>	Farewell Blodwen
Fun ffyddlon, <i>veen fuhthon</i>	Faithful girl
Ond dyro im' gusan cyn mynd. <i>ond duhro eem geesahn kin mind</i>	But give me a kiss before leaving
<b>39. Mae mil o ysbrydion (Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Iolo)</b> Mae mil o ysbrydion <i>mahee meel oh uhsbruhdeeon</i>	A thousand spirits
Yn edrych i lawr <i>uhn edriCH ee lahoor</i>	Look down
O'r Aran a'r Gader <i>ohr ahrahn ahr gahder</i>	From the Aran and the Gader
A'r Wyddfa wen fawr. <i>ahr ooeethyah wen vahoor</i>	And great white Snowdon
Hwy wyddant bydd Hywel, <i>hooee weethant beeth huhwel</i>	They know that Hywel
Er gwaethaf pob brad, <i>er gooehTHahv pohb brahd</i>	In spite of every betrayal
Yn marw fel arwr <i>uhn mahroo vel ahroor</i>	Will die like a hero
Dros Gymru ei wlad. <i>dros guhmree eh oolahd</i>	For Wales his country
<b>40. Cenwch y clychau (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Hywel, Iolo, Corws/Chorus)</b> Cenwch y clychau, <i>kehnooCH uh kluhCHahee</i>	Ring the bells
Mae'n awr o fwynhad. <i>maheen ahoor oh vooeenhahd</i>	It's the hour of enjoyment
Mae gobaith i Loegr <i>mahee gohbaheeTH ee loeeger</i>	There is hope for England
I gael ei rhyddhad. <i>ee gaheel eh HReethhahd</i>	To get her freedom
Gwae ein gwlad! <i>gooahee ehn goolahd</i>	Woe to our country
<b>41. Ai dyma gell Syr Hywel Ddu? (Rhys Gwyn, Iolo, Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Blodwen)</b> Ai dyma gell Syr Hywel Ddu? <i>ahee duhmah geLL suhr huhwel thee</i>	Is this the cell of Sir Hywel Ddu?

Mae gennyf newydd iddo ef yn awr.  
*mahee geniv newith eetho ehv uhn ahoor*

Pwy ydwyt ti?  
*pooee uhdooeet tee*

O ble rwyt ti yn dod?  
*oh bleh rooeet tee uhn dohd*

Myfi yw Rhys Gwyn  
*muhyeet u HRees gwin*

O Gastell Padarn bell.  
*oh gahsteLL pahdahrn behLL*

Rhys Gwyn yn fyw!  
*HRees gwin uhn vu*

Blodwen annwyl,  
*blodwen ahnooeel*

Dyma’th dad yn fyw!  
*duhmahTH dahd uhn vu*

Fy nhad!  
*vuh nhahd*

Fy hir golledig dad?  
*vuh heer goLLehdig dahd*

Os collais fy Hywel,  
*os koLLahees vuh huhwel*

Mi gefais fy nhad.  
*mee gehvaehees vuh nhahd*

Fy Mlodwen!  
*vuh mlodwen*

Annwyl Blodwen,  
*ahnooel blodwen*

Rwyt yn eilun o dy fam  
*rooeet uhn ehlín oh duh vahm*

Ac yn bobeth i dy hen dad.  
*ahk uhn bopeTH ee duh hehn dahd*

Ond nid awr i ymgofleidio’n ffôl  
*ond nid ahoor ee uhmgovlehdeeon fohl*

Yw’r adeg hon.  
*ur ahdeg hon*

I have news for him now

Who are you?

Where do you come from?

I am Rhys Gwyn

From faraway Padarn Castle

Rhys Gwyn is alive

Blodwen dear

Your father is here, alive

My father

My long lost father?

If I lost my Hywel

I have got my father

My Blodwen

Blodwen dear

You are the image of your mother

And mean everything to your old father

But the time to embrace foolishly

Is not now

Rwy'n dod i'r castell hwn <i>rooeen dohd eer kahsteLL hoon</i>	I come to this castle
Â newydd pwysig. <i>ah newith pooeesig</i>	With important news
Mae'r brenin wedi marw <i>maheer brehnin wehdee mahroo</i>	The king has died
A gollyngwyd fi <i>ah goLLuhngooeed vee</i>	And I have been released
O garchar du <i>oh gahrCHahr dee</i>	From a dark jail
Rhyw ugain o flynyddau maith, <i>HRu eegaheen oh vluhnuhthahee maheeTH</i>	After some twenty long years
Gorchymyn ges o'r llys <i>gorCHuhmin gehs ohr LLees</i>	I received an order from the court
I ddod i lawr, <i>ee ddohd ee lahoor</i>	To come here
A dyma'r drwydded freiniol <i>ah duhmahr drooeethed vrehneeol</i>	And here is the royal permission
Yn fy llaw, <i>uhn vuuh LLahoo</i>	In my hand
I ollwng pob carcharor <i>ee oLLoong pohb kahrCHahror</i>	For every prisoner to be released
Heno'n rhydd! <i>hehnon HReeth</i>	Free tonight
Tyrd, <i>teerd</i>	Come
Geidwad sarrug, <i>gehdwahd sahrig</i>	Surly guard
Tor y gadwyn hon. <i>tor uh gahdooen hon</i>	Break this chain
<b>42. Molianwn (Blodwen, Arglwyddes/Lady Maelor, Hywel, Iolo, Corws/Chorus)</b>	
Moliannwn y nefoedd, <i>moleeahnoon uh nehvoeeth</i>	We praise heaven
Mae Hywel yn rhydd. <i>mahee huhwel uhn HReeth</i>	Hywel is free
Aeth nos o dywyllwch <i>aheeTH nohs oh duhwuhLlooCH</i>	A night of darkness turned into

Yn ddilyw o ddydd. <i>uhn theelu oh theeth</i>	A flood of day
Awn adref i Faelor <i>ahoon ahrev ee vehlor</i>	Let us go home to Maelor
Dan ganu'n gytûn, <i>dan gahneen guhteen</i>	Singing together
Bydd Hywel a Blodwen <i>beeth huhwel ah blodwen</i>	Hywel and Blodwen
Byth mwyach yn un. <i>beeTH mooeahCH uhn een</i>	Will be for ever as one

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