

Bring me a rose

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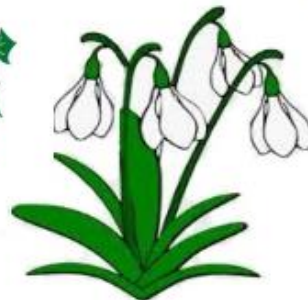
A wistful folk song.

There is a definitive version of this lovely song written by Ernie Sheldon in 1964 and sung by the Limelighters. A Mudcat contributor suggested it has been adapted elsewhere 'to please the singer of the moment'.

It was also published in 1980 as 'A rose is sweet' in 'Alleluya' by A&C Black where it is listed as traditional; the tune appears to be a different one.

Capo: 4th fret

Bring me a rose in the win - ter - time, When its hard to find, ——— Bring me a
rose in the win - ter - time, I've got ros - es on my mind. But a rose is sweet most
an - y - time and yet, Bring me a rose in the win - ter - time, It's so ea - sy to for - get!



Bring me a rose in the wintertime,
When it's hard to find,
Bring me a rose in the wintertime,
I've got roses on my mind.
But a rose is sweet most anytime and yet,
Bring me a rose in the wintertime,
It's so easy to forget.

Bring me a friend when I'm far from home,
When it's hard to find,
Bring me a friend when I'm far from home,
I've got friendship on my mind.
A friend is sweet most anytime and yet,
Bring me a friend when I'm far from home,
It's so easy to forget.

Bring me a kiss when my child is grown,
When it's hard to find,
Bring me a kiss when my child is grown,
I've got kissing on my mind.
A kiss is sweet most anytime and yet,
Bring me a kiss when my child is grown,
It's so easy to forget.

Bring me love in my Autumn years,
When it's hard to find,
Bring me love in my Autumn years,
I've got loving on my mind.
Love is sweet, most anytime and yet,
Bring me love in my Autumn years,
It's so easy to forget.

Bring me peace when there's talk of war
When it's hard to find,
Bring me peace when there's talk of war,
Peace is on on my mind.
Peace is sweet most any time and yet,
Bring me peace when there's talk of war,
It's so easy to forget.