

The Tamar Shanty

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Chorus

Wind - ing weav - ing through the val - ley, stretch - ing flow - ing a - cross the land.

1. Green is the colour of our valley: trees and nature do abound.

The Tamar offers history and legend, with signs of beauty all around

CH. Winding, weaving through the valley: stretching, flowing across the land.

2. Giant Tavy and Tamara fell in love one summer's day,

But her father was so angry he turned her into a river they say.

3. Tavy drowned in tears of sorrow, formed a river so lovingly.

Now the rivers join each other and flow together toward the sea.

4. Lots of stories to be told: mining, fishing, history.

When we're walking along the river, the water reflects - and so can we.

5. Wild life, bird song, ferns and reeds, pine trees stretching towards the sky.

Pull an oar or haul a sail - all helps to keep our spirits high.

6. Let's wave a hand across the water, sing a song to the other side.

Embrace the features all around us, treasures of the Tamar wide.

(Double CHORUS)