

My Darling Asleep

Part A

Part B

"My Darling Asleep", in Gaelic "*Mo Muirnin 'Sa Codlad*" is also known as "The Mummer's" and "My Darling's Asleep", it is a popular Irish session tune; so much so, that it is sometimes seen as hackneyed, and some call it "My Darling's a Sheep."

The first sound recording of "My Darling Asleep" was by Dan Sullivan's Shamrock Band, in 1929. It has since been recorded by The Dubliners, Sean Keane, Boys Of The Lough, Jay Ungar And Molly Mason and many others.

It was printed in both O'Neill's **Music of Ireland: 1850 Melodies** (1903) and **Dance Music of Ireland: 1001 Gems** (1907) and Williamson's **English, Welsh, Scottish and Irish Fiddle Tunes** (1976).

This plays well in medleys with:

Miller's Maggot

Money in Both Pockets

both in this section.

I learned this at our Monday night jam and Williamson's book.