

Tippin' It Up To Nancy (Trad. Arr. Chris Rogan & Brian McGuire)

Oh, there's been a woman in our town, a woman you might know well
She dearly loved her husband and another man twice as well

CHORUS

With me right finnickineerio, me tip finnick a wall
With me right finnickineerio, We're tipping it up to Nancy

She went down to the chemist shop some remedies for to buy,
Have you anything in your chemist shop to make me old man blind?

"Give him eggs and marrowbones and make him suck them all,
And when he's the last one sucked, he won't see you at all."

She gave him eggs and marrowbones and made him suck them all,
And when he'd sucked the last one, he couldn't see her at all.

If in this world I cannot see, then here I cannot stay.
I'll drown myself, "Come on," she said "and I'll show you the way"

She led him to the river, she led him to the brim
But sly enough was Martin, it was him that shoved her in.

She swam through the river, she swam through the brine
"Oh Martin, dear Martin. Don't leave your love behind."

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"Ahh shut up says he you silly ol' fool, you know poor Martin's blind"

There's nine in me family and none of them is my own,
I wish that each and every man would come and claim his own.

There was a woman in our town a woman you all know well
She dearly loved her husband and another man twice as well