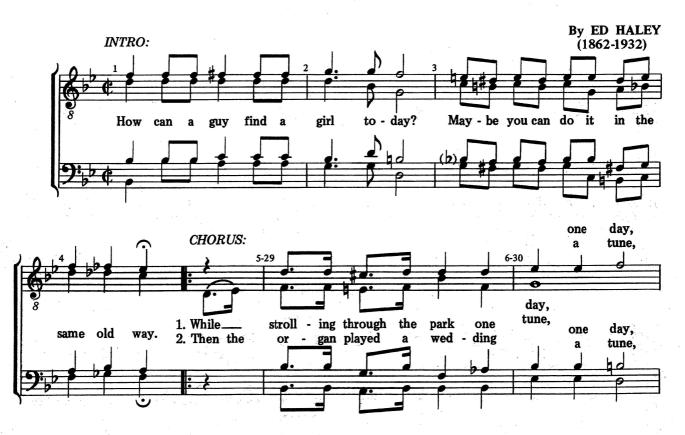
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## WHILE STROLLING THROUGH THE PARK ONE DAY

1884

The actual title of this song is "The Fountain In The Park," and the real name of the composer was Robert Keiser, who changed his name to Robert King. He published songs under several assumed names, including Ed Haley, R. A. Wilson, and Mrs. Ravenhall, in addition to his own name, Robert Keiser/Robert King. His other great successful song, "Beautiful Ohio," was published under the pseudonym Mary Earl.

It is said that Robert Keiser/Robert King could imitate any style of composition and that he composed excellent songs with amazing speed. He wrote songs, often anonymously, for many publishers, but not one of them ever surpassed this one for popularity. Perhaps its slightly naughty (in 1884) lyric has something to do with its durability.



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