

Clementine

In a cavern in a canyon
Excavating for a mine
Dwelt a miner forty-niner
And his daughter Clementine

Chorus:

Oh my darling, oh my darling Oh my darling Clementine You are lost and gone forever Dreadful sorry Clementine

Light she was and like a fairy
And her shoes were number nine
Herring boxes without topses
Sandals were for Clementine (chorus)

Drove she ducklings to the water Every morning just at nine Hit her foot upon a splinter Fell into the foaming brine (chorus)

Ruby lips above the water Blowing bubbles soft and fine But alas, I was no swimmer So I lost my Clementine (chorus)

Then the miner, forty-niner
Soon began to pike and pine
Thought he oughta join his daughter
Now he's with his Clementine (chorus)