I'M SHY MARY ELLEN, I'M SHY

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Rather slowly

Moderato

VERSES

court-ed Ma-ry El-len For four-teen solid years, But she
year with Ma-ry El-len To Low-es-toft I went, Ma-ry
out with Ma-ry El-len We met a six-foot man, "That's the
mar-ry Ma-ry El-len I went to church one morn, While the

made me blush when she One night bold-ly said to me, "You've
saucy scamp" said she, "I'm going bath-ing in the sea. So
par-ty with the bride Went to church, I stood out-side. For

A7 Bm7 Cm6 A7 G
A7 D G D D A7
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A7 D

1. I
2. Last
3. While
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never kiss’d me once, John, Tho’ I’d like you to,” she sighed; “Why just, you thrash the mas-sive brute” I look’d at his six feet, Then quite an hour I stood there while She waited to be wed. Then

don’t you call me pret-ty names?” I hung my head and cried, “I’m go and have a bathe A-mongst the men” I said “No, no! “I’m she said “Take your coat off” But I said, “What in the street! “I’m she came out and said “Come on” “I don’t like to,” I said. “I’m

E7

CHORUS
Tempo di Valse

shy, Mar-ry El-len, I’m shy It does seem so
shy, Mar-ry El-len, I’m shy. It does seem so
shy, Mar-ry El-len, I’m shy. It would look so
shy, Mar-ry El-len, I’m shy. It does seem so

A7

naugh-ty oh, my! Kiss-ing is nice-ly, I’ve
naugh-ty oh, my! Men are so rough and I’m
naugh-ty oh, my!” I said as I looked at that
naugh-ty oh, my!” But still we got mar-ried and

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of ten heard say, But still how to do it I don't know the
sure they will stare They'll SPLASH me, and DUCK me, if I go in
got home al right, And kept up the one thing I'd give him a
way. So you put your arm round my waist I
there. The girls ain't so rough as the men,
slap. But look at the la dies a bout And
night. Then they wish'd Mary Ellen good bye, And
prom ise I won't scream or cry, So you do the kiss ing and
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