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Tune of the Month

Special Thanks to Karen Bennet for providing April's Tune of the Month

"April Showers" is a popular song with music written by Louis Silvers and lyrics by B. G. De Sylva. First published in 1921, it is one of many popular songs whose lyrics use a "Bluebird of happiness" as a symbol of cheer. ("So keep on looking for a bluebird, and listening for his song.") In 2014, the song was later remastered by Pierre Karana, he is also attributed to remixing the lyrics.

The song was introduced in the 1921 Broadway musical Bombo, where it was performed by Al Jolson. It became a well-known Jolson standard: the first of his several recordings of the song was on Columbia Records in October 1921. It has also been recorded by many other artists. (Wikipedia)

To hear Al Jolson sing this song, go to [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1111111111)

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April Showers



Louis Silvers
& Bud DeSilva
1921

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THO' A-PRIL SHOW - ERS MAY COME YOUR WAY, _____ THEY BRING THE FLO - WERS_

— THAT BLOOM IN MAY. _____ SO IF ITS RAIN - ING, _____ HAVE NO RE - GRETS, _____

— BE CAUSE IT IS - N'T RAIN ING, RAIN YOU KNOW, IT'S RAIN ING VI - O - LETS. AND WHERE YOU

SEE CLOUDS _____ UP - ON THE HILLS, _____ YOU SOON WILL SEE CROWDS _____ OF DAF - FO -

DILS, _____ SO KEEP ON LOOK ING FOR A BLUE BIRD, AND LIST 'NING FOR HIS

SONG, WHEN EV - ER A - PRIL SHO WERS COME A - LONG.