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Ma Cooke

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How majestic and how grand,
With their summits bathed in glory,
Like our Prince Immanuel land!
Is it any wonder then,
That my heart with rapture thrills,
As I stand once more with loved
ones on those North Carolina hills.

Chorus

Oh, the North Carolina hills,
Where my childhood hours were passed,
Where I often wandered lonely,
And the future tried to cast:
Many are our visions bright,
Which the future never fulfills:
But how sunny were my day dreams
On those North Carolina hills.

Chorus

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How unchanged they seem to stand
With their summits pointed skyward,
To the Great Almighty's land!
Many changes I can see
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Chorus

O the North Carolina hills!
I must bid you now adieu:
In my home beyond the mountains
I shall ever dream of you:
In the evening time of life,
If my Father only will,
I shall still behold the vision
of those North Carolina hills.

(Chorus:)

O the hills, the beautiful hills.
How I love those North ~~Carolina~~ Carolina ^{hills}
If o'er sea or land I roam
Still I think of happy home,
And the friends among the
North Carolina hills.