

Strathspeidh      CAIRISTIONA CHAIMBEUL  
Christine Campbell

Seist

**Tha i tighinn air an rathad, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      tighinn-coming air-on rathad-road  
*She is coming along the road, Christine Campbell*

**Tha i tighinn air an rathad, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**  
*She is coming along the road, Christine Campbell*

**Tha i tighinn ai an rathad, Cairistiona Chaimbeul,**  
*She is coming along the road, Christine Campbell,*

**Cairistiona Chiorstaidh Anna Cairistiona Chaimbeul.**  
*Christine Kirsty Ann Christine Campbell.*

Rann 1

**Tha i bòidheach, 's tha i laghach, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      boidheach-bonny  
*She is bonny and she is nice, Christine Campbell*

**tha i bòidheach 's tha i laghach, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      laghach - nice/kindly  
*she is bonny and she is nice, Christine Campbell*

**tha i bòidheach 's tha i laghach, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**  
*she is bonny and she is nice, Christine Campbell,*

**'S cuimir dìreach anns an ruidhl' i, 's cinnteach anns an dawns i.**      cuimir-neat/proper  
*Neat and upright in the reel, and assured in the dance is she.*      ruidhl'-reel dawns-dance

Rann 2

**Pòsaidh mi thu air an t-Samhain, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      posaidh - will marry  
*I'll marry you in November, Christine Campbell*

**Pòsaidh mi thu air an t-Samhain, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      mi -I thu - you  
*I'll marry you in November, Christine Campbell*

**Pòsaidh mi thu air an t-Samhain, Cairistiona Chaimbeul**      Samhain- November  
*I'll marry you in November, Christine Campbell*

**'S ged a tha do chasan caola, 's e mo ghaol gun taing thu.**      ged- although chasan-legs  
*And though your legs are spindly, I love you despite that.*      caol-thin/spindly ghaol-love  
gun taing-despite(lit without thanks!)