73 Hie Over to England

- Classification: Fairy Flight / Comedic Legend
- The Narrative Arc: Sean Long, a hospitable man living on a secluded hill, tolerates the "Good Folk" occasionally stopping by his house to eat. One evening, he awakens to find them plotting a magical heist across the sea at a London distillery. Watching them dip their fingers in a mysterious cup, rub their foreheads, and chant a flying spell, Sean leaps from his bed in nothing but his nightshirt and mimics them. Shot through his own roof, he flies to London, but his fatal weakness for drink catches up with him. He passes out drunk under a whiskey barrel, waking up to a burglary investigation and a totally bewildered judge.
- Folklore Elements & Motifs:
  - Fairy Ointment & Incantations: Borrowed magic used by a mortal to fly.
  - The Flawed Hero: Human vices (alcoholism) disrupting supernatural fortune.
- Thematic Core: The chaotic and unpredictable consequences of poking one's nose into fairy business.
- Key Quote: “Out with Sean through the roof of the house, just as the others did and he never let up following them until they got to London.”