

# HAMISHA ASAR

This is one of the songs based on family life and holidays in Vlasenica. I loved *Hamisa Asar* (*Tu B'Shevat*), the celebration that marks the time when sap begins to flow from fruit and nut trees, because we children would go house to house, carrying a colorful bag made by our mothers, to gather the customary 15 kinds of fruit and join in the festivities. There is a beautiful saying in Ladino, "Si kazan lus arvolis i impesan a salir las primeras floris" (The trees marry and then the first flowers start to appear).

Music and Lyrics  
FLORY JAGODA

**Festive-lively**

D Gm D

Ha - mi - sha A - sar Ha - mi - sha A - sar ven a ver - mos

Gm D Cm D Gm D

va - mos kan - tar <sup>1</sup> La ba - la ba - ya mos as - per ra kon

Cm D <sup>1.</sup> Cm D <sup>2.</sup> Cm D

kin - tze pla - tos de fru - ta de fru - ta

D <sup>1.</sup> Cm

Ben - di - cho su nom - bre Si - nyor del mun - do fru - tas de Is - ra -

D <sup>2.</sup> Cm D

el Ben - fru - tas de Is - ra - el