The World Music Collection



Üsküdara (traditional)









Rast Oyun Havasi (traditional)









The first tune is a well known "turku" - a rhythmic Turkish folksong - about a clerk travelling to Üsküdara (a district of Istanbul). The song is also known as Kâtibim.

Apparently there are lots of Turkish songs called Rast Oyun Havasi; I got this one from a collection of belly-dancing music.



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