

## **Blow the Man Down**

D                    D6            D            D6  
Come all you young fellows who follow the sea,  
D   D6 Em            A7  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
Em            A7            Em            A7  
Now, please pay attention and listen to me,  
A7                    D  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

I'm a deep-water sailor just come from Hong Kong.  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
If you give me some whiskey I'll sing you a song.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

On a trim Black Ball liner I first served my time.  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
On a trim Black Ball liner I wasted my prime.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

When a trim Black Ball liner's preparing for sea,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
You'd split your sides laughin', such sights you would see.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

There's tinkers and tailors, shoemakers and all,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
They're all shipped for sailors on board the Black Ball.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

When a big Black Ball liner's a-leaving her dock,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
The boys and the girls on the pierhead do flock.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

Now, when the big liner is clear of the land,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
Our bosun he roars out the word of command.  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

"Come, quickly lay aft to the break of the poop,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
Or I'll help you along with the toe of my boot!"  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

"Pay attention to orders, now you one and all,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
For see, right above you there flies the Black Ball!  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

"This larboard and starboard on deck you will sprawl,  
*To me way, hay, blow the man down,*  
For `Kicking Jack' Rogers commands the Black Ball!"  
*Give me some time to blow the man down!*

## Michael Row the Boat Ashore

G  
Michael row the boat ashore  
C G  
Halleluja  
G Bm Am  
Michael row the boat ashore  
D7 G  
Halleluja

Sister help to trim the sail  
Halleluja  
Sister help to trim the sail  
Halleluja

Jordan river is chilly and cold  
Halleluja  
Kills the body but not the soul  
Halleluja

Jordan river is deep and wide  
Halleluja  
Milk and honey on the other side  
Halleluja

Michael's boat is a music boat  
Halleluja  
Too bad it didn't float  
Halleluja

Michael row the boat ashore  
Halleluja  
Michael row the boat ashore  
Halleluja

## Coasties, Tow the Boat Ashore

(to the tune of "Michael Row the Boat Ashore")

G

Coasties tow the boat ashore

C G

Halleluja

G Bm Am

Coasties tow the boat ashore

D7 G

Halleluja

Janette and Larry went for a ride

Halleluja

Rolled the boat when the waves got high

Halleluja

They tried in vain to climb aboard

Halleluja

But all the oil made it kind of hard

Halleluja

Soon the Coast Guard was at their side

Halleluja

They told Janette to let Larry drive

Halleluja

Janette said, "Sir, that's not his boat!"

Halleluja

So they towed her back to port

Halleluja

The crowds were waiting when they arrived

Halleluja

Lots of pictures for the Squadron web site

Halleluja

Coasties tow the boat ashore

Halleluja

Coasties tow the boat ashore

Halleluja

## My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean

D G D  
My bonnie lies over the ocean  
Bm A7  
My bonnie lies over the sea  
D G D  
My bonnie lies over the ocean  
D G A7 D  
Oh bring back my bonnie to me

D G  
Bring back, bring back  
A7 D  
Bring back my Bonnie to me, to me  
D G  
Bring back, bring back  
A7 D  
Bring back my Bonnie to me

Oh blow ye the winds o'er the ocean  
And blow ye the winds o'er the sea  
Oh blow ye the winds o'er the ocean  
And bring back my bonnie to me

Bring back, bring back  
Bring back my Bonnie to me, to me  
Bring back, bring back  
Bring back my Bonnie to me

My Bonnie's complexion was lovely,  
Her face, it was beauteous to see;  
One day she got caught in a rainstorm,  
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.

Bring back, bring back,  
Bring back my Bonnie to me, to me.  
Bring back, bring back,  
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.

My Bonnie leaned over the gas tank,  
The height of its contents to see;  
I lighted a match to assist her,  
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.

Bring back, bring back,  
Bring back my Bonnie to me, to me.  
Bring back, bring back,  
Oh, bring back my Bonnie to me.

My breakfast lies over the ocean,  
My luncheon lies over the rail;  
My supper lies in great commotion,  
Will someone please bring me a pail?

Please bring, please bring,  
Please bring a pail to me, to me,  
Please bring, please bring,  
Oh, please bring a pail to me.

Who knows what I had for breakfast,  
Who knows what I had for tea?  
Who knows what I had for supper,  
Just look out the window and see!

Clams, clams, clams, clams,  
Oh, clams and ice cream don't agree with me!  
Clams, clams, clams, clams,  
Oh, clams and ice cream don't agree!

My bonnie lies over the ocean  
My bonnie lies over the sea  
My bonnie lies over the ocean  
Oh bring back my bonnie to me

## What Do You Do with a Drunken Sailor

Em  
What Do You Do with a Drunken Sailor  
D  
What Do You Do with a Drunken Sailor  
Em  
What Do You Do with a Drunken Sailor  
D            Em  
Earl-eye in the morning

### Chorus

Wey hey and up she rises  
Wey hey and up she rises  
Wey hey and up she rises  
Earl-eye in the morning

Put him in the longboat 'til he's sober (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Pull out the plug and wet him all over (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Put him in the scuppers with a hawsepole on him (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Heave him by the leg in a running bowline (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Tie him to the taffrail when she's yardarm under (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Throw him in the brig until he's sober (3X)  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

That's what you do with a drunken sailor  
That's what you do with a drunken sailor  
That's what you do with a drunken sailor  
Earl-eye in the morning



## **What Do You Do with a Past Commander**

*(to the tune of "What do you do with a Drunken Sailor")*

Em  
What do you do with a Past Commander  
D  
What do you do with a Past Commander  
Em  
What do you do with a Past Commander  
D            Em  
Earl-eye in the morning

Chorus  
Hey, Ray! and up he rises  
Hey, Ray! and up he rises  
Hey, Ray! and up he rises  
Earl-eye in the morning

Give him Scotch until he's tipsy  
Give him Scotch until he's tipsy  
Give him Scotch until he's tipsy  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Put him in a dress and make him purr-dee (pretty)  
Put him in a dress and make him purr-dee  
Put him in a dress and make him purr-dee  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

Give him a flag with a swallow-tail on it  
Give him a flag with a swallow-tail on it  
Give him a flag with a swallow-tail on it  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)

That's what you do with a past commander  
That's what you do with a past commander  
That's what you do with a past commander  
Earl-eye in the morning

(Chorus)



## Proud Mary

(intro)

C A C A C A G F F6 F D

D

Left a good job in the city

workin for the man every night and day

and I never lost one minute of sleepin',

worryin' 'bout the way things might have been

A

Big wheel a-keep on turnin'

Bm

Proud Mary keep on burnin',

D

Rollin', rollin', rollin' on the river.

C A C A C A G F F6 F D

D

Cleaned a lot of plates in Memphis

pumped a lot of pain down in New Orleans

But I never saw the good side of the city

till I hitched a ride on a river boat queen.

Big wheel a-keep on turnin,

Proud Mary keep on burnin,

Rollin, rollin, rollin on the river.

C A C A C A G F F6 F D

D

If you come down to the river

bet you're gonna find some people who live

you don't have to worry, cause you have no money

people on the river are happy to give.

Big wheel keep on turnin,

Proud Mary keep on burnin,

Rollin, rollin, rollin on the river.

Rollin, rollin, rollin on the river.

C A C A C A G F F6 F D