

The Mermaid

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SOPRANO 1

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ALTO

It was Fri - da - y morn when w - e se - t sail and we

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were no-t far from the land when the cap tain. he spied a fa-ir me-r maid with a

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comb and a glass in her hand. O the o - cean's waves will roll and the

comb and a glass in her hand. O the o - cean's waves will roll - and the

comb and a glass in her hand. O the o - cean's waves will roll - and the

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stor - my winds will blo - w while we po-or sai- lors go skip-ping to the top and the

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stor - my winds will blow - while we poor sai- lors go skip-ping to the top and the
land lub-bers lie down be-low be-low be-low and the land lub-bers lie down be-low then

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up spo-ke the cap- tain of this gal-lant ship and a fine ol - d cap- tain was

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he this lit - tle mer-maid has told me of her due we shall

26

sink to the bot-tom of the sea. will roll

O the o - cean's waves will roll and the

will roll

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will blow while we po-or sai- lors go skip-ping to the top and the

stor - my winds will blo - w while we po-or sai- lors go skip-ping to the top and the

will blow while we poor sai- lors go skip-ping to the top and the

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land lub-bers lie down be - low be-low be-low and the land lub-bers lie down be - low

land lub-bers lie down be - low be-low be-low and the land lub-bers lie down be - low

land lub-bers lie down be - low be-low be-low and the land lub-bers lie down be - low then

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SPOKEN _____

up jump-ed the cab-in boy of this gal-lant ship and a chee-ky lit-tle chap - was he well

I've got-three girls in Pad-stow by the sea and to-night they'll be weep-ing o-ver me O the

ro - ll blo - w while

ro - ll blo - w while

o - cean's waves will roll and the stor-my winds will blo - w while

we poor sai-lors go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

we poor sai-lors go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

we po - or sai-lors go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

low - - and the land lub-bers lie down be - low -

low and the land lub-bers lie down be - low - Then

low be - low be - low and the land lub-bers lie down be - low

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up jumped John Cleave from this gal-lant ship and a cra-zy o - ld fo - ol - was

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he Well he cares much more for his jol - ly old mous-tache than he

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O the o - cean's waves will roll and the
does for the bot-tom of - the sea O the o - cean's waves will ro - ll and the
O the o - cean's waves will ro - ll and the

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stor - my winds will blo - w while we poor sai- lers go skip-ping to the top and the
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land lub-bers lie down be low - and the land lub-bers lie down be-low

land lub-bers lie down be-low - and the land lub-bers lie down be-low

land lub-bers lie down be-low be-low be-low and the land lub-bers lie down be-low

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Three times a-round spun our gal-lant ship and three times a-round sp-un she

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three times a-round spun our gal-lant ship and we sank to the bot-tom of the sea O the

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o - cean's waves will ro - ll and the stor - my winds will blo - w while

o - cean's waves will roll and the stor - my winds will blo - w while

o - cean's waves will ro - ll and the stor - my winds will blo - w while

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we poor sai - lers go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

we po - or sai - lers go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

we po - or sai - lers go skip-ping to the top and the land lub-bers lie down be -

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molto rall
low and the land lub-bers lie down be - lo - w

molto rall
lo - w and the land lub-bers lie down be - lo - w

molto rall
low be - low be - low and the land lub-bers lie down_ be - low