

The Leaving of Liverpool

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Intro count in C/ 1-2 12

[C] Fare thee well to you, my [F] own true [C] love,
there were many fare thee [G] wells.
I am [C] bound for Cal [F] ifor [C] nia,
a place that I [G] know right [C] well.

CHORUS-----

So [G] fare the well, my [F] own true [C] love,
when I return united we will [G] be.
It's [C] not the leaving of Liverpool that [F] grieves [C] me,
but my darling when I [G] think of [C] thee.

I [C] am bound on a yankee [F] clipper [C] ship,
Davy Crockett is her [G] name.
And [C] her captain's name it is [F] Burg [C] ess,
and they say that she's a [G] floating [C] Hell.

REPEAT CHORUS

I [C] sailed with Burgess [F] once [C] before,
and I think I know him [G] well,
If a [C] man's a sailor he will [F] get al [C] ong,
if he's not then he's [G] sure in [C] Hell.

REPEAT CHORUS

The [C] ship is in the [F] harbour,[C] love,
and you know I can't re [G] main,
I [C] know it will be a [F] long long [C] time
before I see [G] you ag [C] ain.

REPEAT CHORUS A CAPELLA x 1
REPEAT CHORUS x 1 END