

Skye Boat Song in C

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Intro: [C] [Dm] [C] [C]

Chorus

[C] Speed bonnie [Am] boat like a [G] bird on the wing
[C] Onward! the [Dm] sailors [C] cry.
[C] Carry the [Am] lad that's [G] born to be king
[C] Over the [Dm] sea to [C] Skye [C]

[Am] Loud the winds howl, [Dm] loud the waves roar
[Am] Thunderclaps [F] rend the [Am] air
[Am] Baffled, our foes [Dm] stand by the shore
[Am] Follow they [F] will not [Am] dare [G7]

Chorus

[Am] Though the waves leap, [Dm] soft shall ye sleep
[Am] Ocean's a [F] royal [Am] bed
[Am] Rocked in the deep, [Dm] Flora will keep
[Am] Watch by your [F] weary [Am] head [G7]

Chorus

[Am] Many's the lad [Dm] fought on that day
[Am] Well the clay[F]more could [Am] wield
[Am] When the night came, [Dm] silently lay
[Am] Dead on Cull[F]oden's [Am] field [G7]

Chorus

[Am] Burned are our homes, [Dm] exile and death
[Am] Scatter the [F] loyal [Am] men
[Am] Yet ere the sword [Dm] cool in the sheath
[Am] Charlie will [F] come [Am] again [G7]

Final Chorus

[C] Speed bonnie [Am] boat like a [G] bird on the wing
[C] Onward! the [Dm] sailors [C] cry.
[C] Carry the [Am] bairn that's [G] born to be king
[C] Over the [Dm] sea to [C] Skye [C]

