

On the Midnight Sea

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The musical score is written for a single melodic line in treble clef, 3/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is accompanied by a series of chords indicated by letters above the staff. The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words hyphenated across measures. The score consists of six lines of music.

Chords: G, C, Am, D, D7, G, D7, G, C, Am, D, D7, G, C, G, A7, D, D7, G, C, Am, D, D7, G, D7, G, C, Am, D, D7, G.

Lyrics:
Sail with me on the mid - night sea, the moon is ri - - ding high
sil - ver boat will keep us a - float while the wind hums a sweet lul - la - by
Mer - maids make eyes at the stars in the skies That
shim - mer and shim - - my with a glit - - ter sur - - prise
Sail with me on the mid - night sea, sail with me to - - night
Sail with me on the mid - night sea, sail with me to - - night

Sail with me on the midnight sea, the moon is riding high
A silver boat will keep us afloat while the wind hums a sweet lullaby
Mermaids make eyes at the stars in the skies
That shimmer and shimmy with a glitter surprise
Sail with me on the midnight sea, sail with me tonight (2X)

Dance with me on the midnight sea, tangos, and polkas, and reels
We'll waltz around in our spangles and crowns, looking as fine as we feel
Starfish allemande with 8 or 9 hands
Pinwheeling around to an octopus band
Dance with me on the midnight sea, dance with me tonight (2X)

Sing with me on the midnight sea, we'll holler all night long
We'll harmonize until the sunrise, a chorus to welcome the dawn
I hear that the whales can sing without scales
While dolphins keep time with their flippers and tails
Sing with me on the midnight sea, sing with me tonight (2X)

Dream with me on the midnight sea, as the moon dips into the foam
Eyes drift closed and as we doze our dreams will follow us home
Stars fade to bright and whisper goodnight
To the mermaids below then wink out of sight
Dream with me on the midnight sea, dream with me tonight (2X)