

THE LEAVING OF LIVERPOOL

Toonsoort: C Duur: 3.33

Voorspel: laatste 2 regels van het refrein

Shanty-man begint

Accordeons herhalen steeds de laatste regel van het refrein

Couplet 1.

*Fa-are-well to Pri-in-ce-ess Landing Stage,
River Mersey, fa-are thee-ee well
For I'm bound to Ca-a-li-i-for-ni-a
That's a place I kno-ow so-o well!*

Refrein:

**So-o fare thee well, my own true love,
and when we return united we will be.
It's not the leaving of Liverpool that grie-ieves me ...
but my darling when I think of thee.**

Couplet 2.

*I have shipped on a Ya-an-kee-ee clipper ship,
Davey Crocket i-is he-er name.
And the captain's na-ame it is Bu-urgess,
And the ship she's a floa-oa-ti-ing shame.*

Refrein:

Couplet 3

*I have shipped wi-ith Bu-ur-ge-ess once more before
And I think I kno-ow hi-im well
If a man is a sailor he can get along
If he's not then his li-ife is a hell.*

Refrein:

Couplet 4

*Fa-are-well to thee-ee Lower Frederick Street,
Anson Terrace a-and Pa-ark Lane,
For I'm bound to Ca-a-li-i-for-ni-a,
A-and hope some go-old to-o gain.*

Refrein: