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## I Want To Marry A Lighthouse Keeper Erika Eigen

boys sing blue girls sing brown all sing black

**Intro:** [G] I want to marry a [E7] lighthouse keeper [A7] Won't that [D7] be o-[G]-kay?

[G] I want to marry a lighthouse keeper, and [C] keep him [D] compan-[G]-y. [G] I want to marry a lighthouse keeper and [A7] live by the side of the [D7] sea.

I'll [G] polish his lamp by the [G7] light of day
So [C] ships at night can [C#dim] find their way.
[G] I want to marry a [E7] lighthouse keeper
[A7] Won't that [D7] be o-[G]-kay?

[C] We'll have parties on a [Cm] coral reef
 And [G] clam bakes on the [G7] shore
 [C] We'll invite the [Cm] neighbours in, [A7!] Seagulls by the [D7!] score.

I **[G]** dream of living in a lighthouse baby, **[C]** Every **[D]** single **[G]** day. I **[G]** dream of living in a lighthouse, the **[A7]** white one by the **[D7]** bay.

So [G] if you want to make my [G7] dreams come true, [C] Go be a lighthouse [C#dim] keeper, do. [G] We could live in a [E7] lighthouse A [A7] white one [D7] by the [G] bay [E7] hey. [A7] Won't that [D7] be o-[G]-kay.

Kazoo over:

[G] I want to marry a lighthouse keeper, and [C] keep him [D] compan-[G]-y
 [G] I want to marry a lighthouse keeper and [A7] live by the side of the [D7] sea

I'll [G] polish his lamp by the [G7] light of day

So [C] ships at night can [C#dim] find their way. [G] I want to marry a [E7] lighthouse keeper [A7] Won't that [D7] be o-[G]-kay?

[C] We'll take walks along the [Cm] moonlit bay
 [G] Maybe find a treasure [G7] too.
 [C] I'd love living in a [Cm] lighthouse... [A7!] How about [D7!] you?

I [G] dream of living in a lighthouse baby, [C] Every [D] single [G] day.

I [G] dream of living in a lighthouse, The [A7] white one by the [D7] bay.

So [G] if you want to make my [G7] dreams come true,

**[C]** Go be a lighthouse **[C#dim]** keeper, do.

[G] We could live in a [E7] lighthouse

A [A7] white one [D7] by the [G] bay-ay [E7] hey.

[A7] Won't that [D7] be o-[G]-kay.

[A7] Ya da [D7] ta da [G!] da [G!!]



SEA OF UKES





# The Handicapper Colin Gibbs



#### **Intro:** 'til **[D]** boredom over-**[A]**-took us, and **[E7]** he began to **[A]** speak.

On a [A] warm summer's evenin' on a [D] boat bound for [A] nowhere, I [D] met up with the [A] sailor; we were both too tired to [E7] sleep. So [A] we took turns a steerin' in the [D] cockpit and the [A] darkness 'til [D] boredom over-[A]-took us, and [E7] he began to [A] speak. [A]

He said, [A] "Son, I've made a life out of [D] crewin' in yacht [A] races, and [D] knowin' how the [A] boat sails by the way the telltale [E7] flies. So if [A] you don't mind my sayin', I think [D] you'd be losing [A] places. For a [D] taste of your [A] whiskey I will [E7] give you some ad-[A]-vice."[A]

So I [A] handed him my bottle and he [D] drank down my last [A] swallow. Then he [D] bummed a cigar-[A]-ette, ... and asked me for a [E7] light. And the [A] night got deathly quiet, and his [D] face lost all ex-[A]-pression. Said, "If you're [D] gonna play the [A] game, boy, ya gotta [E7] learn to play it [A] right. [A]

You got to **[A]** know when to raise 'em, **[D]** know when to **[A]** reef 'em, **[D]** know when to **[A]** bear away and know when to **[E7]** run. You never **[A]** count your trophies when you're **[D]** sittin' in the **[A]** cockpit There'll be **[D]** time enough for **[A]** countin' when the **[E7]** handicapper's **[A]** done.

[A////] (Key change) [C////] [C////]

[C] Every sailor knows that the [F] secret to sur-[C]-vival is [F] knowin' what to [C] throw away and knowing what to [G7] keep. 'Cause [C] every boat's a winner and [F] every boats a [C] loser, and the [F] best that you can [C] hope for is to [G7] die in the [C] deep." [C]

And [C] when he'd finished speakin', I went [F] back towards the [C] cabin, saw his [F] glowin' cigar-[C]-ette ... and faded off to [G7] sleep. And [C] somehow in the darkness the [F] sailor, he went [C] over. But [F] in his final [C] words I found some [G7] wisdom I could [C] keep. [C]

You got to **[C]** know when to raise 'em, **[F]** know when to **[C]** reef 'em, **[F]** know when to **[C]** bear away and know when to **[G7]** run. You never **[C]** count your trophies when you're **[F]** sittin' in the **[C]** cockpit There'll be **[F]** time enough for **[C]** countin'

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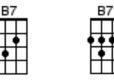
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when the [G7] handicapper's [C] done [C !]



**Intro:** [G ////] sittin' on the dock of the [A ////] bay, wastin' [G ////] time. [E7 ////]

[G] Sittin' in the mornin' [B7] sun,
I'll be [C] sittin' when the evenin' [A] comes.
[G] Watching the ships roll [B7] in,
then I [C] watch 'em roll away a-[A]-gain, yeah.



Chorus: I'm [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay, watching the [G] tide roll a-[E7]-way. Just [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay, wastin' [G] ti-i-i-[E7] -ime.

I [G] left my home in [B7] Georgia,
[C] headed for the 'Frisco [A] Bay.
[G] I have nothing to [B7] live for,
It look like [C] nothin's gonna come my [A] way.

Chorus:	I'm [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay,
	watching the [G] tide roll a-[E7]-way.
	Just [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay,
	wastin' <b>[G]</b> ti-i-i- <b>[E7]</b> -ime.

[G] Look like [C] nothing's gonna change.
[G] Ev'rything [C] still remains the same.
[G] I can't do what [C] ten people tell me to do,
[F] so I guess I'll re-[D]-main the same, yeah

I'm [G] sittin' here restin' my [B7] bones, and this [C] loneliness won't leave me a-[A]-lone, yeah [G] Two thousand miles I [B7] roamed just to [C] make this dock my [A] home..

Chorus: I'm [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay, watching the [G] tide roll a-[E7]-way. Just [G] sittin' on the dock of the [A] bay, wastin' [G] ti-i-i-[E7]-ime.

 Whistle:
 [G] [G] [G] [E7]
 [G] [G] [G] [E7]
 [G >]

### The Drunken Sailor

Traditional



[Dm] [Dm]	SEA OF UKES	
(LADIES)	[Dm] What shall we do with the drunken sailor? [C] What shall we do with the drunken sailor? [Dm] What shall we do with the drunken sailor? [C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
	Hoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Hoo-ray, and up she risesHoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
<ul> <li>(LADIES)</li> <li>[Dm] Put him in the long boat 'til he's sober</li> <li>[C] Put him in the long boat 'til he's sober</li> <li>[Dm] Put him in the long boat 'til he's sober</li> <li>[C] Ear-ly in the [Dm] morning</li> </ul>		
	Hoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Hoo-ray, and up she risesHoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
(LADIES) [Dm] Pull out the plug and wet him all over [C] Pull out the plug and wet him all over [Dm] Pull out the plug and wet him all over [C] Ear-ly in the [Dm] morning		
	Hoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Hoo-ray, and up she risesHoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
(LADIES)	[Dm] Put him in the scuppers with the hose pipe on him [C] Put him in the scuppers with the hose pipe on him [Dm] Put him in the scuppers with the hose pipe on him [C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
	Hoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Hoo-ray, and up she risesHoo-ray, and up she rises[C] Earl-y in the [Dm] morning	
<ul> <li>(LADIES)</li> <li>[Dm] Heave him by the leg in a running bowline</li> <li>[C] Heave him by the leg in a running bowline</li> <li>[Dm] Heave him by the leg in a running bowline</li> <li>[C] Ear-ly in the [Dm] morning</li> </ul>		
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<ul> <li>(ALL) [Dm] Hoo-ray, and up she rises [C] Hoo-ray, and up she rises</li> <li>[Dm] Hoo-ray, and up she rises [C] Earl-y in the [Dm !] morn-[Dm !]ing</li> </ul>		

Sailing Rod Stewart



*Intro:* I am [G] sailing, I am [Em] sailing, Home a-[C]-gain cross the [G] sea,

I am [G] sailing, I am [Em] sailing, Home a-[C]-gain cross the [G] sea, I am [A] sailing stormy [Em] waters, To be [Am] near you, to be [G] free [D7]

> I am [G] flying, I am [Em] flying, Like a [C] bird cross the [G] sky, I am [A] flying, passing [Em] high clouds, To be [Am] with you, to be [G] free [D7]

Can you **[G]** hear me, can you **[Em]** hear me, Through the **[C]** dark night, far a-**[G]**-way, I am **[A]** dying, forever **[Em]** trying, To be **[Am]** with you, who can **[G]** say **[D7]** 

**Instrumental:** (4 strums each chord)

[C] [Em] [D] [Em] [C] [Em] [D] [D7]

Can you **[G]** hear me, can you **[Em]** hear me, through the **[C]** dark night, far a-**[G]**-way, I am **[A]** dying, forever **[Em]** trying, To be **[Am]** with you, who can **[G]** say **[D7]** 

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> We are **[G]** sailing, we are **[Em]** sailing, Home a-**[C]**-gain, cross the **[G]** sea, We are **[A]** sailing stormy **[Em]** waters, To be **[Am]** near you, to be **[G]** free. **[D7]** Oh, Lord, to be **[Am]** near you, to be **[G]** free, **[D7]** Oh, my Lord, to be **[Am]** near you, to be **[G]** free **[G>]**

Tempo 120



**Intro (play chords over):** [A] Down the way, where the [D] nights are gay And the [E7] sun shines daily on the [A] mountain top I took a trip on a [D] sailing ship And when I [E7] reached Jamaica, I [A] made a stop.

[A] Down the way, where the [D] nights are gay And the [E7] sun shines daily on the [A] mountain top I took a trip on a [D] sailing ship And when I [E7] reached Jamaica, I [A] made a stop.

Chorus: [A] Sad to say, I'm [D] on my way, [E7] Won't be back for [A] many a day, My heart is down, my head is [D] turning around I had to [E7] leave a little girl in [A] Kingston town.

[A] Sounds of laughter [D] everywhere And the [E7] dancing girls sway [A] to and fro, I must declare, my [D] heart is there, 'Though I've [E7] been from Maine to [A] Mexico.

Chorus: [A] Sad to say, I'm [D] on my way,[E7] Won't be back for [A] many a day,My heart is down, my head is [D] turning aroundI had to [E7] leave a little girl in [A] Kingston town.

[A] Down at the market, [D] you can hear Ladies [E7] cry out while on their [A] heads they bear, Ackee, rice, salt [D] fish are nice, And the [E7] rum is fine any [A] time of year.

Chorus: [A] Sad to say, I'm [D] on my way,
[E7] Won't be back for [A] many a day,
My heart is down, my head is [D] turning around
I had to [E7] leave a little girl in [A] Kingston town.
[A] Sad to say, I'm [D] on my way,

[E7] Won't be back for [A] many a day,
My heart is down, my head is [D] turning around
I had to [E7] leave a little girl in [A] Kingston town.
[E7] leave a little girl in [A] Kingston town. [A !]

Don Gibson



#### [C] [G7] [C] [G7]

The [C] lights... in the [Am] harbor Don't shine for [G7] me [C] I'm... like a [Am] lost ship Lost on the [G7] sea [G7 ! ]

(bom bom [F] bom)

(bom bom [F] bom)

The sea of **[C]** heartbreak Lost love and [G7] loneliness Memories of [C] your caress So divine... [F] I wish You were mine a-[C]-gain my dear I'm on a [G] sea of tears [G!] A sea of [C] heartbreak [C] [G7] [G7]

[C] How... did I [Am] lose you Where did I [G] fail [C] Why... did you [Am] leave me Always to [G7] sail [G7 !]

(bom bom [F] bom)

(bom bom [F] bom)

The sea of [C] heartbreak Memories of **[C]** your caress You were mine a-[C]-gain my dear I'm on a [G] sea of tears [G ! ] A sea of [C] heartbreak [C]

Lost love and [G7] loneliness So divine... [F] I wish

[F] Oh what I'd give just to [C] sail back to shore [F] Back to your arms once [G7] more

So [C] come to my [Am] rescue	(bom bom [F] bom)
Come here to [G] me	
[C] Take me and [Am] keep me	(bom bom [F] bom)
Away from this [G7] sea [G7 ! ]	

The sea of **[C]** heartbreak Lost love and [G7] loneliness Memories of [C] your caress So divine... [F] I wish You were mine a-[C]-gain my dear I'm on a [G] sea of tears [G!] A sea of [C] heartbreak [C] [G7] [G7] A sea of [C] heartbreak [C] [G7] [G7] [C!]

#### **Sloop John B**

Beach Boys



Well I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home Intro: We [C] came on the sloop [F] John [C] B Dm My grandfather [F] and [C] me Around Nassau town we did [G7] roam Drinking all [C] night [C7] got into a [F] fight [Dm] Well I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I want to go [C] home **Chorus:** So [C] hoist up the John [F] B's [C] sail (Hoist up the John B's sails) See how the main-[F]-sail [C] sets (See how the mainsail sets) Call for the captain a-shore and let me go [G7] home (Let me go home) I wanna go [C] home (Let me go [C7] home) I wanna go [F] home [Dm] yeah (Hoist up the John B) Well I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home (Hoist up the John B, Hoist up the John B) The first mate he [F] got [C] drunk And broke in the cap-[F]-tain's [C] trunk The constable had to come and take him a-[G7]-way Sheriff John [C] Stone [C7]

Why don't you leave me a-[F]-lone yeah [Dm] yeah Well I [C] feel so broke up [G7] I wanna go [C] home

#### **Repeat Chorus**

The poor cook he caught **[F]** the **[C]** fits And threw away all **[F]** my **[C]** grits And then he took and he ate up all of my **[G7]** corn Let me go **[C]** home **[C7]** Why don't they let me go **[F]** home **[Dm]** This **[C]** is the worst trip **[G7]** I've ever been **[C]** on

So **[C ! a capella]** hoist up the John B's sail See how the main-sail sets Call for the captain ashore let me go home I wanna go home I wanna go home yeah Well I feel so broke up I wanna go **[C]** home

Repeat Chorus (without last response).... then [C !] [G7 !] [C !]