



# The Mermaid

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## Verse 1

'Twas Friday morn when we set sail  
and our ship not far from land,  
We there did espy a fair pretty maid,  
With a comb and a glass in her hand,  
her hand, her hand,  
With a comb and a glass in her hand.



## Chorus

While the raging seas did roar, and the  
stormy winds did blow,  
While we jolly sailor boys were sitting  
up aloft,  
And the land lubbers lying down below,  
below, below,  
And the land lubbers lying down below.





## Verse 2

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Then up spoke the captain of our gallant  
ship

And a fine old man was he

"This fishy mermaid has warned me of  
our doom

We shall sink to the bottom of the sea,  
the sea the sea,

We shall sink to the bottom of the sea"



## Chorus

While the raging seas did roar, and the  
stormy winds did blow,  
While we jolly sailor boys were sitting  
up aloft,  
And the land lubbers lying down below,  
below, below,  
And the land lubbers lying down below.



### Verse 3

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Then three times 'round spun our gallant ship

And three times 'round spun she

Three times 'round spun our gallant ship

And she sank to the bottom of the sea,  
the sea, the sea

And she sank to the bottom of the sea.



## Chorus

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stormy winds did blow,  
While we jolly sailor boys were sitting  
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