

# Skye Boat Song

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Gently (♩=120)

Musical score for the first system of 'Skye Boat Song'. It features five staves: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Piano. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked 'Gently' with a quarter note equal to 120 beats per minute. The Soprano part begins with a dynamic of *p* and a *ppp* marking later. The Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts are marked *p* and *mm*. The Piano accompaniment is marked *p*. The music consists of a series of chords and melodic lines across the staves.

Musical score for the second system of 'Skye Boat Song', starting at measure 9. It features four vocal staves (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a Piano accompaniment. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is 'Gently'. The lyrics are: "Speed, bon-nie boat, like a bird on the wing, On - ward, the". The Soprano part is marked *mf*. The Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts are marked *mp*. The Piano accompaniment is marked *mp*. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves, with some words underlined to indicate phrasing.

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S  
sail - ors cry! Car - ry the lad that's

A  
On - ward the sal lers, the sai - lers cry! Car - ry the

T  
8 On - ward, the sai - lers cry! Car - ry the

B  
On - ward, cry! Car - ry the

19

S  
born to be king O - ver the sea to Skye.

A  
lad O - ver the sea, o - ver the sea to Skye.

T  
8 lad O - ver the sea, O - ver the sea to Skye.

B  
lad that's born king, O - ver the sea to Skye.

25

*f*

S Loud loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar

A Loud loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar

T Loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar, Thun - der - claps

B Loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar, Thun - der - claps

30

S Thun - der - claps rend the air Baf - fled, our foes stand on the

A Thun - der - claps rend the air Baf - fled, our foes stand on the

T rend the air. Baf - fled, our foes

B rend the air. Baf - fled, our foes

35

S  
shore, Fol - low they will \_\_\_\_\_ they will not dare, will not, will not

A  
shore, Fol - low they will \_\_\_\_\_ they will not dare, will not, will not

T  
8 stand on the shore, Fol - low they will not dare.

B  
stand on the shore, Fol - low they will not dare.

40

S  
*p* dare \_\_\_\_\_ Speed, bon-nie boat like a bird on the wing

A  
*p* dare \_\_\_\_\_ Speed, bon-nie boat like a bird on the wing, On-ward, the

T  
8 \_\_\_\_\_ Speed, bon-nie boat like a bird on the wing, On-ward, the

B  
*p* \_\_\_\_\_ Speed, bon-nie boat like a bird on the wing, On-ward, the sai - lors

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S On - ward, the sai - lors cry! \_\_\_\_\_ Car - ry the lad that's born to be king

A sai - lors cry! \_\_\_\_\_ Car - ry the lad that's born to be king O - ver the

T sai - lors cry! \_\_\_\_\_ Car - ry the lad that's born to be king O - ver the

B cry! \_\_\_\_\_ Car - ry the lad that's born to be king O - ver the sea to

55

S O - ver the sea to Skye. *mf* Though the waves leap,

A sea to Skye. \_\_\_\_\_ *mf* Though the waves leap,

T sea to Skye. \_\_\_\_\_ *mf* *ah* \_\_\_\_\_

B Skye, to Skye. *mf* *ah* \_\_\_\_\_

60

S  
soft shall ye sleep, O - cean's a ro - yal bed. Rocked

A  
soft shall ye sleep, O - cean's a ro - yal bed.

T  
ah ah ah

B  
ah ah ah

*mf*

66

S  
in the deep, Flo - ra will keep Watch by your

A  
ah ah ah

T  
ah ah ah

B  
Rocked in the deep Watch

71

S *mf*  
wea - ry head. Speed, bon-nie boat, like a bird on the

A *mp*  
ah Speed like a bird a

T *mp*  
8 ah Speed like a bird

B *mp*  
o'er your head. Speed bon - nie boat, like a

77

S  
wing, On - ward, the sail - ors cry! Car - ry the

A  
bird on the wing On - ward the sail - ors, the sail - ors cry!

T  
8 on the wing On - ward, the sail - ors cry!

B  
bird on the wing On - ward, cry! Car -

83

S lad that's born to be king O - ver the sea to Skye!\_\_\_\_\_

A Car - ry the lad O - ver the sea, o - ver the sea\_\_\_ to Skye!

T Car - ry the lad O - ver the sea, O - ver the sea\_\_\_ to Skye!

B ry the lad that's born king, O - ver the sea to Skye!

90

S O - ver the sea to Skye.\_\_\_\_\_

A \_\_\_\_\_

T O - ver the sea\_\_\_ to Skye.\_\_\_\_\_

B O - ver the sea to Skye.\_\_\_\_\_