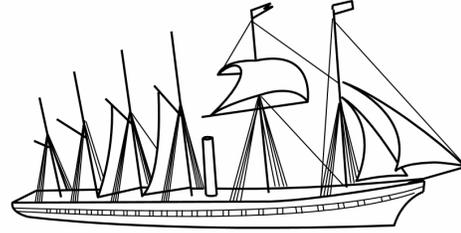




# "WATERFRONT" SONGS & CAROLS

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## 1. THE HOLLY AND THE IVY - TRADITIONAL CAROL (1710)

1.) The holly and the ivy,  
When they are both full grown  
Of all the trees that are in the wood  
The holly tree bears the crown  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**

2.) The holly bears a blossom  
As white as lily flower  
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ  
To be our sweet Saviour  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**

3.) The holly bears a berry  
As red as any blood  
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ  
To do poor sinners good  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**

4.) The holly bears a prickle  
As sharp as any thorn;  
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ  
On Christmas Day in the morn.  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**

5.) The holly bears a bark  
As bitter as any gall;  
And Mary bore sweet Jesus Christ  
For to redeem us all.  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**

6.) The holly and the ivy  
Now both are full well grown,  
Of all the trees that are in the wood,  
The holly tree bears the crown.  
**O the rising of the sun**  
**And the running of the deer**  
**The playing of the merry organ**  
**Sweet singing all in the choir**





## 2. SHIFTING SANDS - GLYN COLLINSON (2008)

1.) From the sunrise in the morning  
 The tide will fill the bay  
 There's a girl the storm's ignoring  
 She's at home with the foam and spray  
 Turned her back on the rising sun  
 Waves at her command  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands, girl**  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands**

2.) As the train pulled out the station  
 The sun rose through the sky  
 Fuelled by her elation  
 The town went rolling by  
 When she turned her back on the midday  
 sun

On her way to a foreign land  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands, girl**  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands**

3.) By the time the sun was setting  
 She found herself so changed  
 There wasn't any regretting  
 The life that she'd exchanged  
 Turned her back on the setting sun  
 Path in her right hand  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands, girl**  
**Keep your eyes on the Shifting Sands**



## 3. HERE WE COME A WASSAILING - TRADITIONAL CAROL (1871)

1.) Here we come a wassailing  
 Among the leaves so green,  
 Here we come a wandering  
 So fairly to be seen.  
 (Here we come a wandering  
 So fairly to be seen.)

### CHORUS:

Love and joy come to you,  
 And to you your wassail too,  
 And God bless you and send you a happy  
 New Year.  
 And God send you a happy New Year.

2.) We are not daily beggars  
 That beg from door to door,  
 We are the neighbours' children

Whom you have seen before  
 (We are neighbours' children  
 Whom you have seen before.) *Chorus*

3.) We have a little purse  
 And it's made of leather skin,  
 A little silver sixpence would  
 Line it well within.  
 (A little silver sixpence would  
 Line it well within.) *Chorus*

4.) God bless the Master of this house,  
 Likewise the Mistress too;  
 And all the little children  
 That round the table grew  
 (And all the little children  
 That round the table grew.) *Chorus*





## 4. SAILOR GIRL - GLYN COLLINSON (2008)

1.) He grew up by the sea  
 Spent every day looking out at the waves  
 Wondering where she could now be  
 He rubbed the sand through the palm of his  
 hand (of his hand)

2.) He was melancholy  
 All he would say was that she sailed away  
 "Is she still thinking of me?"  
 Said any day she will be on her way (on her  
 way)

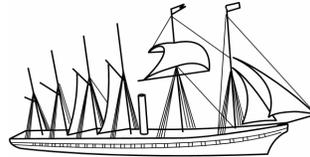
### CHORUS:

Sure tough living in a modern world  
 Falling in love with a Sailor Girl  
 Who ran away to the sea  
 But I don't mind living in a modern world  
 Falling in love with a Sailor Girl  
 She will come back to me  
 She'll come back to me

### CHORUS

3.) As he looked through the spray  
 He saw a girl staring out at the world  
 Walked up to him as she said  
 "I've sailed the blue and I've come back to  
 you (back to you)"

### CHORUS



## 5. "THE LARK" - KATE RUSBY (2005)

1.) Out in the field where the lark it flies,  
 Over the earth where my heart it lies,  
 Oh how it sings when the west wind blows,  
 Out in the field where no-one goes.

Oh how I'm cold will you let me in,  
 If you could hear me speak, where I would  
 begin,  
 Time it is past now and I roam free,  
 Is it wrong to wish you still need me,  
 is it wrong to wish you still need me.

Oh how I'm cold will you let me in,  
 If you could hear me speak, where I would  
 begin,  
 Time it is past now and I roam free,  
 Is it wrong to wish you still need me,  
 is it wrong to wish you still need me.

3.) Out in the field where the lark resides,  
 Here I'll remain where my heart can hide,  
 Only the lark and the west wind know,  
 I'm in this field where no-one goes.

2.) Out in the field where the lark it sings,  
 There I was waiting for all love brings,  
 There I stood and there I fell,  
 Out in the field that I know so well.

Oh how I'm cold will you let me in,  
 If you could hear me speak, where I would  
 begin,  
 Time it is past now and I roam free,  
 Is it wrong to wish you still need me,  
 is it wrong to wish you still need me





## 6. DIMLY LIT MEMORY - GLYN COLLINSON (2008)

1.) Once a thousand lights shone  
In the darkness we sung  
As we carried the hills to the sea  
Now the rails are all gone  
Half the people moved on  
And the tall ships have sailed to the sea

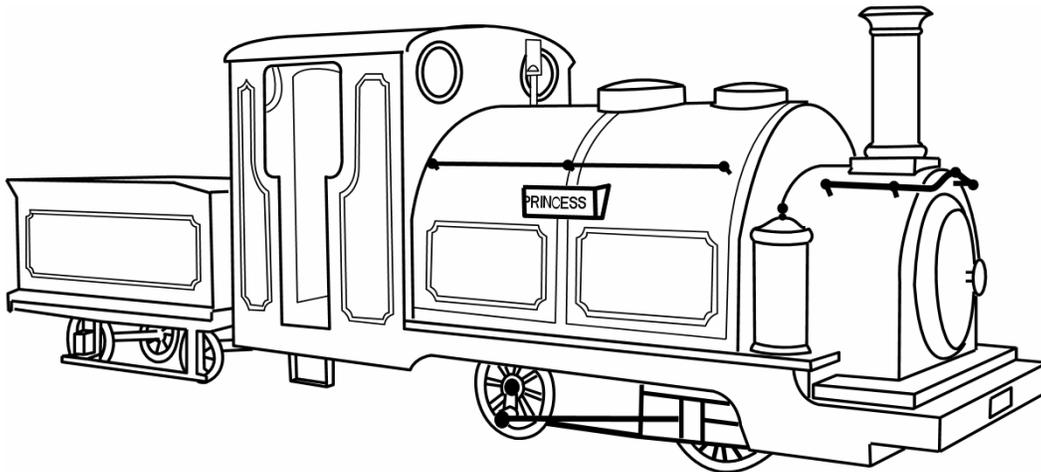
### CHORUS:

Faded from sight  
But coming to me every night time  
There's a Dimly Lit Memory  
That plays in my mind  
Living the days that we've left far behind  
And in my Dimly Lit Memory  
No weeds choke the line  
And the princess is steaming on time.

2.) As the buildings degrade  
And the memories fade  
As the mountain's reclaiming the town  
In the fields where we played  
On a high peak I've stayed  
And I've watched as the chimneys fell down

### (CHORUS)

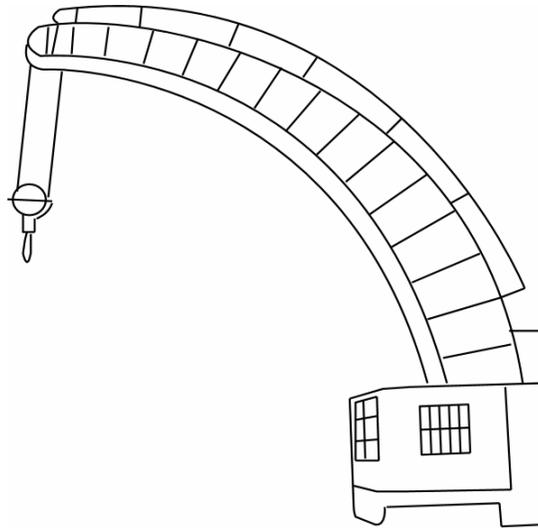
3.) Though it's faded from sight  
We will re-build our might  
To the hills and the valleys we came  
We won't give up our fight  
We won't rest through the night  
Till the princess is steaming again



## 7. THREE TRADITIONAL TUNES FROM THE BRITISH ISLES

1. Scartaglen (Scotland)
2. Salmon Tails O'er the Wa'er (Northumberland)
3. Johnny Leary's (Ireland)





## 8. LONELY MOUNTAIN - GLYN COLLINSON (2008)

1.) I live high upon a mountain side  
Up among the rolling clouds I hide  
Stones upon the ground  
Scattered far around  
Memories of long forgotten lives

### CHORUS:

Visit my lonely mountain  
Where the sun shines through the rain  
And on my lonely mountain  
I'll remain (I'll remain)

2.) I will wander through the cloudy sky  
Sit and watch the busy world go by  
Sunset brings the night  
Stars will burn so bright  
Still alone but I am not sure why

### CHORUS:

Visit my lonely mountain  
Where the sun shines through the rain  
And on my lonely mountain  
I'll remain (I'll remain)

3.) In the snow I mend the winding walls  
Running past the roaring waterfalls  
Stone by stone rebuild  
A life upon the hill  
The whistling of wind answers my calls

### CHORUS:

Visit my lonely mountain  
Where the sun shines through the rain  
And on my lonely mountain  
I'll remain (I'll remain)

4.) If your life is empty and alone  
Come up here and share my mountain home  
Waiting for the day  
Into my path you'll stray and  
And ever through the mountains we shall  
roam

### CHORUS:

Visit my lonely mountain  
Where the sun shines through the rain  
And on my lonely mountain  
I'll remain (I'll remain)





## 9. SWEET BELLS - A TRADITIONAL SOUTH YORKSHIRE CAROL

1.) While shepherds watched,  
Their flocks by night,  
All seated on the ground,  
The angel of the Lord came down,  
And glory shone around.

### CHORUS:

Sweet Bells, Sweet chiming Christmas Bells  
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They cheer us on our Heavenly way sweet  
chiming bells.

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chiming bells.

2.) "Fear not," said he,  
For mighty dread,  
Had seized their troubled minds,  
"Glad tidings of great joy I bring,

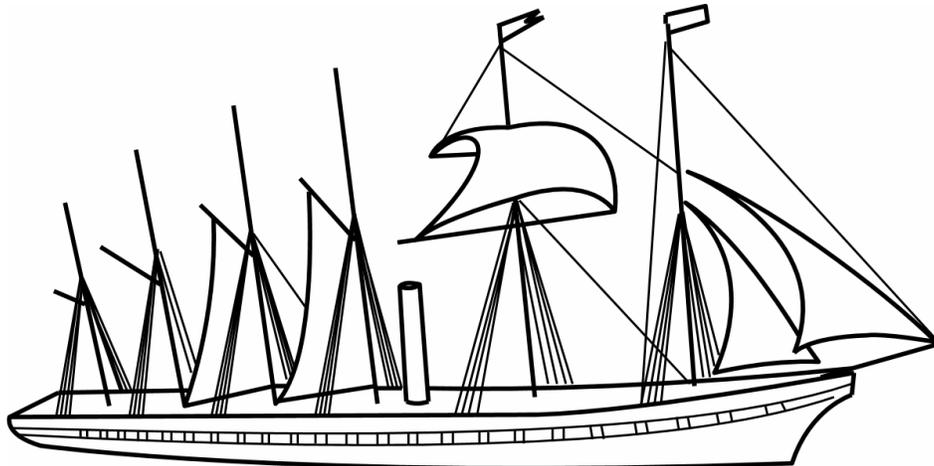
To you and all mankind".

(CHORUS)

3.) "To you in David's,  
Town this day,  
Is born of David's line.  
The Savior who is Christ the Lord,  
And this shall be the sign."

(CHORUS)

4.) "All glory be to,  
God on high,  
And to the earth, the earth be peace,  
Goodwill henceforth,  
From heaven to men,  
Begin and never cease"



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