

Skye Boat Song

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Traditional

Chorus

Viola Melody: G Em D G
Speed, bon-nie boat, like a bird on the wing, "On - ward," the
Viola Harmony: G Em D G

This section consists of two staves for viola. The top staff is labeled 'Viola Melody' and the bottom is 'Viola Harmony'. The key signature is G major (one sharp). The time signature is common time (indicated by '3'). The melody starts with a G note, followed by Em, D, and G. The lyrics are: 'Speed, bon-nie boat, like a bird on the wing, "On - ward," the'. The harmony follows the melody.

6 Em D G Em
sai - lors cry. Car - ry the lad that's
Em

This section continues the Chorus. The melody starts with Em, followed by D, G, and Em. The lyrics are: 'sai - lors cry. Car - ry the lad that's'. The harmony follows the melody.

11 D G Em G
born to be King, O - ver the sea to Skye.
G

This section continues the Chorus. The melody starts with D, followed by G, Em, and G. The lyrics are: 'born to be King, O - ver the sea to Skye.'. The harmony follows the melody.

Verse

17 Em Am Em
Loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar, Thun - der claps rend the air;
Em

This section begins a verse. The melody starts with Em, followed by Am, and Em. The lyrics are: 'Loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar, Thun - der claps rend the air;'. The harmony follows the melody.

25 Em Am Em
Baf - fled our foes stand on the shore, Fol - low they will not dare.
Em

This section continues the verse. The melody starts with Em, followed by Am, and Em. The lyrics are: 'Baf - fled our foes stand on the shore, Fol - low they will not dare.'. The harmony follows the melody.