



The Skye Boat Song

Scottish Folk Trad.

Ukulele Arrangement by Steph Payne

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Uke 1. *mf*
Speed, bon - nie boat, like a bird on the wing,
Though the waves leap, soft sha - ll we sleep,

Uke 2. *p*

Uke 3. *p*

F	Dm	Gm	C
3/4	3/4	3/4	3/4
0 2 0	① 1 1	3 0 3	③

Uke 1. *mf*
On - ward! the sail - ors cry;
O - cean's a ro - yal bed.

Uke 2. *p*

Uke 3. *p*

5 F	Bb	F	C7
3/4	3/4	3/4	3/4
0 3 0	② 2	①	

9 F Dm Gm C

Uke 1. *mf*
 Car - ry the lad that's born to be King
 Rocked in the deep, Flo - ra will keep

TAB 0 2 0 (1) 1 3 0 3 (3)

Uke 2. *mf*
 1 1 0 (0) 0 1 3 1 (3)

Uke 3. *p*
 2 0 1 0 1 0 2 2 1 0 1 2 0 2 3 1 3 2 0 0 0 3 0 0

13 F Bb F A7

Uke 1.
 o - ver the sea to Skye.
 watch by your sea - ry head.

TAB 0 3 0 (2) 2 (1)

Uke 2.
 3 1 3 (1) 1 (0)

Uke 3.
 2 0 1 0 1 0 3 2 1 1 1 2 2 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1

B

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Uke 1. *f* Loud the winds howl, loud the waves roar,
Dm Dm Gm Gm
TAB 0 1 0 (0) 3 2 3 (3)

Uke 2. *f*
TAB 1 2 1 (1) 2 0 2 (2)

Uke 3. *f* *mf* *f* *mf*
TAB 2 2 2 2 2 1 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 2 3 1 3 2

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Uke 1. Thun - der - claps rend the air;
Dm Dm Dm Dm
TAB 1 2 1 (1) 1 (2)

Uke 2.
TAB 0 1 0 (0) 0 (1)

Uke 3. *f* *mf*
TAB 2 2 2 (2) 2 2 2 1 0 1 2

25 Dm Dm Gm Gm

Uke 1. *f* *f* *f* *f*
 Baf - fled, our foes stand by the shore,

TAB 0 1 0 ① 3 2 3 ③

Uke 2. *f* *f* *f* *f*
 TAB 1 2 1 ① 2 0 2 ②

Uke 3. *f* *mf* *f* *mf*
 TAB 2 2 2 2 2 1 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 2 3 1 3 2

29 Dm A7 1. Dm C 2. Dm

Uke 1. *f* *f* *mf* *mp*
 Fol - low they will not dare. dare.

TAB 1 2 1 ① 0 ② ① ② ② ②

Uke 2. *f* *f* *mf* *mp*
 TAB 0 1 0 ① 0 ① ① ① ① ①

Uke 3. *f* *f* *mf* *mp*
 TAB 2 2 2 ① 1 ② ① ② ② ②