

PAY ME MY MONEY DOWN (trad.)

VERSE 1: **C**
Well, I thought I heard the captain say

G
Pay me my money down
Tomorrow is a sailing day

C
Pay me my money down

CHORUS: **C**
Oh, pay me, pay me

G
Pay me my money down
Pay me or go to jail

C
Pay me my money down

VERSE 2: **C**
Soon as that boat was clear of the bar

G
Pay me my money down
Well, he knocked me down with the end of a spar

C
Pay me my money down

CHORUS

VERSE 3: **C**
Well if I'd been a rich man's son

G
Pay me my money down
I'd sit on the river and watch it run

C
Pay me my money down

CHORUS

(1...2...3... change key to D)

VERSE 4: **D**
Well, I wish I was Mr. Gates

A
Pay me my money down
Haul my money in egg crates

D
Pay me my money down

CHORUS 2: Oh, pay me, pay me

A
Pay me my money down
Pay me or go to jail

D
Pay me my money down

VERSE 5: **D**
Well, 40 nights, nights at sea

A
Pay me my money down
Captain worked every last dollar out of me

D
Pay me my money down

CHORUS 2 (x2)