

The MERCHANT MARINERS' HYMN

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Andante (96)

THEIR COUN - TRY CALLED TO ASK FOR HELP: "YOU MUST
(THEY) SAILED THEIR SHIPS WITH GUTS AND BRAINS WITH -

TAKE MY SHIPS TO SEA! I NEED YOU TO BE MY
OUT THE NA - VY'S GUNS THEY CON - VOYED NORTH TO

STRONG LIFE - LINE AND I NEED YOU UR - GENT - LY!" SO ON
FAR MUR - MANSK AND MADE ALL THE PER - 'LOUS RUNS BUT THEIR

TEE - TWO'S AND ON LI - BER - TIES AND ON SHIPS WITH VIC - T'RY'S
CAR - GOES HELPED OUR HE - ROES FIGHT AND OUR AL - LIES TO SUR -

NAME THEY CAR - RIED THE OIL, CAR - RIED GUNS AND WHEAT THRU'
VIVE OUR SHIPS AND OUR BRAVE MER - CHANT MAR - I - NERS KEPT

ICE AND STORM AND FLAME SO RE - MEM - BER THEM, ALL
FREE - DOM'S HOPE A - LIVE! WHEN THEY SAID GOOD - BYE, SO

YOU WHO WALK IN THE SUN OF FREE - DOM'S
PROUD TO SERVE AS WAR'S DE - MANDS DE -

