**THE LEAVING OF LIVERPOOL #1**

**Fare well to you my own true love,**

**I am going far far away**

**I am bound for Californ- ni- ay**

**and I know that I’ll return some day**

***Chorus***

**So fare thee well my own true love,**

**for when I return united we will be**

**It’s not the leaving of Liverpool**

**that grieves me,**

**but my darling when I think of thee**

***Verse 2***

**I have shipped on a Yankee sailing ship, Davy Crockett is her name**

**And her captain’s name is Burgess,**

**and they say that she’s a floating hell**

***Chorus***

**So fare thee well my own true love,**

**for when I return united we will be**

**It’s not the leaving of Liverpool**

**that grieves me,**

**but my darling when I think of thee**

***Verse 3 (Sing quietly)***

**Oh the sun is on the harbour love,**

**and I wish I could remain**

**For I know it will be a long,**

**long time, before I see you again**

***Chorus (Twice through slowing at end)***

**So fare thee well my own true love,**

**for when I return united we will be**

**It’s not the leaving of Liverpool**

**that grieves me,**

**but my darling when I think of thee**