

*Dedicated to Jimmy Bastille, Boatmaker, Camp Ellis Beach, Maine,
for fixing the door*

Lyrics by Patricia Van Ness
and Peter Marks

Music by Patricia Van Ness
Score rev. 22 July 2026

Jimmy's Sea Shanty

With lusty gusto
♩ = 168 (in one)

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Fiddle

8

1. I'm a dir - ty old man on the spark - ling blue sea, and ov - er the
have a fine girl her name's San - dy Mc Gee, She sails long with

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pro w of my do - ry there'll be all the pret - ty white sea - gulls I'll love 'til I die just so
me o'er the spark - ling blue sea. And we dance and we kiss and we laugh all the night cause we

(Chorus)

long as the stink ers don't you-know-what in my eye! Shout-ing Hey! Hey! on Big - e-low
both are in love with our Big - e-low Bight!

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Bight! with my drink and my grub and a star stud-ded night! And with twen-ty foot seas and the

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wind and the foam oh sweet Big - e-low Bight you're for - ev - er my home, Oh sweet Big - e-low

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Bight you're for - ev - er my home. Now I home. On a storm - y tossed night with my

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lines in a twist I was laugh - ing and howl-ing 'cause out was I blisset! When came

48

nine - ty foot swells and my sails full un - furled, Oh my dear, Oh my, Oh no, Oh heck, I full

55

(Chorus)

hurled! Shout-ing Hey! Hey! on Big - e-low Bight! with my drink and my grub and a

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star stud ded night! And with twen ty - foot seas and the wind and the foam oh sweet Big - e low

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Bight you're for - ev - er my home! Oh sweet Big - e low Bight you're for - ev - er my home! Shout ing home!

1. 2. *ff*

12. 22. *ff*