

The Leaving Of Liverpool

England / USA

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1. Fare - well to you, my own true love, I am go - ing far, far a - way, I am
bound for Ca - li - for - ni - a, but I know that I'll re - turn some day. So -
fare thee well, my own true love, for when I re - turn u - ni - ted we will be. It's not the
leav - ing of Li - ver - pool that grieves me, but my dar - ling when I think of thee.

2. Farewell to Prince's Landing Stage, River Mersey, fare thee well,
I am bound for California, a place I know right well.
So fare thee well, my own true love...
3. I have shipped on a Yankee Clipper ship, Davy Crockett is her name,
and her captain's name is Burgess, and they say that she's a floating hell.
So fare thee well, my own true love...
4. I'm bound off for California by the way of the stormy Cape Horn,
and I will write you a letter, love, when I am homeward bound.
So fare thee well, my own true love...
5. Oh, the sun is on the harbor, love, and I wish I could remain,
for I know it will be a long, long time before I see you again.
So fare thee well, my own true love...