

# OVER THE SEA TO SKYE

## (The Skye Boat Song)

for S.S.A. voices and piano  
with optional String Orchestra and SoundTrax CD\*

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Scottish Folk Song  
Arranged by DOUGLAS E. WAGNER

Freely, with forward motion (♩ = ca. 92)

PIANO

7 *rit.* SOPRANO I  
SOPRANO II  
ALTO

9 *a tempo*  
*mp*

Speed, bon - nie  
*mp*  
Speed, bon - nie

\* Also available for S.A.T.B. (43212) and S.A.B. (43213).  
SoundTrax CD available (43215). String Orchestra accompaniment available (41181).

NOTE: If performing with String Orchestra, please use the piano accompaniment as well.

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boat, like a bird on the wing.

boat, like a bird on the wing.

13

On - ward, the sail - ors cry!

On - ward, the sail - ors, sail - ors cry!

16

17

On - ward! Car - ry the lad that's

Car - ry the lad that's

19

born to be King o - ver the  
 born to be King o - ver the

22

sea to Skye.  
 sea to Skye

Moving ahead a bit (♩ = ca. 100)

25 Loud the winds cry, loud the waves  
 Loud the winds cry,

Moving ahead a bit (♩ = ca. 100)

28 roar,

loud they roar, thun - der - claps rend \_\_\_\_\_ the

31

air. \_\_\_\_\_ **f** Baf - fled, our

Rend the air. \_\_\_\_\_ Baf - fled, our

34

foes stand by the shore.

foes stand by the shore.

37

*rit.*

Fol - low they will not dare, they

Fol - low they will not dare, they

*rit.*

40

**41** Tempo I

*mp*

will not dare. Speed, bon - nie boat, like a

will not dare Speed, bon - nie boat, like a

Tempo I

*mp*

43

bird on the wing. On - ward, the

bird on the wing. On - ward, the

46

sail - ors cry! On - ward! \_\_\_\_\_

sail - ors, sail - ors cry! \_\_\_\_\_

This system contains three staves of music. The top staff is a vocal line with lyrics 'sail - ors cry! On - ward! \_\_\_\_\_'. The middle staff is a vocal line with lyrics 'sail - ors, sail - ors cry! \_\_\_\_\_'. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment with treble and bass clefs.

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Car - ry the lad that's born to be

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King o - ver the sea to

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55

57

*f*

Skye. \_\_\_\_\_ O - ver the sea,

Skye. \_\_\_\_\_ O - ver the sea,

59

*sub. p*

*mp*

o - ver the sea, \_\_\_\_\_ o ver the

o - ver the sea, \_\_\_\_\_ o - ver the

62

*rit. poco a poco*

to Skye. \_\_\_\_\_

sea \_\_\_\_\_ to Skye. \_\_\_\_\_

sea \_\_\_\_\_ to Skye. \_\_\_\_\_