

Farewell to Carlingford

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Intro Instrumental over Verse

A D A
When I was young and in my prime
D A
And could wander wild and free
D E A
There was always a longing in my mind
F#m E
To follow the call of the sea

A D A
So, I'll sing farewell to Carlingford
A E
And farewell to Greenore
A D A
And I'll think of you both day and night
D E
Until I return once more
D E A
Until I return once more

On all of the stormy seven seas, I have sailed before the mast
And on every voyage I ever made, I swore it would be my last

Chorus

Instrumental over Chorus + AAAA AAAA

Now, I had a girl called Mary Doyle
And she lived in Greenore
And the foremost thought was in her mind
Was to keep me safe on shore

Chorus

Now, the landsman's life is all his own
He can go or he can stay
But when the sea gets in your blood
When she calls, you must obey

Chorus 2x