

Home from the sea Time signature $\frac{3}{4}$ Slowly, with feeling
(Intro-one uke) G G7 G6 G7 C

On a C cold winter's night, with a C7 storm at its height
A F lifeboat answered the C call
They G pitched and they C tossed, 'til we E7 thought they were Am lost
As we Dm watched from the harbour G waa-aa-ll G7 G6 G7
Though the C night was pitch black, there was C7 no turning back
For F someone was waiting out C there
And G each C volunteer had to E7 live with his Am fear
As they Dm joined in a silent G prayer G7 G6 G7 carry us C

Chorus

Carry us C home, home, F home from the C sea
F Angels of C mercy, Dm answer our G plee-ee-ee-a
And carry us C home, home, F home from the C sea
F Carry us C safely G7 ho-G6-oo-G7-oo-me from the C sea

As they C battled their way past the C7 mouth of the bay
It was F blowing like never be-C-fore
As they G gallantly C fought, every E7 one of them Am thought
Of Dm loved ones back on the G sh-oo-oo-re G7 G6 G7
Then a C flicker of light, and they C7 knew they were right
There she F was on the crest of a C wave
She's an G old fishing C boat, and she's E7 barely a Am float
Please Dm God, there are souls we can G save! G7 G6 G7 carry us C

Repeat chorus

And C back in the town in a C7 street that runs down
To the F sea and the harbour C wall
They had G gathered in C pairs at the E7 foot of the Am stairs
To Dm wait for the radio G caa-aa-all G7 G6 G7
(Softly) And C just before dawn, when C7 all hope was gone
Came a F/ hush and a faraway C sound, Single Voice
'Twas the G coxswain, he C roared, "**All survivors on board!**"
Thank Dm God, and we're homeward G bound. G7 G6 G7 C

To carry them C home, home, F home from the C sea
F Angels of C mercy, Dm answer our G pl-ee-ee-ee G7 G6 G7
And carry them C home, home, F home from the C sea
(Outro) F Carry them C safely G7 ho-G6-oo-G7-oo-me from the C sea