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# PIRATE CHIEF

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Andante moderato

(BARITONE)

Musical notation for the piano introduction, consisting of two staves (treble and bass clef) in G major and 2/4 time. The music begins with a forte (f) dynamic and features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

Musical notation for the first verse, including vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with a mezzo-forte (mf) dynamic and a marcato marking. The piano accompaniment also features mf and marcato markings.

“Oh, sing me a song of the Span - ish Main!” Said a  
 “Oh, tell me a tale of the Is - land Seas,” Said the

Musical notation for the second verse, including vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano accompaniment is marked *Amile*.

dy - ing Pi - rate chief. “Sing of red rov - ers bold, with their  
 Pi - rate to his crew, “Tell of brave boys who swung, from the

Musical notation for the third verse, including vocal line and piano accompaniment.

blood stained gold, Or a wreck on a cor - al reef. Nail the  
 yard arm hung, While the sharks swam the bri - ny blue. Spin me

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*poco agitato*

black flag high where the sea-gulls fly, Let me die as a wild ro-  
 vor - y tales of the pip - ing gales, And of ships that the sea spir - its

*dolce p*

should. For my soul soon will ride on the drift - ing tide, Save your  
 haunt, For the de - mons a - wait for their trust - y mate! And a

*f rit. ten.*

pray's for the mates who are good who are good.  
 cut - lass is all that I want all I want.

*f rit. largamente*

**REFRAIN.** *with bravado*

*f*

Down, down, down through a crys - tal wave



Let me fall to a Pi-rate's grave. For I'll meet the lads that I

*f*

used to know, In the rov-ing days of long a-go. Oh, there'll

*a poco accel. - - rit.* *a tempo*  
be a warm wel-come a-way down be-low, For the Pi-rate, the Pi-rate

*a poco accel. - - rit.* *a tempo*

chief. The Pi-rate, the Pi-rate chief.

*largamente*