



# A MUCH ADMIR'D NEW SONG CALLED 10,000 MILES AWAY

Is of a gay & gallant bark  
A boatman & a lively crew  
A jolly crew & a Captain too  
To carry us over the seas  
Carry us over the sea my boys  
To my true love so gay  
She is taking a trip in a Government ship  
Ten thousands miles away

## CHORUS

So blow ye winds  
Its across the seas I'll go  
No more I'll toil on England's soil  
So let the music play  
I'm off in the morning train  
Across the raging main  
I'm off to my own true love  
Ten thousands miles away

Wish I was a boatman bold  
That might steer to thee  
I would steer my boat & quickly fleet  
And to my own true love steer  
And to my true love steer my boys  
Where the dolphin grow  
Where the whale & shark do sport & bark  
Ten thousands miles away

When last I saw my peg  
She had a Government band around each arm  
Another one round each leg  
Another one round each leg my boy  
Took'd in a suit of grey  
Good by said she remember me  
Ten thousand miles away  
The sun may shine through Glasgow fog

My true love she is beautiful  
My true love she is young  
Her eyes they shine like diamonds bright  
And silvery sounds her tongue my boys  
Now I'll sing this lay  
This is doing the grand  
In a distant land  
Ten thousand miles away

The Clyde run bright & clear  
The ocean brine be turned to wine  
I may forget my beer  
I may forget my beer my boys  
Of my landlord's quarter day  
But I'll never part from my own sweet heart  
Ten thousand miles away

