# The Bluenose Song (also known as Ballad of the Bluenose)

Michael Stanbury 1966 (recorded by McGinty as The Song of the Bluenose 1978)

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**INTRO: / 1 2 3 4 / [C] / [C] /**

**[C]** I've got a story to **[F]** tell

Of a **[Dm]** proud ship that served her people **[G]** well

Well, The Bluenose was her **[C]** name

And she never lost a **[F]** race

And she **[Dm]** won herself a **[G]** place

In the **[G7]** history of **[C]** Cana-**[Am]**da

**[F]** Blow, winds **[Dm]** blow

For The **[G7]** Bluenose is sailing once a-**[C]**gain **[C]↓**

**CHORUS:**

So **[C]** beat to the windward once **[F]** more

And **[Dm]** up, jib and fores'l as be-**[G]**fore

For your country will be **[C]** proud once again

Of the **[F]** ship and the **[Dm]** men

Who **[G]** sail her **[G7]** smartly into **[C]** victo-**[Am]**ry

**[F]** Blow, winds **[Dm]** blow

For The **[G7]** Bluenose is sailing once a-**[C]**gain

**[C]** Built in a Nova Scotia **[F]** town

Where the **[Dm]** shipwrights had gained the world re-**[G]**nown

Down in Lunenburg they **[C]** built

A living legend out of **[F]** skill, sweat, and **[Dm]** pride

And **[G]** sailed her **[G7]** masterfully

**[C]** 'Til she **[Am]** died

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