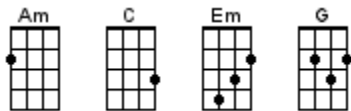# The Maid on the Shore
Traditional (as recorded by Stan Rogers 1976)

INTRO: / 1 2 3 / 1 2 3 /

[Am] / [Am] / [Am] / [Am]

There **[Am]** is a young **[G]** maiden, she **[Em]** lives all a-**[Am]**lone
She **[Am]** lives all a-**[G]**lone on the **[Am]** shore-**[Am]**o
There's **[Am]** nothing she can **[C]** find to **[G]** comfort her **[Em]** mind
But to **[Am]** roam all a-**[G]**lone on the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
But to **[Am]** roam all a-**[G]**lone on the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

'Twas **[Am]** of the young **[G]** Captain who **[Em]** sailed the salt **[Am]** sea
Let the **[Am]** wind blow **[G]** high, blow **[Am]** low **[Am]**
I will **[Am]** die, I will **[C]** die, the young **[G]** Captain did **[Em]** cry
If I **[Am]** don't have that **[G]** maid on the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
If I **[Am]** don't have that **[G]** maid on the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

Well, I **[Am]** have lots of **[G]** silver, I **[Em]** have lots of **[Am]** gold
I **[Am]** have lots of **[G]** costly **[Am]** ware-**[Am]**o
I'll di-**[Am]**vide, I'll di-**[C]**vide, with my **[G]** jolly ship's **[Em]** crew
If they **[Am]** row me that **[G]** maid on the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
If they **[Am]** row me that **[G]** maid on the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

After **[Am]** much persu-**[G]**asion, they **[Em]** got her a-**[Am]**board
Let the **[Am]** wind blow **[G]** high, blow **[Am]** low **[Am]**
They re-**[Am]**placed her a-**[C]**way in his **[G]** cabin be-**[Em]**low
Here's a-**[Am]**dieu to all **[G]** sorrow and **[Am]** care, care **[G]** care **[G]**
Here's a-**[Am]**dieu to all **[G]** sorrow and **[Am]** care **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

They re-**[Am]**placed her a-**[G]**way in his **[Em]** cabin be-**[Am]**low
Let the **[Am]** wind blow **[G]** high, blow **[Am]** low **[Am]**
She's so **[Am]** pretty and **[C]** neat, she's so **[G]** sweet and com-**[Em]**plete
She's sung **[Am]** Captain and **[G]** sailors to **[Am]** sleep, sleep **[G]** sleep **[G]**
She's sung **[Am]** Captain and **[G]** sailors to **[Am]** sleep **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

Then she **[Am]** robbed him of **[G]** silver, she **[Em]** robbed him of **[Am]** gold
She **[Am]** robbed him of **[G]** costly **[Am]** ware-**[Am]**o
Then **[Am]** took his broad-**[C]**sword in-**[G]**stead of an **[Em]** oar
And **[Am]** paddled her **[G]** way to the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
And **[Am]** paddled her **[G]** way to the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[C]** / **[G]** /
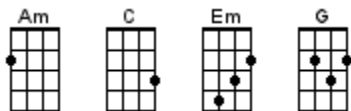
[Am] / [C] / [G] / [Em]

Well, me **[Am]** men must be **[G]** crazy, me **[Em]** men must be **[Am]** mad
Me **[Am]** men must be **[G]** deep in des-**[Am]**pair-**[Am]**o
For to **[Am]** let you a-**[C]**way from my **[G]** cabin so **[Em]** gay
And to **[Am]** paddle your **[G]** way to the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
And to **[Am]** paddle your **[G]** way to the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**

Well, your **[Am]** men was not **[G]** crazy, your **[Em]** men was not **[Am]** mad
Your **[Am]** men was not **[G]** deep in des-**[Am]**pair-**[Am]**o
I de-**[Am]**luded your **[C]** sailors as **[G]** well as your-**[Em]**self
I'm a **[Am]** maiden a-**[G]**gain on the **[Am]** shore, shore **[G]** shore **[G]**
I'm a **[Am]** maiden a-**[G]**gain on the **[Am]** shore **[Am]** / **[Am]** / **[Am]**↓

< A CAPPELLA >
Well, there is a young maiden, she lives all alone
She lives all alone on the shore-o
There's nothing she can find to comfort her mind
But to roam all alone on the shore, shore, shore
But to roam all alone on the shore

www.bytownukulele.ca