

THE SPANISH LADIES

Traditional Words and Tune

Arranged by

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Allegro risoluto *f* risoluto

Voice

Piano

f marcato *p ma marcato*

Fare you well and a -

dieu to you, Span - ish la - dies, Fare you well and a - dieu to you,

la - dies of Spain, For - we've re - ceiv'd or - ders to sail for old

Eng - land; And I hope in a short time to see you a - gain. Then we'll

Chorus
ff

rant and we'll roar like true Brit - ish sail - ors, We'll _ rant and we'll _

roar _ a - cross the salt sea; Un - til we ar - rive at the

chan - nel of old Eng - land, And from U - shant to Scil - ly is _ for - ty - five

leagues. *mf* We hove our ship

ff *p marcato*

to, all for to get sound - ed, We ³ hove our ship — to — and

sound - ings took we; We — had for - ty fath - oms and a bright sand - y

bot - tom, And we squared our main - yard and up — chan - nel stood we. Then we'll

Chorus
ff

rant and we'll roar like true Brit - ish sail - ors, We'll — rant and we'll —

roar — a - cross the salt sea; Un - til we ar - rive at the

chan - nel of old Eng - land, And from U - shant to Scil - ly is — for - ty - five

leagues. ————— The first land we

ff *p marcato*

made was call - ed the Dead Man, Next — Ram Head, by — Ply - mouth, Start,

fp

Port - land and Wight, We — pass - ed by Bea - chy, by Dunge - ness and

Fair - ley,* Till at length we ar - riv - ed at — North Fore - land light. Fare you

Chorus**
ff

fp *f*

well and a - dieu to you, Span - ish la - dies, Fare you well and a -

dieu to you, la - dies of Spain, For — we've re - ceiv'd or - ders to

* Fairlight Beacon.

** Note: The refrain "Then we'll rant and we'll roar" may also be sung here in place of the above words.

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see you a - gain, For we've re - ceiv'd or - ders to

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