

# The Water Is Wide

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The water is wide, I cannot get over  
And neither have I wings to fly  
Give me a boat that can carry two  
And both shall row my love and I  
Oh, love is handsome and love is fine  
And love's a jewel when it's first new  
But love grows old and waxes cold  
And fades away like morning dew  
There is a ship, it's sailing the sea

It's loaded deep as deep can be  
But not so deep as my love for him  
I know not if I sink or swim  
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