Diving Duck Blues

Sleepy John Estes

If the river was whiskey
I would be a diving duck
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I would swim to the bottom, but I would drink my way upIf you were a good woman
I would never have to roam
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I'd give up drinking whiskey and I would always stay at homeRiver go to the ocean, ocean go to the sea
Why you ain't no good woman
A mystery to me
River go to the ocean, ocean go to the sea
And like a fish has got to swim, you've got to make a fool out of meIf the river was whiskey
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