



Freely with Feeling

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Now the South-ern Oc-ean is a lone-ly place, Where the storms are ma-ny & the shel-ter's scarce
 Down up-on the South-ern Oc-ean sail-ing, down be-low Cape Horn, On the rest-less wat-ers & the
 troub-ling sky, There you'll see that Mol-ly mauk wheel-and fly, Down up-on the South-ern
 Oc-ean sail-ing, Down be-low Cape Horn Won't you ride-the wind and go
 white sea bird? Won't you ride-the wind & go-Mol-ly mauk? Down up-on the
 South-ern Oc-ean sail-ing, down be-low Cape Horn.

1. Now the Southern Ocean is a lonely place
 Where the storms are many and the shelter's scarce,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn;
 On the restless waters and the troubling sky
 There you'll see that Mollymauk wheel and fly,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing
Down below Cape Horn.

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Won't you ride the wind and go white seabird;
 Won't you ride the wind and go Mollymauk?
 Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing
 Down below Cape Horn.

2. See the Mollymauk riding on his wide white wings
 And Lord, what a lonesome song he sings,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn;
 And he's got no compass and he's got no gear
 And there's none can tell you how the Mollymauks steer
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn

CHORUS

3. He's the ghost of a sailor man, so I've heard say,
 Whose body sank and his soul flew away,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn;
 And he's got no haven and he's got no home,
 Bound forevermore to wheel and roam,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing
Down below Cape Horn.

CHORUS

4. When I get too weary for to sail no more
 Let my bones sink better far away from shore,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn,;
 You can cast me loose and leave me drifting free.
 And I'll keep that big bird company,
Down upon the Southern Ocean sailing,
Down below Cape Horn.

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