The Water Is Wide
Cecil Sharp, Trad

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        F     Bb6              F
The water is wide and I can't cross over
          Dm  Bb6         C7
And neither have I wings to fly
            F    F7         BbM7
Build me a boat that can carry two
            Am  Bb6  C7      F    Bb6  F
And both shall row My    love and I


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Oh love is gentle and love is kind
          Dm  Bb6          C7
Gay as a jewel when first it's new
            F    F7         BbM7
But love grows old and waxes cold
          Am  Bb6   C7      F    Bb6  F
And fades away like the morning dew


        F     Bb6              F
There is a ship and it sails the sea
        Dm  Bb6         C7
Loaded deep as deep can be
          F    F7         BbM7
But not as deep as the love I'm in
          Am   Bb6 C7    F    Bb6  F
I know not if     I     sink or swim


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Am

Bb6

BbM7

C7

Dm

F

F7