

# ROLLING HOME

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couplet 1: CALL ALL HANDS TO MAN THE CAPSTAN  
SEE THE CABLE FLAKED DOWN CLEAR  
HEAVE AWAY AND WITH A WILL BOYS  
FOR OL' ENGLAND WE WILL STEER

couplet 2: AND WE'LL SING IN JOYFULL CHORUS  
IN THE WATCHES OF THE NIGHT  
AND WE'LL SIGHT THE SHORES OF ENGLAND  
WHEN THE GREY DAWN BRINGS THE LIGHT

*refrein* **ROLLING HOME, ROLLING HOME  
ROLLING HOME ACROSS THE SEA  
ROLLING HOME TO DEAR OL' ENGLAND  
ROLLING HOME DEAR LAND TO THEE**

couplet 3: MANY THOUSAND MILES BEHIND US  
MANY THOUSAND MILES BEFORE  
ANCIENT OCEAN WAVES TO WAFT US  
TO THE WELL-REMEMBERED SHORE

couplet 4: CHEER UP JACK, BRIGHT SMILES AWAIT YOU  
FROM THE FAIREST OF THE FAIR  
AND HER LOVING EYES WILL GREET YOU  
WITH KIND WELCOMES EVERYWHERE

>> refrein

couplet 5: EASTWARD, EASTWARD, EVER EASTWARD  
TO THE RISING OF THE SUN  
WE HAVE STEERED EVER EASTWARD  
SINCE OUR VOYAGE HAS BEGUN

couplet 6: OFF CAPE HORN ON A WINTER'S MORNING  
SETTING SAILS IN ICE AND SNOW  
YOU COULD HEAR THE SHELLBACKS CALLING:  
"HOIST AWAY! AND LET HER GO".

>> refrein 2x

