

# Blood red roses

traditional sea shanty

No. 2 of *Six Sea Shanties*

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*Andante con moto*  $\text{♩} = 80$  *mf*

T  
1. Our boots and shoes are all in pawn, *f* (with basses)  
Bar  
Go down, you

Piano  
*mf*

6  
T  
*mf*  
It's fla-ming draft-y round Cape Horn,  
Bar  
*blood red ro-ses, go down!*

Piano  
*mp* *mf*

11  
T  
*f*  
Oh, you  
Bar  
*f*  
Go down, you blood red ro-ses, go down!

Piano  
*mp* *mf*

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16

T  
8  
pinks and po-sies!

Bar  
div. B/Bar  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*mp* *mf* *mp*

21

T  
8  
*mf*  
2. It's 'round Cape Horn we

Bar

B  
*mp*  
Go down, go down,

*mf* *mp*

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27

T  
8 all must go,

Bar  
*f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

B  
*f*  
go down, go down. Go down you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*mf* *mp*

31

T  
8 *mf*  
For that is where them whale - fish blow,

Bar  
*f*  
Go down, you

B  
*mp* *f*  
Go down, go down, go down, go down. Go down you

*mf*

35

T *f* Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

Bar *f* blood red ro - ses, go down! Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

B *f* blood red ro - ses, go down! Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

*mp* *mf*

40

T

Bar Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

B Go down you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*mp*

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45 *mf*

T 3. My dear old moth-er she said to me,

Bar

B *mp*  
Dear old mo-ther, dear old mo-ther,

*mf*

51 *f* *mf*

T Go down, yes go down! My dear-est son, come

Bar *f*  
Go down, you blood red ro-ses, go down!

B *f* *mp*  
Go down, you blood red ro-ses, go down! Dear-est son,

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56

T  
8 home from sea, *f* Go down, yes go down!

Bar  
*f* Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

B  
*f* dear - est son, Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*mp*

60

T  
8 Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

Bar  
Oh, you pinks and po - sies! Go down, you

B  
Oh, you pinks and po - sies! Go down, you

*mf* *p* *mf*

65

T

Bar

B

*blood red ro-ses, go down!*

*blood red ro-ses, go down!*

*mp*

71

T

Bar

B

*mf*

4. Just one more pull and that will do, Go down, go down, go down, go down.

*mf*

Just one more pull and that will do, Go down, go down.

*mf*

Just one more pull and that will do,

*mf*

76

T *f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

Bar *f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

B *f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*f* *mp* *mf*

81

T *mf*  
For we're the boys to kick her through, Go down, go down, go down, go down.

Bar *mf*  
For we're the boys to kick her through, Go down, go down.

B *f*  
For we're the boys to kick her through,



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86 *f*

T  
8  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down! Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

Bar  
*f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down! Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

B  
*f*  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down! Oh, you pinks and po - sies!

*f*  
*mp*

91

T  
8  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

Bar  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

B  
Go down, you blood red ro - ses, go down!

*mf* *f* [r.h.]