

Sloop John B

For TTBB and piano
(Also available for SATB + piano)

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Trad. Bahamian

Spirited, with energy (♩ = 144) *mf*

B1 We

PIANO *mf staccato*

5
come on the Sloop John B, my grand - fa - ther and me, a -

9
round Nas - sau town we — did roam, drink - ing all

13

night, got in - to a fight, well I

17

feel so broke. up, I wan - na go home. So

21

u. is. **f**

T1
T2

Hoist up the John B's sail, see how the main-sail

f

B1

hoist up the John B's sail, see how the main-sail sets,

f

B2

Hoist up the John B's sail, see how the main-sail

PNO

25

sets, shore, home,
 call for the cap-tain a - shore let me go home, let me go
 sets, shore, home, let me go home,

29

home, home,
 home, I wan-na go home, well I
 home, home,

PREVIEW

33 *unis. mf*

T1
T2
B1
B2
PNO

feel so broke_ up, I wan - na go home. The
feel so broke up, I wan-na go home.

37

first mate he got drunk, and broke in the cap-tain's trunk, the
mf
Firstmate he got drunk and broke in the cap-tain's trunk,

41

con-sta-ble had to come and take_ him a - way, She - riff John
a - way,
come and take_ him a - way, take_him a - way,

45

Stone, why don't you leave me a - lone? Yeah, yeah, well I

stone, stone, stone, lone, lone, lone,

stone, lone,

49

feel so broke up, I wan - na go home. So hoist up the John B's

feel so broke up, I wan - na go home

cresc. f no ped.

54

sail, see how the main-sail sets, call for the cap-tain a -

Hoist up the John B's sail, see how the main-sail sets, a -

58

shore let me go home, let me go

shore let me go home, let me go home.

61

home, I wan - na go home, well I

home, home, home, home, home, home,

home, home,

Red. * *Red.* *

65

feel so broke_ up, I wan - na go home.

feel so broke_ up, I wan - na go home.

unis. p

dim.

Hushed

Hushed

The

69 *p*

Caught the fits, all my

poor cook he caught the fits, and threw a-way all my grits, and

p

73 *light staccato*

grits, he ate up all my corn go

then he took and ate up all of my corn, let me go

PREVIEW

77 *poco a poco cresc.*

home, let me go home, home, let me go—

poco a poco cresc.

home, why don't they let me go home?

poco a poco cresc.

80

home, this is the worst trip, I've e - ver been

this is the worst trip, I've e - ver been

83

T1
T2
B1
B2
PNO

on. Hoist up the John B's

on. Hoist up the John B's

on. Sohoist up the John B's sail,

Hoist up the John B's

87

sail, see how the main - sail sets, a -
sail, see how the main - sail sets, a -
see how the main sail sets, call for the cap-tain a -

90

shore, let me go home, let me go
shore let me go home, let me go
shore let me go home, let me go

93 *cresc.*

home, I wan - na go home, well I

home, I wan - na go home, well I

home, home, home, home, home, home, home, home,

cresc.

97 *ff* *rit.*

T1 T2 feel so broke up, I wan - na go home.

B1 B2 *ff* feel so broke up, I wan - na go, let me go home.

PNO *ff* *rit.*