

Aether Shanty
Abney Park

[Verse 1]

N.C.

My arms aching, back s breaking, legs aching, neck

Em **D** **Em**

And this whole ruddy ship is a huge creaking wreck

B **A** **G** **F#**

We ve flown ten thousand miles with this thorn in our sides

Em **D** **Em**

Though the wind s steady, strong with no clouds in the skies

[Verse 2]

Em **D** **Em**

The ropes creaking, ship s leaking, sails are on fire

Em **D** **Em**

And this whole bloody ship could go up like a pyre

B **A** **G** **F#**

Crew s got smiles on their faces, but we ve seen this before

Em **D** **Em**

No telling just now what we have in store

[Verse 3]

Em **D** **Em**

The back-stabbing, loot-nabbing plans behind doors

Em **D** **Em**

Running low on the rum and depleting our stores

B **A** **G** **F#**

Can t tell who s on our side and who s ready to flip

Em **D** **Em**

When we hit the next port the whole crew could jump ship

[Verse 4]

Em **D** **Em**

With the moods flaring, crew s glaring, cut-throats the lot

Em **D** **Em**

With a paranoid captain always smelling a plot

B **A** **G** **F#**

We ve worked hard on this journey, but there s no land in sight

Em **D** **Em**

And before it s all ended there could be a fight

[Verse 5]

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