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Ship Of Fools
Bob Seger
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Album - Night Moves - #8 in 1976.
INTRO: A#
#1.
Α#
Tell me, quick, said Old McFee..what s this all have
                Cm
                                 D#
to do with me?...I ve spent all my time at sea, a loner.
A#
Is there something else I should know?..something hidden
                Cm
                         D#
                                     A#
down below, the level of your conversation?
CHORUS:
                                F
         Gm
                     Cm
Well, he turned away before the answer..
though I yelled aloud, he refused to hear.
              A#
                     D# A#
It became too clear..
#2.
A#
                           F
So, it went as we put out.. I was left in constant doubt..
everything I asked about seemed private.
A#
The captain strolled the bridge one night.. I stopped him
                      Cm
in the evening light..to ask him would it be all right to
A#
join him.
CHORUS:
                   Cm
       Gm
But he stood there like some idol..
                Cm
                          F
and he listened like some temple..
                    A# D# A#
and then he turned away.
#3.
A#
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All along the fateful coast..we moved silent, like a ghost.

A#

D#

Cm

The timeless sea of tireless host possessed us.

A#

The wind came building from the cold northwest..

F Cm D#

and soon the waves began to crest, crashing cross the forward $\ddot{}$

deck..all hands lost.

CHORUS:

Gm Cm F

I alone, survived the sinking..

Gm Cm i

I alone, possessed the tools, on

A# D# A#

that ship of fools.

OUTRO:

A# D# A# A# D# A#

Ship of fools....on that ship of fools..

A# D# A#

that ship of fools..

A seventies smash from Kraziekhat.