

**Treat Her Like A Lady**  
**Jimmy Buffett**

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Treat Her Like a Lady  
>From the Jimmy Buffett album \_Volcano\_  
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Chorus:

**C#**

Some of us sailors call her home

She s big and she s strong and she s mighty

**F#**

**Ebm7**

Some of us sailors call her our own

**G#**

**G#7**

Guess that s the reason why

**C# Bbm**

I treat her like a lady

**F# Ebm7**

Just treat her like a la -- dy

**C#**

Now I don t like the sound of the ground movin round

**F#**

Or winds spinnin out of control

**G#**

**G#7**

California earthquakes, only seem to make a me

**C#**

Shake, rattle, and roll

I ve been too long on the mainland  
Hotels, rental cars, and phones  
Time to cast em aside, catch the very next tide  
And go back, where I belong

Chorus:

Some of us sailors call her home  
She s big and she s strong and she s mighty  
Some of us sailors call her our own  
Guess that s the reason why  
I treat her like a lady

Treat her like a lady

Now great whales travel the rhumb lines  
Dodging those deadly harpoons  
Spawning their young, as their ancestors done  
In the depths of her hidden lagoons

There re times I find myself with them  
And times I feel as they do  
We re on a similar course, it s just a different source  
But I m in danger of extinction too

Chorus:

Some of us sailors call her home  
She s big and she s strong and she s mighty  
Some of us sailors call her our own  
Guess that s the reason why  
I treat her like a lady  
Treat her like a lady  
Treat her like a lady  
Treat her like a lady

And miss her when I m gone

(Lady, lady) treat her like a lady  
(Lady, lady) treat her like a lady  
(Lady, lady) got to treat her like a lady  
(Lady, lady) treat her like a lady  
Lady, lady  
Lady, lady  
Lady, lady

Chords:

C - |x32o1o|      F - |xx3211|      Dm7 - |xxo211--|  
G - |32ooo3|      G7 - |32ooo1|      Am - |xo221o---|  
**F#** - |xx3211|

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