

## Bridges And Balloons

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This is a very sweet, very easy little song. To play in the original key, put a capo on the 6th fret.

[Verse 1]

**C**

We sailed away on a winter's day

**Am**

With fate as malleable as clay

**C**

But ships are fallible I say

**Am**

And the nautical like all things fades

**C**

And I can recall our caravel

**Am**

A little wicker beetle shell

**C**

With four fine masts and lateen sails

**Am**

Its bearings on Cair Paravel

**Dm**      **Fmaj7**                      **C**

Oh my love oh it was a funny little thing

**Dm**      **Fmaj7**                      **C**

To be the ones to've seen

[Verse 2]

(same as verse 1)

The sight of bridges and balloons

Makes calm canaries irritable

And they caw and claw all afternoon

Catenaries and dirigibles

Brace and buoy the living room

A loom of metal warp woof wimble

And a thimble's worth of milky moon

Can touch hearts larger than a thimble

Oh my love oh it was a funny little thing

To be the ones to've seen

Oh my love oh it was a funny little thing

It was a funny funny little thing