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Sink The Bismarck Johnny Horton

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In [D] May of nineteen forty one, the [A] war had just be- [D] gun
The [G] Germans had the biggest ships that [D] had the biggest guns
[D] The Bismarck was the fastest ship that ever sailed the seas
[D] On her decks were guns as big as steers and [A] shells as big as [D] trees

[D] Out of the cold and foggy night [A] came the British ship the [D] HoodAnd [G] every British seaman, he [D] knew and understood[D] They had to sink the Bismarck, the terror of the seas[D] Stop those guns as big as steers and [A] shells as big as [D] trees

## Chorus

[D] We ll find that German battleship that s [A] makin such a [D] fuss[D] We gotta sink the Bismarck cause the [A] world depends on [D] us[G] Hit the deck a-runnin boys and [D] spin those guns around[D] When we find the Bismarck, we [A] gotta cut er [D] down

[D] The Hood found the Bismarck and [A] on that fatal [D] day[G] The Bismarck started firin [D] fifteen miles away[D] We gotta sink the Bismarck, was the battle sound[D] But when the smoke had cleared away, the [A] mighty Hood went [D] down

[D] For six long days and weary nights [A] they tried to find her [D] trail[G] Churchill told the people, put [D] every ship a-sail[D] Cause somewhere on that ocean I know she s gotta be[D] We gotta sink the Bismarck to the [A] bottom of the [D] sea

[D] The fog was gone the seventh day an they [A] saw the mornin [D] sun[G] Ten hours away from homeland, the [D] Bismarck made it s run[D] The Admiral of the British fleet said turns those bows around[D] We found that German battleship, and we re [A]gonna cut er [D] down

[D] The British guns were aimed and the [A] shells were coming [D] fast[G] The first shell hit the Bismarck, they [D] knew she couldn t last[D] That mighty German battleship is just a memory[D] Sink the Bismarck was the battlecry, that [A] shook the seven [D] seas

Chorus

[D] We found that German battleship that s [A] makin such a [D] fuss
[D] We had to sink the Bismarck cause the [A] world depends on [D] us
[G] We hit the deck a-runnin and we [D] spun those guns around
[D] Yeah we found that mighty Bismarck and we [A] had to cut er [D] down
[D] Yeah we found that mighty Bismarck and we [A] then we cut er [D] down