THE SLOOP JOHN B

Key F, Sing C **4/4 1…2…123**

F
1. We / came on the sloop John / B, ___ my / grand__-fa-ther and / me.____ / Round__ Nas-sau /
C7 **F** **F7** **Bb** **Bbm6**
town__ we did / roam,____ / _ * Drink-in' all / night,____ / _ got in-to a / fight.____ / _ * Well I /
F **C7** **F** **C7**
feel so broke up / * I wan-na go / home. ____ / _ * * * /

F
Hoist up the John B / sails.___ * / See how the main-sail / sets. * * * /
C7 ***F***
Call for the Cap-tain a- /shore,__ let me go / home.____ / _ * Let me go / Home.____ /
F7 ***Bb*** ***Bbm6*** ***F*** ***C7*** ***F*** ***C7***
__ -I want to go / home.____ / _ * Well I / feel so broke up_ / * I want to go / home.____ / _ * * *

F
2. Now the / first mate he got / drunk.* * Broke / in-to the Cap'n's / trunk. * * * /
C7 **F**
Cons-ta-ble had to / come and take him a- / way.____ / _ * Sher-iff John / Stone,____ /
F7 **Bb** **Bbm6** **F** **C7**
_ -Why don't you leave me a- / lone?____ / _ * Well I / feel so broke up,_ / * I just want to go /
F **C7**
home.____ / _ * * * /

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C7 ***F***
Call for the Cap-tain a- /shore,__ let me go / home.____ / _ * Let me go / Home.____ /
F7 ***Bb*** ***Bbm6*** ***F*** ***C7*** ***F*** ***C7***
__ -I want to go / home.____ / _ * Well I / feel so broke up_ / * I want to go / home.____ / _ * * *

F
3. The / poor cook he caught the / fits, ____ and / threw away all my / grits * * and /
C7 **F**
then he took and he / ate up all of my / corn ____ / * * Let me go / home, ____ /
F7 **Bb** **Bbm6** **F** **C7** **F** **C7**
- why don't they let me go / home, ____ / __ * * / this is the worst trip / * I've ever been on. ____ / _ * * * /

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Call for the Cap-tain a- /shore,__ let me go / home.____ / _ * Let me go / Home.____ /
F7 ***Bb***
__ -I want to go / home.____ /
Bbm6 ***F*** ***C7*** ***F***
[: ***_ * Well I / feel so broke up_ / * I want to go / home.____ / _ * * **** **:] X2**

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