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One More Day 2

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Oh row me 'cross the river
I heard a maiden say
Oh take me to me lover
One more day

Cho:
Only one more day, me Johnnys
One more day
Oh rock and roll me over
One more day

I'm almost broken hearted
I can no longer stay
Once more must we be parted
One more day
Cho:

So do not fear my beauty
I can no longer stay
And love makes way for duty
One more day
Cho:

I've seen the sea birds flyin'
Ashore from o'er the bay
I felt they was all cryin'
One more day
Cho:

'Cause sea birds get the warnin'
Which one and all obey
The tempest loud is stormin'
One more day
Cho:

So heave onside the anchor
We sail out from the bay
Oh heave onside the anchor
One more day
Cho:

Unlike Colcord's version of the homeward bound shanty in the DT, this version,

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recorded by Lime Bay Mutiny in 1990, on their Live at the Blue Peter album, appears to be a leaving shanty. There is nothing in the liner notes regarding from where it was collected. It does not appear in the collections of Whall, Run ciman Terry or Shay.

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