

The Little Fish

This song was collected from Dick Fitzgerald from Charleville, Qld by Jamie Carlin. Jamie is a life member of the Bush Music Club, and has been an inspiration to many younger bush musicians. A version of the song appeared in the film 'Captains Courageous'.

Verse

There's a song in my heart for the one I love best,
And her pic - ture is tat - tooed all o - ver my chest.

Chorus

Yoh - ho, lit - tle fish - y, don't cry, _____ don't cry;
Yoh ho, lit - tle fish - y, don't cry, _____ don't cry.

There are fish in the sea, there can be no doubt,
Just as good as the ones that have ever come out.

Little fish, when he's caught, he fights like a bull whale,
As he thrashes the water with his long narrow tail.

The ship's under way and the weather is fine;
The captain's on the bridge hanging out other lines.

The crew are asleep, and the ocean's at rest,
And I'm singing this song to the one I love best.