

A Sailor's Life

Traditional

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TBB Voices with Keyboard

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Ranges:

Tenor



Bass 1



Bass 2



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Allegretto (♩ = 82)

Tenor

Bass 1
Bass 2

Keyboard

mf

5

mf unis.

A sail - or's life is rug-ged, — the white - caps on the

mp

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10

waves _____ pre - sent an end - less bat - tle _____ and chal - lenge that he

mp

14

f unis.
A sail - or loves ad - ven - ture, _____ the sight of for - eign
craves. _____

mf

18

lands, _____ the thought of all the trea - sure he'll have run - ning through his
the thought of all the trea - sure he'll have run - ning through his

sub. p *cresc.* *f*

sub. p *cresc.* *f*

p *sub.* *cresc.* *f*

22

hands! —

hands! —

mf
unis.

A

mp

28

sail - or's life is sim - ple, — he works from morn 'til night, — and

32

The

if he has the night-watch, — he'll work 'til break - ing light. —

mf
unis.

36 *sub. p*

smell of salt - y rig - ging, _____ the ris - ing of the sun, _____ the

sub. p

the

p sub.

40 *cresc.*

eve - ning breeze a - cross the deck when once the day is done. _____

cresc.

eve - ning breeze a - cross the deck when once the day is done. _____

f

f

cresc.

f

44 *rit.*

mp unis.

rit.

49 **Meno mosso** ♩. = 60*mp*

the wa - ter and the winds, _____ his
sail - or's life is lone - ly, _____ his

Meno mosso ♩. = 60*p*

53

accel.

ship - mates and the sea - gulls _____ may be his on - ly friends.
ship - mates and the sea - gulls _____ may be his on - ly friends.

accel.

57

mf **Tempo I** ♩. = 82

A sail - or's life is

Tempo I ♩. = 82

61 *sub. p* *cresc.*
 rug - ged, _____ a sail - or's life is fine. _____ A sail - or's life is
sub. p *cresc.*
 A sail - or's life is

65 *f* *sub. p*
 un - sur-passed, a sail - or's life is mine! _____ A
f *sub. p*
 un - sur-passed, a sail - or's life is mine! _____ A

69 *cresc.* *f*
 sail - or's life is un - sur-passed, a sail - or's life is mine! _____
cresc. *f*
 sail - or's life is un - sur-passed, a sail - or's life is mine! _____



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