

THE RAMBLING SAILOR

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Moderato

VOICE

1. I am a sail - or stout and bold, Long
you should want to know my name, My
king's per - mis - sion grant - ed me To

PIANO

mf

time I've plough'd the o - cean; I've fought for king and coun - try too, Won
name it is young John - son. I've got per - mis - sion from the king To
range the coun - try o - ver; From Bris - tol Town to Liv - er - pool, From

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hon - our and pro - mo - tion. I said: My broth - er sail - or I
court young girls and hand - some. I said: My dear, what
Ply - mouth Sound to Do - ver. And in what - ev - er

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bid you a - dieu, No more to the sea will I go with you; I'll
 will you do? Here's ale and wine and bran - dy too; Be -
 town I went, To court young maid - ens I was bent; And

cresc. *f* *dim.*

trav - el the coun - try through and through, And I'll be a ram - bling
 sides a pair of new silk shoes, To trav - el with a ram - bling
 mar - ry none was my in - tent, But live a ram - bling

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First and second times *Last time*

sail - or. 2. If
 sail - or. 3. The sail - or.

dim.