# Black Rum And Blueberry Pie

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**INTRO: / 1 2 / 1 2 / [A] / [A] / [A] / [A]**

We're **[A]** livin' in the age of space as **[E7]** everybody knows

Most **[E7]** everyone is in the race as **[A]** this here country grows

But **[F#m]** down among the lobster pots you'll find a funny crew

Us **[B]↓** Maritimers don't do things, like **[B]↓** other people **[E7]↓** do

We … just … like …

**CHORUS:**

**[A]** Fishin', fightin', gettin’ tight ‘n’ **[E7]** starin' at the sky

**[E7]** Chewin', spittin' and just sittin' **[A]** watchin' things go by

**[F#m]** Climbin' rocks 'n' drivin' oxen learnin' how to lie

**[D]** Drinkin' black **[A]** rum 'n' eatin’ **[E7]** blueberry **[A]** pie

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I **[A]** guess they worry 'bout us in them **[E7]** cities up the line

They **[E7]** never will believe us when we **[A]** say we're doin’ fine

They **[F#m]** tell us we'd be better off if their rules were applied

But **[B]↓** why should they complain about, the **[B]↓** things they've never **[E7]↓** tried?

Them … things … like …

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Now **[A]** once upon a time some eco-**[E7]**nomic fellers came

De-**[E7]**velopment of human-type re-**[A]**sources was their game

They **[F#m]** asked a big computer what us folks was fit to do

It **[B]↓** typed a big long list of things, that **[B]↓** we're best suited **[E7]↓** to

That … list … read …

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