# The Titanic

Folk song circa 1915

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

Oh, they **[A]** built the ship Titanic

To **[D]** sail the ocean **[A]** blue

And they **[A]** thought they had a ship

That the **[E7]** water wouldn't go through

But the **[A]** good Lord raised his **[A7]** hand

Said "The **[D]** ship would never **[A]** land"

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

**CHORUS:**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

They were **[A]** nearing to the shore

When the **[D]** water began to **[A]** pour

And the **[A]** rich refused to associate with the **[E7]** poor **[E7]**

So they **[A]** sent them down be-**[A7]**low

Where they'd **[D]** be the first to **[A]** go

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

**CHORUS:**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

Oh, the **[A]** heroes saved the weak

As the **[D]** ship began to **[A]** leak

And the **[A]** band on deck played **[E7]** on **[E7]**

With **[A]** "Nearer My God To **[A7]** Thee"

They were **[D]** swept into the **[A]** sea

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

**CHORUS:**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

Lady **[A]** Astor turned around

Just to **[D]** see her husband **[A]** drown

As the **[A]** ship Titanic made a gurgling **[E7]** sound **[E7]**

So she **[A]** wrapped herself in **[A7]** mink

As the **[D]** ship began to **[A]** sink

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

**CHORUS:**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

Now the **[A]** moral of the story

Is **[D]** very plain to **[A]** see

You should **[A]** wear a life preserver

When **[E7]** you go out to **[E7]** sea

The Ti-**[A]**tanic never **[A7]** made it

And **[D]** never more shall **[A]** be

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

**CHORUS:**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]** down **[A]**

It was **[D]** sad **(so sad)** it was **[A]** sad **(so sad)**

It was **[A]** sad when the great ship went **[E7]** down **(to the bottom of the...)**

**[A]** Husbands and **[A7]** wives, little **[D]** children lost their lives

It was **[A]** sad when the **[E7]** great ship went **[A]↓** down **[D]↓[A]↓**

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