

Shenandoah

A Sea Chantey (An American Folk Song) [Am]

As set by *Celius Dougherty* (1902–1986) [Am]

O **Shenandoah,** **I** **hear** **you** **calling,**
[o:ʊ ʃɛ.nən.'do:ʊ.ə a:ɪ hɪɹ ju 'kɔl.ɪŋ]

Hio! **you** **rolling** **river,**
[hɪo:ɪ.'o:ʊ ju 'ɹo:ʊ.ɪŋ 'ɹɪv.ɛ]

O Shenandoah, I long to hear you,
Hio! I'm bound away,
'Cross the wide Missouri.

Missouri she's a mighty river,
Hio! you rolling river,
When she rolls down her topsails shiver,
Hio! I'm bound away,
'Cross the wide Missouri.

Farewell, my dearest, I'm bound to leave you;
Hio! you rolling river,
O Shenandoah, I'll not deceive you,
Hio! I'm bound away,
'Cross the wide Missouri.

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