

The Water is Wide (in C)

(Traditional)

Intro: C / Csus4 / C [Stop]

C F C
The water is wide I can't cross o'er,
G7 C Am Dm G7
Nor do I have light wings to fly,
C F Am F
Give me a boat that can carry two,

C G7 C / Csus4 / C [Stop]

And we shall row my love and I

C F C A ship there is that sails the sea,

G7 C Am Dm G7

She's loaded deep as deep can be,

C F Am F

But not so deep as the love I'm in,

C G7 C / Csus4 / C [Stop]

And I know not how I'll sink or swim.

C F C

For love is gentle and love is fine,

G7 C Am Dm G7

It's like a gem when first it's new,

C F Am F

But love grows old and waxes cold,

C G7 C C Sus4 / C [Stop]

And fades away like the morning dew

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