

## FIDDLER'S GREEN

Toonsoort: D    Duur: 4.25  
Voorspel: laatste 3 regels refrein  
Shantyman begint met 1e couplet

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### Koorrefrein: (na ieder couplet)

**Wrap me up in my oil skins and jumper  
No more on the docks I'll be seen  
Just tell me ould ship mates  
I'm taking a trip mates  
And I'll see you some day on Fi-de-ler's Green**

### Coupletten:

- 1. As I walked by the dockside one evening so fai  
To view the salt waters and take the night air  
I heard an old fisherman singing this song  
O-oh, take me away boys, my time is not long*
- 2. Now Fi-i-ddler's Green is a place I've heard tell  
Where fishermen go if they don't go to hell  
Where the weather is fine and the dolphins do play  
And the cold coast of Greenland is far, far away....*
- 3. Where the skies are all clear, and there's never a gale  
And the fish jump on board with one swish of their tail  
Where you lay at your leisure, there's no work to do  
And the skippers below making tea for the crew....*
- 4. When you get to the docks and the long trip is through  
There's pubs and there's clubs and there's lassies there too  
Where the girls are all pretty and the beer, it is free  
And there's bottles of rum growing from every tree....*
- 5. Now, I don't want a harp nor a halo, not me  
Just give me a breeze and a good rolling sea  
And I play me ouls squeeze box as we sail along  
With the wind in the rigging to sing me a song....*