

# Michael Row The Boat Ashore

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Jordan's river is chilly and cold, Hallelujah!  
But it warms the human soul, Hallelujah!  
This old world is a mighty big place, Hallelujah  
It got Satan all over its face, Hallelujah  
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They put Daniel in the lion's den, Hallelujah  
And he walked right out again, Hallelujah  
The reason them felines permitted that, Hallelujah,  
Was that Daniel had no fat, Hallelujah  
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Did you hear what old Jonah said, Hallelujah  
When the world thought he was dead, Hallelujah  
I was taking' me a ride, Hallelujah  
In that big old whales inside, Hallelujah  
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Old man Noah built an ark, Hallelujah  
Worked from dawn 'til after dark, Hallelujah  
When he left for foreign shores, Hallelujah  
Had a big family but had no oars, Hallelujah  
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They nailed Jesus to the Cross, Hallelujah  
But his faith was never lost, Hallelujah  
So Christian soldiers off to war, Hallelujah  
Hold that line in Arkansas, Hallelujah  
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Joshua at Jericho, Hallelujah  
Alabama's next to go, Hallelujah  
So Mississippi kneel and pray, Hallelujah  
Some more buses on the way, Hallelujah  
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