

# The Riflemen of War

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All you sailors old or young come light the guns on  
everyone.  
We'll take the ship and go to sea  
Crush the north in '53  
Fought upon a broken shore  
With 20 thousand men or more.  
We're the riflemen of war.  
All you sailors old or young come light the guns on  
everyone  
Make that shot against their bow, we watched their maiden  
sinking down.  
Fired aloud and the cannons roar  
With 20 thousand rounds or more.  
We're the riflemen of war  
All you injured old or young, come let's steal the gold  
for everyone.  
Take the ship, to England sail.  
Good heroes welcome, we'll prevail.  
Pull the mast to better shores,  
A hundred men were back on board.  
We're the riflemen of war.