

Shipwrecked blues – Clara Smith

Oh, the gale is raging and my ship's without a sail

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If the wind keeps on a-blowing, I won't be left to tell
the tale

Oh, the ship is sinking and the lightning struck the
mast

Now the ship is sinking and the lightning struck the
mast

And my crew is done deserted, I've got to stick here
to the last

Oh, I don't mind drowning, but the water is so cold

No, I don't mind drowning, but the water is so cold

If I must leave this good world, I wanna leave it
brave and bold

Mama's shipwrecked, shipwrecked, she ain't got no
time to lose

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time to lose

Lord, if someone don't save me, I'll go down singing
the shipwrecked blues