

Jamaica Farewell

Jamaican folksong
arr. GWYN ARCH

Calypso (essentially 3+3+2) ♩ = c.112 *mp*

Tenor

Bass

Piano *mp sempre leggiero*

Far a-way on a hol-i-day when the
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5 *mf*

sun shone dai-ly on the moun-tain top_____ I took a trip on a sail-ing ship, and when I
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9 *p*

reached Ja-mai-ca I made a stop. But I'm sad to say_____ I'm on my way,_____
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won't be back for ma-ny a day. Me heart is down, me head is turn-ing a-round, I had to

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leave my love in King-ston Town nn.

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p
Down by the mar-ket you can hear la-dy cry out while on their heads they bear

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mp

25 *mp*

— po - ta - to, rice or fish on ice, and the rum is fine_ a - ny time of year. But I'm

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sad to say I'm on my way, won't be back for ma - ny a day, oh no. Me

sad to say I'm on my way, won't be back for ma - ny a day. Me

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heart is down, head turn-ing round, had to leave my love in King - ston Town

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