

Oro, my little boat

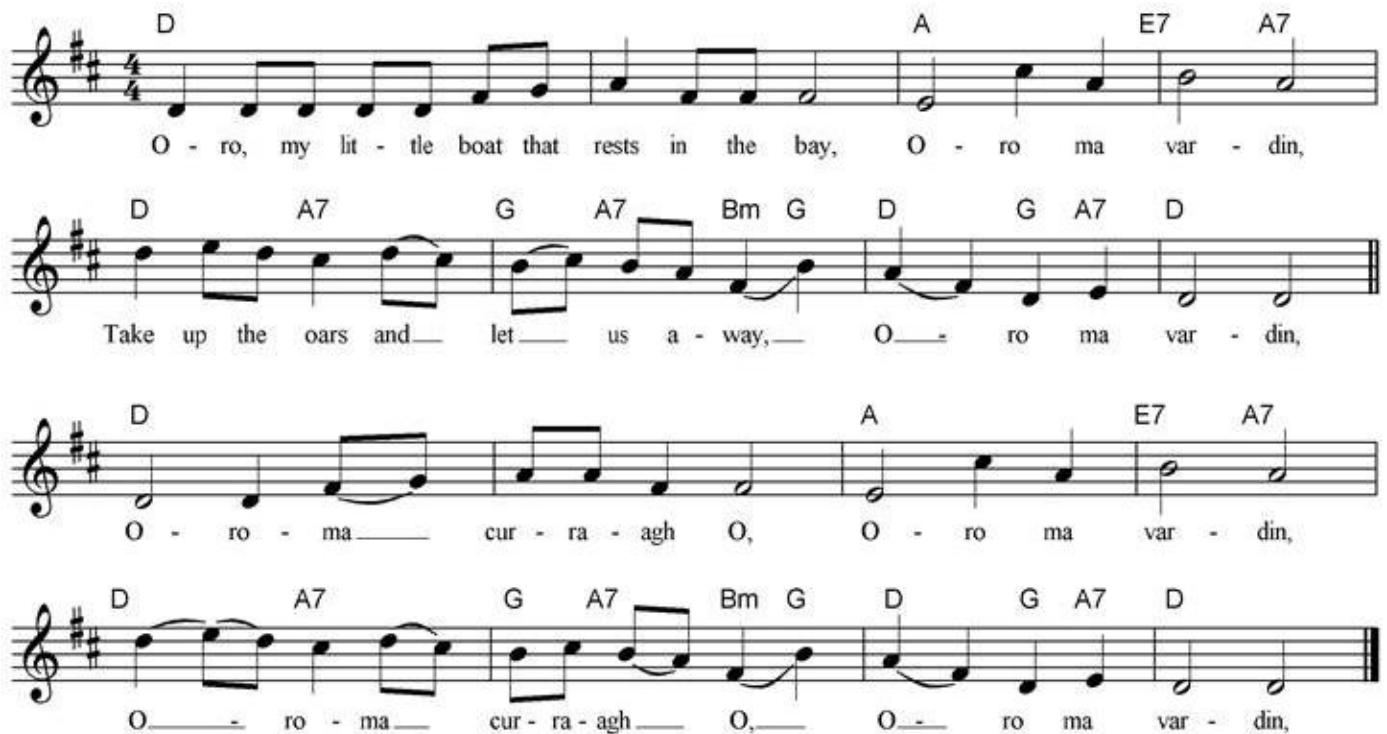


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A sweet Irish lullaby; hear it exquisitely sung and played by Mary O'Hara Kennedy in the Irish language at: <https://songoftheisles.com/2013/02/08/oro-mo-bhaidin/>.

The words below are not a literal translation, this version was collected by Diane Hamilton and comes from the LP 'So early in the morning' where it was sung by Peg Clancy.

Find out more about this song at: <http://mudcat.org/thread.cfm?threadid=12006>



Oro, my little boat that rests in the bay,
Oro ma vardin,
Take up the oars and let us away,
Oro ma vardin.

Oro ma curraagh O, Oro ma vardin,
Oro ma curraagh O, Oro ma vardin.

Sailing the waves over foam-white crests,
Oro ma vardin,
Happy and free away to the west,
Oro ma vardin.

Riding the waves on the ocean's rim,
Oro ma vardin,
Sailing home as the light grows dim,
Oro ma vardin.

