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Moderato

mf

A - cross the foam and far from home the sail - or boy Pi - erre  
Le pe - tit ma - te - lot Pierre, est tom - bé très a - mou - reux.

p mf

Gazed up - on the night in all its glo - ry Sweet  
Au Ca - na - da il fit la con - nais - san - ce D'un

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mem - 'ries came and spoke the name of some - one oh so fair  
beau mi - nois qui le con - quit au char - me de ces yeux.

f

Uke Arr. by Milt Coleman  
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Tune Ukulele

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As his comrades heard him tell this story. —  
*Sur son bateau; il chan-te sa roman-ce.*

*dim.*

Chorus

I left her By The Riv - er Sainte Ma - rie ——— We  
*Près de la ri - viè - re Sain - te Ma - rie ——— On*

*p*

pledged our love un - til e - ter - ni - ty ——— A - long the pebb'l'd  
*se pro - mit de s'ai - mer pour la vie. ——— Con - tant nos es - poirs,*

path-way from her door ——— We kissed and then we kissed a - gain and  
*Nous ja - sions le soir. ——— Mais le dé - part ap - pro - cha L'An - ge -*

*mf*

part - ed on the shore; The An - ge - lus rang out up - on the  
*lus dans son vil - lage, - Tin - ta, comme on se quit - tait au ri -*

sea I saw her kneel and say a prayer for me  
*va - ge Rem - plie d'é - moi El - le pri - a pour moi.*

— When win - ter's gone and spring is on I'll  
*Bien - tôt ma mie, L'à - me ra - vie, Oui!*

meet her By The Riv - er Sainte Ma - rie. I - rie.  
*je re - vien - drai à Sain - te Ma - rie. Près - rie.*

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