

Water is Wide, The

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The Seekers : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h2pz6iDI7aI>

C **F** **C**
The water is wide, I can't cross o'er,

Am **F** **G**
nor do I have light wings to fly.

Em **Am** **F**
Build me a boat that can carry two,

C **G** **C**
and both shall row, my love and I.

C **F** **C**
A ship there is, and sails the sea,

Am **F** **G**
she's loaded deep, as deep can be,

Em **Am** **F**
But not so deep as the love I'm in,

C **G** **C**
and I know not how I sink or swim.

C **F** **C**
When love is young, and love is fine,

Am **F** **G**
it's like a gem when first it's new.

Em **C** **F**
But love grows old and waxes cold,

C **G** **C**
and fades away like the morning dew.

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