

Six Months In A Leaky Boat – Split Enz

Intro: **C** **G7** **C**
Lala Lala La Lala Lala La Lala La

V1 **C**
When I was a young boy I wanted to sail 'round the world
 Am
That's the life for me, living on the sea
 C
Spirit of a sailor, circumnavigates the globe
 Am
The lust of a pioneer, will acknowledge no frontier

CHORUS 1 **G** **C**
I remember you by, thunder-clap in the sky
 G **C** **Am**
Lightning flash, tempers flare, 'round the horn if you dare
 F
I just spent six months in a leaky boat, Lucky just to keep afloat
 C **G7** **C**
Lala Lala La Lala Lala La Lala La

V2 **C**
Ao-tea-roa, rugged individual
 Am
Glisten like a pearl, at the bottom of the world
 C
The tyranny of distance, didn't stop the cavalier
 Am
So why should it stop me, I'll conquer and stay free

CHORUS 3 **G** **C**
Ah! Come on all you lads, let's forget and forgive
 G **C** **Am**
There's a world to explore, tales to tell back on shore
 F
I just spent six months in a leaky boat, six months in a leaky boat,
 C **G7** **C**
Lala Lala La Lala Lala La Lala La

Instrumental VERSE

CHORUS 3 **G** **C**
Ship-wrecked love can be cruel, Don't be fooled by her kind
 G **C** **Am**
There's a wind in my sails, Will protect and prevail
 F
I just spent six months in a leaky boat, Nothing to it leaky boat,
 C **G7** **C**
Lala Lala La Lala Lala La Lala La
(finish with melodic Lalas)