



Hanging Johnny

Well they calls me Hanging Johnny
Away boys, away
They says I hangs for money
So hang boys, hang!

And first I hanged me mother
Away boys, away
Me sister and me brother
So hang boys, hang!

I hanged me sister Sally
Away boys, away
I hanged me whole damned family
So hang boys, hang!

I even hanged me granny
Away boys, away
I strung her up so canny
So hang boys, hang!

I'd hang a ruddy copper
Away boys, away
I'd give him the big dropper
So hang boys, hang!

I'd hang the mate and skipper
Away boys, away
I'd hang 'em by their flippers
So hang boys, hang!

Well, a rope, a beam, a ladder
Away boys, away
And I hang you all together
So hang boys, hang!

And we'll hang and haul together
Away boys, away
We'll haul for better weather
So hang boys, hang!

So, they call me Hanging Johnny
Away boys, away
That's 'cuz, hanging is so funny
So hang boys, hang!