

Five o'clock in the morning. D

***Chorus: It's five o'clock in the morning,
time to get ready, we're sailing away.
It's five o'clock in the morning,
time to get ready to sail.***

Musikken gentager sidste linie i omkvædet.

We rise in the morning, sail out on the tide,
silent we slip from the quay.

With the gulls overhead and the seals alongside,
proudly we head out to sea.

It's five o'clock.....

Musikken gentager sidste linie.....

We'll fish in the Minches, fair weather or foul,
living our lives on the sea.

It's hard and it's tough, and the pay's not enough,
but what other life can there be?

It's five o'clock.....

Musiken gentager sidste linie.....

A trawlerman's plight is to work day and night,
and grab an hour's sleep in between.

An' casting the nets out, and hauling them in,
sometimes not a fish to be seen.

It's five o'clock.....

Musiken gentager sidste linie.....

We'll be cold, tired and hungry, and drenched to the skin,
when we head back to Stornoway Town.

With the catch safely landed, we'll have a good dram,
in the clack in "The Lewes" or "The Crown".

It's five o'clock.....

Derefter synges de to sidste linier i omkvædet a'capella!