

Man the Life-Boat!

Psalm 107:23-29

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1. Man the life - boat! Man the life - boat! Strong and short a - bove the roar, Sound the
2. Man the life - boat! Man the life - boat! Fog and night and cru - el sea, All the
3. Man the life - boat! Man the life - boat! Cour - age fel - low men! 'Tis He, Guid - ing
4. Man the life - boat! Man the life - boat! Think how once on break - ing deck Thoudidst

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or - der to the watch - ers On the temp - est beat - en shore, Hark! a - gain the guns ap -
odds of death a - gainst them, And e - ter - nal jeo - par dy. Thou who bidd' st us dare the
us to your de - liv' - rance, Once that trod the Gal - i - lee! Lo, the Church that car - rieth
stand a - gha - st, till Je - sus Brought thee from the lurch - ing wreck. To the oars then! O Re -

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-peal-ing! Sig - nals burn for swift re lief! There are men and wives and chil - dren,
 surg - es, Stay us at the strug - gling oar! Nay! Go with us to the res - cue!
 Je - sus, Not death's flood - gates shall o'er - whelm; Scourg - ing storms but urge us shore - ward,
 - deem - er Let Thy heart thro' through - out hand, Till the souls in mor - tal dan - ger,

*Refrain**f*

Fac - ing death on yon - der reef! Man the life - boat! Man the life - boat! Help, for
 Shall they sink in sight of shore? Love are at the helm!
 Life and Love are at the helm!
 Find thro' Thee the sol - id land.

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Christ's sake, them that drown! In the per - il of great wa - ters, Let them not go down!