BEING A PIRATE

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Verse 1:

[G/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games, till [G/] somebody loses an [D/] eye. It [D/] stings like the blazes. It [D/] makes you make faces, You [D/] can't let your mates see you [G/] cry.

Well a [G/] dashing black patch, will [Em/] cover the hatch And [G/] make sure your [G7/] socket stays [C/] dry.

[C/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games till [D/] somebody loses an [G/] eye.

Chorus:

But [C] its all pa--rt of being a [G] pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a [D] pi--rate, with all of your [G] pa-a-a-rts;

[C] Its all pa--rt of being a [G] pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a [D] pi--rate, with all of your [G/] pa [C/] rt [G/]s.

Verse 2:

[G/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games, till [G/] somebody loses a [D/] hand. It [D/] spurts and it squirts and it [D/] bloody well hurts, Pain [D/] only a pirate can [G/] stand.

A [G/] nice metal hook is a [Em/] fash'nable look, But [G/] then you can't [G7/] play in the [C/] band;

[C/] Being a pirate is **[G/]** all fun and games till **[D/]** somebody loses an **[G/]** hand.

Chorus:

But [C] its all pa--rt of being a [G] pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a [D] pi--rate, with all of your [G] pa-a-a-rts;

[C] Its all pa--rt of being a [G] pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

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Verse 3:

[G/] Being a pirate is **[G/]** all fun and games, till **[G/]** somebody loses an **[D/]** ear.

It **[D/]** drips down your neck, and it **[D/]** falls on the deck, Till **[D/]** someone shouts out: (pause) "Hey, what's this **[G/]** 'ere?"

You **[G/]** can't wear your glasses you **[Em/]** don't attract lasses.

And [G/] folks have to [G7/] shout so you'll [C/] hear.

[C/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games till [D/] somebody loses an [G/] ear.

Chorus:

But **[C]** its all pa--rt of being a **[G]** pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a [D] pi--rate, with all of your [G] pa-a-a-rts;

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Verse 4:

[G/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games, till [G/] somebody loses a [D/] leg. It [D/] hurts like the dickens, your [D/] pace never quickens, [D/] hopping around on a [G/] peg.

Ask your [G/] sweetheart to marry, but [Em/] too long you've tarried,

And [G/] now you can't [G7/] kneel down and [C/] beg.

[C/] Being a pirate is [G/] all fun and games till [D/] somebody loses a [G/] leg.

Chorus:

But **[C]** its all pa--rt of being a **[G]** pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a **[D]** pi--rate, with all of your **[G]** pa-a-a-rts;

[C] Its all pa--rt of being a [G] pirate! (A pirate! A pirate!)

You can't be a [D] pi--rate, with all of your [G/] pa [C/] rt [G/]s.

Verse 5:

[G/] Being a pirate is **[G/]** all fun and games, till **[G/]** somebody loses a (pause) **[D/]** whatsit.

[D/] You didn't choose it but you [D/] still hate to lose it and you're [D/] hoping that somebody [G/] spots it.

Then the [G/] Doc comes along and he [Em/] sews it back on;

Or he [G/] ties it up [G7/] tight as he [C/] knots it! (Eeeek!)

[C/] Being a pirate is **[G/]** all fun and games till **[D/]** somebody loses a **[G/]** whatsit!

Chorus:

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Outro:

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