Ballad of Gilligan's Island, The

The Wellingtons and the Eligibles







George Wyle and Sherwood Shwartz: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yfSLuEj99d0 Capo 4

Ignoring key changes

Just [Am] sit right back and you'll [G] hear a tale,

A [Am] tale of a fateful [G] trip,

That [Am] started from this [G] tropic port,

A-[F]board this [G] tiny [Am] ship.

[Am] The mate was a mighty [G] sailin' man,

The [Am] skipper brave and [G] sure,

Five [Am] passengers set [G] sail that day

For a [F] three [G] hour [Am] tour, a [F] three [G] hour [Am] tour.

[Am] The weather started [G] getting rough,

The [Am] tiny ship was [G] tossed.

If [Am] not for the courage of the [G] fearless crew,

The [F] Minnow [G] would be [Am] lost, the [F] Minnow [G] would be [Am] lost.

[Am] The ship's aground on the [G] shore of this

Un-[Am]charted desert [G] isle,

With [Am] Gilligan the [G] Skipper too

The [Am] Millionaire and his [G] wife

The [Am] movie [G] star...

The [Am] Professor and [G] Mary-Ann [F] here on [G] Gilligan's [Am] Isle!

[Am] So this is the tale of our [G] castaways,

They're [Am] here for a long, long [G] time.

They'll [Am] have to make the [G] best of things,

[F] It's an [G] uphill [Am] climb.

[Am] The first mate and his [G] skipper too,

Will [Am] do their very [G] best, To [Am] make the others [G] comfortable, In the [F] tropic [G] island [Am] nest.

[Am] No phones, no lights, no [G] motor cars, Not a [Am] single luxu-[G]ry.
Like [Am] Robinson Cru-[G]soe,
It's [F] primitive [G] as can [Am] be.

[Am] So join us here each [G] week my friend, You're [Am] sure to get a [G] smile. From [Am] seven stranded [G] castaways, [F] Here on [G] Gilligan's [Am] Isle, [F] Here on [G] Gilligan's [Am] Isle. [F] Here on [G] Gilligan's [Am] Isle!! [Am]