

## Sohran Bushi

(Fisherman's Work Song)

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Japanese Folk Song  
arranged by Osamu Shimizu

*Vigorous* ♩ = 80

*ngoroso* = 80

*f* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

S  
Yah - re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, Soh - ran! Hai! hai!

*f* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

A  
Yah - re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, Soh - ran! Hai! hai!

*f* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

T  
8  
Yah - re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, Soh - ran! Hai! hai!

*f* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

B  
Yah - re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, Soh - ran! Hai! hai!

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*p*  
O - ki no ka-mo-me ni Shi - o - do - ki ki - ke - ba, — Wa - ta - sha ta - tsu to - ri —

*p*  
I asked the fly-ing sea-gulls If the tide is best to fish; — "We're leaving now," they answered, —

*p* > *p* > *simile* >  
8 Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*p* > *p* > *simile* >  
Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

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Na - mi ni ki - ke. Choi, Ya - sa e ya - sa no

"Ask the break-er, if you wish." Ya - sa e ya - sa no

soh - ran! Choi, Ya - sa e ya - sa no

soh - ran! Choi, Ya - sa e ya - sa no

10 *f* poco rit. *f* a tempo

dok - koi - sho! A dok-koi - sho, — dok-koi-sho! Yah!

*f* poco rit. *f* a tempo

dok - koi - sho! Ah dok-koi - sho, dok-koi-sho! Yah!

*f* poco rit. *f* a tempo

8 dok - koi - sho! A dok-koi - sho, — dok-koi-sho! Yah re

*f* poco rit. *f* a tempo

dok - koi - sho! Ah, dok-koi - sho, dok-koi-sho! Yah!

14 *pp* *pp* simile *p*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Hai! hai!

*pp* *pp* simile *p*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Hai! hai!

*pp* *pp* simile

8 Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai!

*pp* *pp* simile *p*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Ku - ki ga tsu - zu - ke - ba,  
O, if you wish to mar-ry,

18 *p* *p* *f* *p*

Hai! hai! Sa no dok-koi-sho! Ni - shi -  
Sweet and —

*p* *p* *f* *p*

Hai! hai! Sa no dok-koi-sho! A mi mo ni - shi -  
I'm sure she's sweet and

*p* *f* *p*

8 A, dok-koi - sho, — dok-koi-sho! A - mi mo ni - shi - n de —  
I'm sure she's sweet and tender, —

*f* *p*

se - n - ryo ya ma - n - ryoh. — Dok-koi-sho! A - mi mo ni - shi -  
Pick a girl on the fish-ing ground. — I'm sure she's sweet and

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*port.* *f*

n de, choi, Choi, ya sa — no  
ten der,

*port.* *f*

n de, choi, Choi, ya sa — no  
ten der,

*mf*

8 gi - n no i - ro. Ya - sa e ya sa — no  
E - ven if she is all brown'd.

*mf*

n de Ya - sa e ya sa — no  
ten der.

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dok - koi - sho! A, dok-koi - sho, — dok-koi - sho!

dok - koi - sho! Ah, dok-koi - sho, dok-koi - sho!

8 dok - koi - sho! A, dok-koi - sho, — dok-koi - sho! dok-koi - sho, dok-koi - sho!

dok - koi - sho! Ah, dok-koi - sho, dok-koi - sho! dok-koi - sho, dok-koi - sho!

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*p* *f*

Yah re, Soh ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*f*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*f*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

8 *f*

Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,



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*pp* *pp* *cresc.*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Soh - ran, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*pp* *pp* *cresc.*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Soh - ran, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*pp* *pp* *cresc.*

8 soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Soh - ran, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*pp* *pp* *cresc.*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Soh - ran, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

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*ff* *rit.* *a tempo* *simile*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n! Ya re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*ff* *rit.* *a tempo* *simile*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n! Ya re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*ff* *rit.* *a tempo* *simile*

8 soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n! Ya re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

*ff* *rit.* *a tempo* *simile*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n! Ya re, Soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n,

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*p*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Ta - ma no su - ha - da ga

*p*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! To - mor - row I'll em - bark for

*p* *>*

8 soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Ha - i,

*p* *>*

soh - ra - n, soh - ra - n, soh - ran! Hai! hai! Ha - i,

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shi - bu - ki ni nu - re - rya. — U - wa - ki ka - mo - me ga — mi - te — sa - wa - gu.

Catch - ing her - ring from the sea. — To - mor - row night the hard deck, — Is the pil - low then for me.

8 ha - i, ha - i, ha - i! A, Soh - ran!

ha - i, ha - i, ha - i! A, Soh - ran!

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*p* Choi, ya - sa e — ya - sa — no dok - koi - sho! A, *f*

*p* Choi, ya - sa e — ya - sa — no dok - koi - sho! Ah, *f*

8 *p* Choi, *p* choi ya - sa e ya - sa — no dok - koi - sho! A, *f*

*p* Choi, *p* choi ya - sa e ya - sa no dok - koi - sho! Ah, *f*

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*ff* dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho! Ya, — dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho! *poco rit.*

*ff* dok - koi - sho, dok - koi - sho! Ya, — dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho! *poco rit.*

8 *ff* dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho! Ya, — dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho! *poco rit.*

*ff* dok - koi - sho, dok - koi - sho! Ya, — dok - koi - sho, — dok - koi - sho!