Chorus
Water bound and I can't get home, Water bound and I can't get home
Water bound and I can't get home, Way down in North Carolina

Chickens are crowin' in the old pine tree,(x3)
Way down in North Carolina

Say old man, I want your daughter,(x3)
Way down in North Carolina

Tell me boy, what you want her for,(x3)
Way down in North Carolina

To break my bread and share my water,(x3)
Way down in North Carolina

If you don't let her go, we're gonna run away,(x3)
On back to North Carolina

The old man's mad, and I don't care,(x3)
As long as I get his daughter

Get up Jenny, and let's go home,(x3)
Before the water rises

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