

Dad's Boat

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Yafet: Hi, Shem! Hi, Ham!
Shem: Hi, Yafet! What's up?
Yafet: I think dad's having a mid-life crisis.
Ham: Oh, no. Did he buy a red sports car?
Yafet: It's worse than that... he's *building a boat!*

Shem ² **Yafet**

Our fa - ther's act - ing odd: He claims he

Piano

³ **Shem** ⁴ **Ham** **Yafet**

hears the voice of God. He'll hear - ken, / Build an ark, / And then we'll

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Ham

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Yafet

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5 go a - float. Now, the globe is grow - ing warm. / He says God's

Shem

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Pno.

7 gon - na make it stor - my; / So there's not much time here *for* me To e -

All

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Ham

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Pno.

9 mote: [ALL:] Dad's built a boat! The call went to the fau - na Of each

Yafet

Shem

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Ham

Pno.

12 spe - cies: Come by dawn. / And pairs Came from their lairs: Each host and

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Yafet

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sym - bi - ote. / Some spe - cies came by se - vens Just be -

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Pno.

Shem

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fore God split the hea - vens / And the rains Flood - ed the plains Near and re -

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Pno.

All

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Shem

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mote. / [ALL:] Who's on Dad's boat? Let's see, there's:

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Pno.

Ham

Yafet

Shem

Ham

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Yafet

Shem

Ham

Mice / and lice / and bi - son. / Nice! / Ba - boons! / loons! / ra - coons. / Ua -

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Yafet

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Shem

ka - ri and me - ha - ri / (You won't see them on sa - fa - ri; / sor - ry). /

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Pno.

24 Ham

Yafet

Shem

Ham

Yafet

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Shem

Chee - tahs / bee - tles / bees / and fleas / And chim - pan - zees, / And

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Pno.

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Xyl.

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Ham

Yafet

Shem

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Ham

Yafet

Shem

Ham

moles / and voles / and foals, / a pol - ar Bear, / a hare, / a mare. / They're there! The

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Pno.

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27

Xyl.

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Yafet

Sherif

28 ark is pret - ty crowd - ed And the a - ni - mals are loud. / I

29

Pno.

Xyl.

Ham

30 sneeze - My al - ler - gies Are ma - king my eyes bloat. / Well, we're

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Pno.

Yafet

32 tos - sing on the wa - ters And Dad's gi - ven us his or - ders That I

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36 **Shem**

Pno.

34 have to share my quar-ters With co - yot - es on Dad's boat. We've got a

37 **Ham**

Yafet

Shem

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Ham

Pno.

37 Moose, mon - goose, some roos - ters, and an Ap - pa - loos - a, And

39 **Yafet**

Shem

Ham

Yafet

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Shem

Ham

Yafet

Shem

Pno.

39 ea - gles, bea - gles, moths and sloths, And snakes and drakes and snails and quail / We've

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41 **Ham** **Yafet** 42 **Shem**

logs of dogs / and hogs / and frogs With pol - li - wogs / And

Pno.

Xyl.

43 **Ham** **Yafet** **Shem** **All** 44 **Shem**

cats / and rats / and bats. / What's that? / [All] We've land-ed on Mount A - ra-rat! The

Pno.

Xyl.

45 **Ham** 46 **Yafet**

dove's flown to her cote! / An o - live branch was in her throat! / I'll

Pno.

Xyl.

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All

47 48

tote Not one more oat To feed a horse or goat. / [ALL:] They'll

Pno.

Xyl.

49 50

teach in ye - shi - vot That we were spared when the Lord smote The wick - ed,

Pno.

Xyl.

51 52 53

And this fi - nal note Is all we wrote A - bout Dad's boat.

Pno.

Xyl.