

We Listened to Pirates

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Intro G Bass & Drums into G (riff) F C C7 G5

G5

I was born in 1955

The year that rock and roll went live

But I was much too young to hear

F2

Those fifties songs

G5

So, it was in '63

When the Beatles sang to me

That my music journey

F

Had begun

C

C7

G

Had begun



G5

The Light Programme on the BBC

Was much too square for me

For all the kids at school

F2

It was not cool

G5

So, to hear the Mersey beat

We had to take to sea

F

And in '64 – the ocean roared

C

How it roared

C7

G

On Radio Caroline

CHORUS THEN RIFF VERSE

C#m

Can you believe it

A

We listened to pirates

E

B

On Radio Caroline?

x2

G5

And then in '67

That was the year of Sgt Pepper

F2

The BBC launching Radio One

G5

We had Flowers in the Rain

Because music was about to change

F

And the days of pirates were all done

C

Were all done

C7

G

On Radio Caroline

CHORUS

C#m

Can you believe it

A

We listened to pirates

E

B

On Radio Caroline?

THEN RIFF VERSE

OUTRO ON G