

# The WILD NORWEGIAN BOY

Tune: "Wild Colonial Boy"

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NOW THERE WAS A WILD NOR - WE - GIAN BOY STIG HAR - ALD THOR -  
AT THE TEN - DER AGE OF FIF - TEEN YEARS HE \_\_\_\_\_ BE \_\_\_\_\_

- BJORN - SEN WAS HIS NAME HE WAS BORN ON NOR - - WAY'S  
GAN HIS LIFE AT SEA FROM \_\_\_\_\_ CA - - BIN BOY HE

WEST - ERN COAST NEAR A TOWN THEY CALL TROND - - HEIM \_\_\_\_\_ HE  
ROSE TO MATE BY THE AGE OF THIR - TY - - THREE \_\_\_\_\_ STIG

WAS HIS FA - - THER'S ON - LY SON HIS \_\_\_\_\_ MO - THER'S PRIDE AND JOY \_\_\_\_\_ THEY  
SAILED THE WORLD ON CAR - GO SHIPS HIS \_\_\_\_\_ SEA SKILLS TO DE - PLOY \_\_\_\_\_ TILL

LOVED AS ON - LY NORSK FOLK CAN THEIR \_\_\_\_\_ WILD NOR - WE - GIAN BOY  
TIME HAD COME TO SET - - TLE DOWN FOR THE WILD NOR - WE - GIAN BOY

**SO HE SIGNED OFF THERE IN OLD NEW YORK  
AND HEADED WEST BY TRAIN  
BOUND FOR ST PAUL MINNESOTA  
TO STAY WITH HIS COUSIN SVEIN  
HE THOUGHT HE'D LIKE THE FARMING LIFE  
AND EXCHANGE THE SEA FOR SOY  
NEXT THING HE'S NORTH DAKOTA BOUND  
THAT WILD NORWEGIAN BOY!**

**ONE MORNING ON THE PRAIRIE  
AS STIG HE RODE ALONG  
THE MOCKINGBIRD REMINDING HIM  
OF AN OSLO THRUSH'S SONG  
HE MET THREE BACHELOR FARMERS  
UNCLES JOHAN, JENS, AND ROY  
WHO GREETED IN HIS NATIVE TONGUE  
THE WILD NORWEGIAN BOY**

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**"COME WITH US NOW, YOUNG NORSKE MAN  
TO OUR LOVING BROTHER'S HOME  
WHEN YOU MEET OUR FAIR NIECE BRUNHILD  
YOU'LL LOSE ALL DESIRE TO ROAM  
THEY'LL FILL YOU UP WITH LUTEFISK -  
ASK FOR SECONDS, DON'T BE COY -  
LINGONBERRIES AND FISKEBOLLER TOO  
FOR THE WILD NORWEGIAN BOY!"**

**WELL, HEARING HIS NATIVE DIALECT  
NEARLY BROUGHT STIG TO THE GROUND  
AND HIS BRAVE YOUNG HEART RESPONDED  
WHEN HE HEARD ITS MUSICAL SOUND  
"I'LL RIDE WITH YOU FINE GENTLEMEN  
AS THE FOURTH IN YOUR CONVOY  
I'VE BEEN A LONELY MAN OUT HERE!"  
SAID THE WILD NORWEGIAN BOY**

**NOW THE END OF YOUNG STIG'S SAGA  
WILL BRING A CHEERFUL SMILE:  
FAIR BRUNHILD IS HIS LOVING WIFE  
SOON TO HAVE ANOTHER CHILD  
A NORTH DAKOTA FARMER'S LIFE  
HAS BROUGHT THEM BOTH MUCH JOY  
STIG DOESN'T MISS THOSE CRAZY DAYS  
AS THE WILD NORWEGIAN BOY!**