

## The Sailor's Wife

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The Sailor's Wife, alone one night  
In slumber as she bathes  
She dreams of ships her sailor's lip  
Against the ocean waves

The sailor's wife was pale and white  
Beauty near divine 'Oh how  
the sea has stolen thee'  
She drinks, she waits, she cries

Life is but a dream

The sailor knows that waves will grow  
When all is not content  
The sky grows dark, a lightening spark  
A message must be sent

He shouts down to the sorry crew  
'The sky's no longer blue  
A storm is come to claim someone  
So pray it is not you'

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The sailor's wife had bare a life  
Before she slipped and fell  
Her back was broke, and as she soaks  
She cannot cry for help

The sailor clings to ropes and things  
He won't survive for long  
Then crashing down upon his crown  
A final, parting song

Both of them sinking as death pulls the plug  
One in the ocean and one in the tub

The water's running  
The storm is coming  
The sailor is drowning,  
drowning

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