

## The Deserter

Karelia

I'm scared for war, the smell of blood  
Agony rattles make me cry  
I feel no hate for my enemy  
Why should I kill ?  
Why should I stay ?  
Mother bring me back home  
Mother take me far away

The time has come to take my leave  
Don't have a grudge against me  
Opportune darkness ... I'm waking up and run  
Away in the silent night

Running through meadows and hills  
Grass unstained and morning dew  
I swear I won't  
Come back in the world of steel  
Finally my dream came true

Listening to the river flows  
Light touch of the wind on the leaves  
I escaped from the war claws  
Now I will never meet the grief

Full of hazards anyway  
Whether I leave or I stay  
They'll catch me up  
I know lot which waits for me  
Death is the price but I'm free

For them I'm a coward, evil comrade  
Unfit to be 'cause I've done the choice of life  
I'm a deserter

[Choirs :]

Fellonia a suoi fratelli, traditore  
La scelta di salvarsi, disertore  
Vigliacheria vergognosa, infedelta colpevole

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