

## Goodbye To Sol And Terra

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I've been to the rim and the galaxy's core  
And planets unnumbered I've seen in my questing  
At times I was sure I would never be resting  
And all of that time I was asking "What for?"  
I left as a youth and I wandered the stars  
Feeling a pull that I chose to ignore  
Knowing full well there was something much more  
Than all of the wonders I saw in the sky  
I called as I left here before

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Farewell to moonlight and sand  
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And always the image of one golden day  
And one shade of blue in the sky and the ocean  
Would stir in my mind like a sorcerer's potion  
And then I'd raise planet and wander away  
Worlds without number I'd visit and leave  
Then one of them finally urged me to stay  
I heard my own soul in the trees and the clay  
I'd come the full circle and found my way home  
And I knew I would nevermore say

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