

## Wide Lovely Eyes

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You wave at the sky with wild lovely eyes  
Waves and waves of love goodbye  
And through the garden with your secret key  
Down the tunnel that leads to the sea  
Step on the beach beneath the iron sky  
You wave and wave with your wild lovely eyes  
Crystal waves and waves of love  
You wave and say goodbye

Your dress size with your wild lovely strides  
And all along the street and lately the stories abound  
They've dismantled the fun fair and they've shut down the rides  
And they've hung the mermaids from the streetlights by their hair  
And with wild lovely eyes you wave at the sky  
And me at the high window watching the ride  
The waves of blue and the waves of love  
You wave and say goodbye

The night expands, I am expanding  
I watch your hands like butterflies bending  
All among the myths and the legends we create  
And all the laughing stories we tell our friends  
Close the windows, clear up the mess  
It's getting late, it's darker and closer to the end

Through the tunnel and down to the sea  
And on that pebble beach, your laces you untie  
And arrange your shoes side by side  
You wave and wave with your wide lovely eyes  
Distant waves and waves of distant love  
You wave and say goodbye