

# Riptide

Willy Mason

i need a new song, shift it all around, like the ocean  
when the riptide gets you down  
take some, from the ones you love, in the old town  
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sing i can still breathe i can still walk  
i can still see neilgen walking up the dock  
i remember when i carved my name into this cedar tree  
sing while i'm walking sabbys on the rocks  
with a new reel flashing casting as he talks  
he came home from the city  
when they choked out all of his dreams  
and i guess you could say that this is me  
and i guess that these folks are the only ones i  
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everywhere i go i'm going to the ocean  
every river flows into the ocean  
the water in my soul is going to the ocean  
i sing the great unknown i'm singing to the ocean  
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