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As I dove for sunken treasures and came up with empty hands Just the short lived pleasures we had written in the sand

Washed away by morning tide and waves of blue remorse Sleeping with the seawind's bride a slave of nature's cruel force

I was blown away by windy tails a poor misguided fool The seven seas we were to sail Were a raft in a shallow pool

The whispers in each others ears now but a distant call Full of guilt we perservere victims of a drunken lustfull brawl

The message in a bottle I threw into the wind Came back to shore cracked and shot every time you sinned

Doubts unanswered and lightly weighed to forgive surely devine But with your cunning repartee I bowed to the devil's shrine

Now faith and hope are on the skids and still I fear you'll leave When many years ago you did a farewell filled with grief

The widows walk I pace at night the lighthouse has gone dim Syren songs now sound contrite begging me to come on in Our unborn children surely mourn the lives they'll never live As we mourn the chances we're withheld Being unable to forgive