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## Safe in the Harbour

Have you stood by the ocean on a diamond-hard morning  
And felt the horizon stir deep in your soul  
Watched the wake of a steamer as it cut through blue water  
Been gripped by a fever you just can't control  
Ah to throw off the shackles and fly with the seagulls  
To where green waves tumble before a driving sea wind  
Or to lie on the decking on a warm summer's evening  
Watch the red sun fall burning beneath the earth's rim

Chorus:

But to every sailor comes time to drop anchor  
Haul in the sails and make the lines fast  
You deep-water dreamer your journey is over  
You're safe in the harbour at last  
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Some men are sailors but most are just dreamers  
Held fast by the anchors they forge in their mind  
Who in their hearts know they'll never sail over deep water  
To search for a treasure they're afraid they won't find  
So in sheltered harbours they cling to their anchors  
Bank down the boilers and shut down the steam  
And wait for the sailors to return with their treasures  
That will fan the dull embers and fire up their dreams

And some men are schemers who laugh at the dreamers  
Take the gold from the sailors and turn it to dross  
They're men in a prison, they're men without vision  
Whose only horizon is profit and loss  
So when storm clouds come sailing across your blue ocean  
Hold fast to your dreaming for all that you're worth  
For as long as there are dreamers there will always be sailors  
Bringing back their bright treasures from the corners of earth.