

## By the Sea

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**I**        **stood**    **today**        **by**        **the**        **shimm'ring**    **sea;**  
[a:ɪ      stʊd      tə(u)ˈdeɪ    ba:ɪ      ðə        ˈʃɪm.rɪŋ      si]

Never was wind so mild and free;  
The light and the loveliness dazzled me.

The waves did frolic and curl and roll;  
They sigh'd and sang to my list'ning soul,  
And the might of their mystery made me whole.

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*Thank you!*

