



The sea, the glorious sea

Luther Orlando Emerson
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S
The sea, the sea, the glo - rious sea; _____ How pleas-ant it is on the

A
The sea, the sea, the glo - rious sea, the glo - rious sea; How pleas-ant it is on the

T
The sea, the sea, the glo - rious sea, the glo - rious sea;

B
The sea, the sea, the glo - rious sea, the glo - rious sea;

S
sea, _____ When round us the bil - lows are

A
sea, _____ When round us the bil - lows are

T
How pleas - ant it is on the sea, _____ When

B
How pleas - ant it is on the sea, _____ When

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S
heav - ing, And bold - ly our ves - sel is cleav - ing Her path thro' the o - pen

A
heav - ing, And bold - ly our ves - sel is cleav - ing Her path thro' the o - pen

T
8
round us the bil - lows are heav - ing, And bold - ly our ves - sel is cleav - ing the o - pen

B
round us the bil - lows are heav - ing, And bold - ly our ves - sel is cleav - ing the o - pen

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S
sea; _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea, _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea. _____

A
sea; _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea, _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea. _____

T
sea; _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea, _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea. _____

B
sea; _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea, _____ The bright, the glo - rious sea. _____

S
The sea, the sea, the sum - mer sea; _____ There's noth - ing so bright as the

A
The sea, the sea, the sum - mer sea, the sum - mer sea; _____ There's noth - ing so bright as the

T
The sea, the sea, the sum - mer sea, the sum - mer sea;

B
The sea, the sea, the sum - mer sea, the sum - mer sea;

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S sea, _____ When the rip - pling wa - ters are

A sea, _____ When the rip - pling wa - ters are

T There's noth - ing so bright as the sea, _____ When the

B There's noth - ing so bright as the sea, _____ When the

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S glanc - ing In sun - shine like dia - monds danc - ing; Who does not love the

A glanc - ing In sun - shine like dia - monds danc - ing; Who does not love the

T rip - pling wa - ters are glanc - ing In sun - shine like dia - monds danc - ing o'er the

B rip - pling wa - ters are glanc - ing In sun - shine like dia - monds danc - ing o'er the

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S sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____

A sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____

T sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____

B sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____ The daz - zling sum - mer sea, _____

Luther Orlando Emerson was born in Parsonsfield, Maine. He originally planned to be a doctor, attending Parsonsfield Seminary and Effingham Academy. Changing his direction, he studied under the well-known music teacher Isaac Woodbury. He moved to Salem, Massachusetts, where he taught for several years. He moved to Boston as organist and musical director at the Bulfinch Street Church. He was organist and musical director in various churches in Massachusetts, and directed of about 300 musical festivals and conventions. He also became associated with the publishing house Oliver Ditson & Company in Boston. He compiled several collections of church music, and authored a number of training manuals and compilations for choirs. He died in Hyde Park, Massachusetts.

The sea, the sea, the glorious sea;
How pleasant it is on the sea,
When round us the billows are heaving,
And boldly our vessel is cleaving
Her path through the open sea;
The bright, the glorious sea.

The sea, the sea, the summer sea;
There's nothing so bright as the sea,
When the rippling waters are glancing
In sun-shine like diamonds dancing;
Who does not love the sea,
The dazzling summer sea.

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