

TONIGHT WE WILL SLEEP WITH THE STARS

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Catching a wave on an ocean of blue
Look at us now - bold Fortune's fair crew
Crowds stand below us with banners unfurled
And we're sitting on top of the world

Millions would join us if only they could
Dangers unspoken, but well understood
Destiny calls like a voice from afar
And tonight we will sleep with the stars

*The world can be cruel to its bold pioneers
And life's lessons painful to learn
The apple of knowledge holds dark bitter seeds
And mankind must taste them in turn*

White sling-shot stone, flown ten miles off
Suddenly Icarus' wings grow too soft
Birth begets death in a nova on high
And dreams fall like tears from the sky

*Searching for meaning in tragedy's wake
Posing our questions in vain
The tallest of hopes and the deepest of fears
Explode in a bright golden flame*

High overhead on a cold winter's night
Look at the Pleiades glittering bright
Seven souls bask in a heavenly glow
While children cast wishes below

Millions would join them if only they could
Dangers unspoken, but well understood
Destiny's called them; let time heal the scars
And tonight they will sleep with the stars

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