

While on the Sea

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Ukrainian Poem

(Ukraine)

Composer unknown

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1. While on the sea hear the ter - ri - ble roar - ing;
2. Save me, O mer - ci - ful Fa - ther, for - give me;
3. I have no strength left to aid on my jour - ney;

See how the boat of my life rolls with me;
How as my life with its end - ing I see.
Help me to reach that fair land past the sea;

In fear of death and in deep - est of an - guish.
My youth - ful strength has been spent in the bat - tle.
Help me to trav - el to my na - tive coun - try.

Lord, hear my prayer, watch my soul on the sea.
Lord, now I beg You, have mer - cy on me.
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