

Bones In The Ocean - The Longest Johns

CAPO 1

[Verse 1]

Oh, I bid farewell to the port and the land
And I paddle away from Brave England's white sands
To search for my long-ago forgotten friends
To search for the place I hear all sailors end

[Chorus 1]

As the souls of the dead fill the space of my mind
I'll search without sleeping 'til peace I can find
I fear not the weather, I fear not the sea
I remember the fallen... do they think of me?
When their bones in the ocean, forever will be

[Verse 2]

Plot a course to the night, to a place I once knew
To a place where my hope died along with my crew
So I swallow my grief and face life's final test
T' find promise of peace and the solace of rest

[Chorus 2]

As the souls of the dead fill the space of my ears
Their laughter like children, their beckoning cheers
My heart longs to join them, sing songs of the sea
I remember the fallen... do they think of me?
When their bones in the ocean, forever will be

[Verse 3]

When at last, before my ghostly shipmates I stand
I shed a small tear for my home upon land
Though their eyes speak of depths filled with struggle and strife
Their smiles below say I don't owe them my life

[Chorus 3]

F C
As the souls of the dead fill the space of my eyes
Am G
And my boat listed over and tried to capsize
F C
I'm this far from drowning, this far from the sea
Am G
I remember the living... do they think of me?
F G C
When my bones in the ocean, forever will be

[Bridge]

C F C
Now that I'm staring down at the darkest abyss
Am G
I'm not sure what I want, but I don't think it's this
C F C
As my comrades call to stand fast and forge on...
Am G C
I make sail for the dawn until the darkness has gone

[Chorus 4]

F C
As the souls of the dead live fore'er in my mind
Am G
As I live all the years that they left me behind
F C
I'll stay on the shore but still gaze at the sea
Am G
I remember the fallen and they think of me
F G C
For our souls in the ocean, together will be

[Ending]

Am G
I remember the fallen and they think of me...
F G C
For our souls in the ocean, together will be
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