

## **Poseidon's Deep**

Broken more than they had caused  
Yet I am less harmed  
For sands beneath my weary feet  
Are remedies of Time

Chilled from tides and I  
No, I did not predict  
The comfort brought from shock  
Rose from dying ship

I think—  
(Would never return if I could)  
I think I shan't regret it.

Catch the green  
Just a glimpse  
No,  
It's not the pain that I expected

I would breathe it in  
That savior, viridian  
Well met with darling Catharsis,  
I'll watch that great red flag  
Go  
Down  
Down  
Sink  
Down,

Gone.

Thus I may fade forgotten  
In minds that weren't like mine  
Your dagger stained my flesh—  
—Or,  
Did it bend with bone?  
I've grown calloused  
From all the should've knowns

So You,  
You collect your pieces  
Tossed and lost to thrashing seas  
And I,  
I adorn that cloak of stars

Know I breathed, at very least

I swear to Her,  
I've found my peace

For She is here, with Me,  
Watching from the golden white  
From caressing breeze  
From the edge of the warriors' realm  
From Poseidon's deep

I can rest now, as the light calls  
I can rest now

I can sleep.

BIO: Emilia Kerbow is a junior at Utah Tech University, majoring in theatre. She is also an accomplished composer & songwriter, having written/composed and released an album of piano compositions ('Origins'), two orchestral pieces, and the score for another student's senior capstone short film ('Vicarious Sin' - which includes two songs featuring her voice). Her passions fall in all facets of storytelling, including songwriting, composing, acting, playwriting, and poetry. The overarching trait of her art is a sense of colorful determination that reflects her unending love for life--the whole of it all, from the darkest pain to the brightest joy.