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## Nereid

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Shouldst I be blinded by your visage?  
If your reflection appears so potent,  
I dare not gaze at your flowing image.  
Ardent zephyrs whisper my true intent –

And your soothing waters revitalized  
Not only my wounds: though fatal and grave,  
But imbued my body with something prized:  
Everlasting love nestled in your wave.

All the tempest storms the fierce sea may bring  
Couldn't prevent me from loving you dear!  
Queen of the oceans – may I be your king?  
You saved me. Our love will persevere!

I shall wait for your response; you'll be glad  
Our future days shall never be sad.

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