

## Batten Down

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We sailed out of Chesapeake Bay  
And back again  
Derailed when the clouds went from grey  
To black again

So buckle up and batten down  
And carry what you can  
Stay with me until we see the shore

Oh water, keep me floating  
Don't me drown this time  
Oh water, keep me floating  
Just don't let me down

We're gone, the decisions are all  
Last minute now  
Headlong over some waterfall  
We're in it now

And everything is happening, and happening again  
The waves are getting higher than my head

Oh water, keep me floating  
Don't me drown this time  
Oh water, keep me floating  
Just don't let me down

There were tales they didn't seem the care about  
That were just ignored  
8-foot swells, they climbed and fell  
Swept me overboard

Oh water, keep me floating  
Don't me drown this time  
Oh water, keep me floating  
Just don't let me down