Down By The Border

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Moonlight out on the water The salty air touching my skin Walking with a barefoot woman On the Padre Island sand

She was golden brown And her hair shined just like silver The words left unspoken But there was something strong there between us

The crowd down in Reynosa Filled the arena with their cheers The blood flowed in the hot afternoon They sit and laugh and drink their beer

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