

I Cover the Waterfront

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A1 B_bMI⁷ E^b7 E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b E_bMI⁷ FMI⁷ E^{o7}
I cov-er the wat - er-front, I'm watching the sea. Will the

E_bMI⁷ E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b C⁷ B⁷ B_b7
one I love be coming back to me?

A2
B_bMI⁷ E^b7 E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b E_bMI⁷ FMI⁷ E^{o7}
I cov - er the wat - er - front, In search of my love, And I'm

E_bMI⁷ E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b G^b7 D_b⁶ B_bMI⁷
covered by a starless sky a - bove.

B
E_bMI⁷ A_b7 FMI⁷ B_bMI⁷ E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b
Here am I, pa-tient-ly waiting, hop-ing and longing. Oh, how I yearn!

FMI⁷ B_b7 E_b CMI⁷
Where are you? Are you for - get - ting?

FMI⁷ B_b7 E_bMI⁷ E_bMI⁷/D_b CMI^{7(b5)} F⁷
Do you re - mem - ber? Will you re - turn?

A3
B_bMI⁷ E^b7 E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b E_bMI⁷ FMI⁷ E^{o7}
I cov - er the wat - er - front, I'm watching the sea, For the

E_bMI⁷ E_bMI⁷ A_b7 D_b DMA⁷ D_b
one I love must soon come back to me.

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