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## Sea Jazz

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Sea jazz is...

The rolling crash of shoreline cymbals  
At each salty climax.

The mnemonic note  
Of the sax wailing  
Against a backdrop of azure blues

The frothy pianissimo of low tide  
Tickling my earlobes.

The cool splash of soloist conjuring up  
Billie, Dizzy, Ella, Sarah and the Duke  
With one sweet wave of melody.

The heavy strum of the double bass leaving  
Soft, indelible prints in the rhythmic sands  
Of time.

See? Jazz.

