The Dream Beyond
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Sailing over seas
    And coming to the shore,
Of the land that time forgot
    Where people live no more.

Love and hate are equal
    Life and death do rot.
Nothing evil will penetrate
    The land that time forgot.

Sand does cover the beach
    The clouds are lined with gold.
The writings on the wall
    Tell tales of times of old.

A family album is found
    Floating down a stream
The scenes you see there-in
    Can only exist in dreams.

The plague has wiped them out,
    It didn’t wait for a cue.
All our kindred are dead,
    And it’s all because of you.

Why did you interfere?
    Why didn’t you leave them alone?
Why do you always tamper?
    Why didn’t you stay at home?
The mistake was made by you,
   You are the one we blame.
And if you don’t stop now
   It could happen all over again.

But now there is no point,
   Grieving won’t affect a soul.
Why can’t you understand
   At every bridge there is a toll.