A life on the ocean wave

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De Zeezwabbers

1. A life on the ocean wave, and a home on the rolling deep! Where the
   scat-ter’d wa-ters rave, And the winds their rev-els keep. Like an
   sail, fare-well to land, The gale fol-lows fair a-baft. We shoot
   stout ves-sel and crew, We’ll say: Let the storm come down! And the

2. Once more on the deck I stand, Of my own swift, glib-ding craft. Set
   ea-gle caged I pine, on this dull, un-chang-ing shore. Oh
   thro’ the spark-ling foam, Like an ocean bird set free. Like the
   song of our heart shall be, While the winds and wa-ters lave: A
   give me the flash-ing brine, The spray and the tem-pest’s roar.
   o-cen bird, our home, We’ll find far out on the sea.
   life on the hea-ving sea, A home on the boun-ding wave!

Chorus Oh, a life on the o-cen wave, and a home on the roll-ing deep! Where the
   scat-ter’d wa-ters rave And the winds their rev-els keep, The
   winds, the winds The winds their rev-els keep.
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