So ends the tale of a hero With a true English heart Of a man w ho knows pain and sorrow And the fortunes in life Villain, then hero, then scapegoat was I Once I was knighted, now my star di sappeared In a darkening sky

Never feared the enemy Not on land, nor on sea Beating loud ins ide me, I can't negate I've been always fighting for, For my Qu een forevermore The empire's blade for a changing fate

This news is too disappointing To ignore it, Sir Drake! Sunken ships and twelve thousand fallen, A disastrous mistake! You've been a daring, reliable man (I'm still that man!) Upright and loyal to his Queen and land Now our union must end

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the island's fate forever May England's people ever Know well our names and honour Our legacy

Will now the overrun armada rise again? Finally tide has turned I fear the menace of invasion is at hand Hear me now, I have learned my lesson, please be gracious I shall never fail anymor e!