

Far Out on the Desolate Billow

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Friedrich Silcher (1789-1860)

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1. Far out on the deso - late bil - low The sail - or sails the sea, A -
 2. Far down in the earth's dark bo - som The min - er mines the ore; Death
 3. Forth in - to the dread - ful bat - tle The stead - fast sol - dier goes; No
 4. Lord, grant as we sail life's o - cean, Or delve in its mines of woe, Or



- lone with the night and the tem - pest, Where count - less dan - gers be; Yet
 lurks in the dark be - hind him, And hides in the rock be - fore. Yet
 friend, when he lies a - dy - ing, His eyes to kiss and close. Yet
 fight in its terri - ble con - flict, This com - fort all to know, That



nev - er a - lone is the Christ - ian, Who lives by faith and prayer;
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- fail - ing, And God is ev - 'ry - where.

