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I am coming back with a singing soul
through the surge of the splendid sea,
Coming back to the land called home,
and the love that used to be;
I am coming back through a flash of
spray, through a conquered tempest's
hum,
I am coming back, I am coming back.
but, God! do I want to come.

I have heard the shriek of the shrapnel
speak to the dawn of a flaming day,
And a growling gun when the fight was
won and the twilight flickered gray;
I have seen men die with their chins
raised high, and a curse that was half
a prayer;
I have fought alone when a comrade's
groan was tense on the blinding air.

I have tramped a road when a burning
load was strapped to my aching back,
Through miles of mud that was streaked
with blood, when my closing eyes
turned back;
I have cried aloud to a heedless crowd
of a God that they could not know,
And have knelt at night when the way
was bright with a rocket's sullen glow.

I am coming home through the whirling
foam—home to her arms stretched
wide;
I am coming back to the beaten track
and the sheltered fireside.
With gasping breath, I have sneezed at
death, and have mocked at a shell's
swift whirr,
And safe again, through the years of
pain, I am coming back—to her!

I am coming back with a singing soul
through the surge of the splendid
sea;
Coming back—but my singing soul will
never quite be free?
For I have killed, and my heart has
thrilled to the call of the battle hum.
I am coming back to the used-to-be—
but, God! do I want to come?

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