



The Half-ring Moon

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High Voice 6 Low Voice

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Over the sea, Over the sea,
My love he is gone to a far countrie;
But he brake a golden ring with me,
A pledge of his faith to be.

Over the sea, Over the sea,
He comes no more from the far countrie;
But at night where the new moon loved to be,
Hangs the half of a ring for me.

--*John B. Tabb.*



To Mr. Reinald Werrenrath



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Lento con molto espressione*mf*

*O - ver the sea, O - ver the sea, My love { he is gone to a
she*

*far coun-trie; O - ver the sea, O - ver the sea, My love { he is gone to a
she*

molto rall. *a tempo* *cresc.*
*far countrie; But { he broke a gold-en ring with me, A pledge of { his faith, of { his
she*

colla voce

f

faith to be. O - ver the sea,

p a tempo

O-ver the sea, My love {he is gone to a far coun - tries.

rall.

p a tempo

O-ver the sea, O-ver the sea, {He comes no more from the She

mp

p

Più mosso

far coun-trie; But at night where the new moon loved to

be, Hangs the half of a ring, the half of a

ring, Hangs the half of a ring for

me.

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ff

dim. e rit.

poco a poco

Tempo I

p

O - ver the sea, O - ver the sea, My

molto rall.

pp

molto rall. = pp

love { he is gone to a far coun - trie.

molto rall. al fine