

# John Denver

## "Calypso"

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This song appears on seventeen albums, and was first released on the Windsong Album, and has also been released on Favourites, Greatest Hits Vol 2, Voice of America, John Denver (Italian), The Very Best of John Denver (Double CD), The Rocky Mountain Collection, The Country Roads Collection, Reflections and Country Classics Albums. Live versions appears on the Live In London, The Wildlife Concert and The Best of John Denver Live Albums. An updated studio version has been released on the Earth Songs, The Very Best of John Denver (Single CD), The John Denver Collection - Calypso and A Portrait Albums.

To sail on a dream on a crystal clear ocean  
To ride on the crest of a wild raging storm  
To work in the service of life and the living  
In search of the answers to questions unknown  
To be part of the movement and part of the growing  
Part of beginning to understand

Aye, Calypso, the places youÃ¢â€™ve been to  
The things that youÃ¢â€™ve shown us  
The stories you tell  
Aye, Calypso, I sing to your spirit  
The men who have served you  
So long and so well

Like the dolphin who guides you  
You bring us beside you  
To light up the darkness and show us the way  
For though we are strangers in your silent world  
To live on the land we must learn from the sea  
To be true as the tide  
And free as the wind-swell  
Joyful and loving in letting it be

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