

## **Argent and Azure**

*A song for Atlantia.*

I stand amid argent and azure  
The sea and the sky parted soft by the foam  
Yet sorrow's companion, this pleasure  
For day breaks and I must take leave of my home  
Though great is the love that I bear for this land  
And parting brings heartache full sore  
My will it is hardened by duty's demand  
Proudly I'll heed the drums calling to war.

I dwell in Atlantia's splendor  
And great is her wealth both in grace and in might  
Her Queen crowned with beauty and honor  
Her King ever bold in defense of the right  
Be he squire or knight, be he peasant or peer  
Humility's servant he stands  
An able companion, a brave volunteer,  
When maiden or mistress his service commands.

If chivalry shines before valor  
If courtesy stands as the purest acclaim  
If the standard of goodness is honor  
Then first among peers is Atlantia's name  
So clad in our mail, to our weapons we cling  
In treaty and friendship full sworn  
For love and for duty we follow our King  
In aid of our allies we march on the morn.

I stand amid argent and azure  
With brothers in arms, for the battle arrayed  
The might of our forces to measure  
And answer our kinsmen who've called for our aid  
And though I must march with my back to the sea,  
My gaze turned away from the tide,  
I carry Atlantia's colors with me,  
Her banners proclaiming our kingdom, our pride.  
Stand amid argent and azure...

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