My Mermaid

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I went down to the sandy shore
To the ocean where she lives, alone
She came out of the water's edge
A beautiful sight to behold

Long hair that's soft, silky, and shiny With big blue eyes that hypnotize me She walked up to me, with inviting eyes And said "Come on in, the water's fine"

She took me into the great blue sea
To show me things I'd never seen
We emerged again from beneath the deep
And she sung me into a gentle sleep

When I wake, she's sitting there Besides me still, combing her hair She looks at me, and with a smile Tells me that I've slept a while

At the end of the day
She must go away
Sad to see her go, so we kiss long and slow
Before she swims back home

Her tail moves in a flash
And with a splash
She disappears back into the sea to sleep
Down within the ocean's deep

Her and me
We're meant to be
It must be fate or destiny
My love from under the sea.