



HIGH SEAS



PSALM 23 (Nautical Version)

**The Lord is my admiral;
there is nothing I shall requisition.
Peaceful, like glass are the waters
where he gives me rack time.
To restful ports he leads me,
to boost my low morale.**

**He guides me along the true course;
he is faithful to his name.
If I should sail into storms of darkness
no shipwreck would I fear.
You are there with your chart and compass;
with these you give me liberty.**

**You have set up the mess decks for me
in the sight of my foes.
You anoint my head with a trim;
my mug is overflowing.**

**Surely fair winds and following seas
shall follow me all the days of my cruise.
In the Lord's own harbor shall I moor
for ever and ever.**



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PSALM 23 (USMC Version)

**The Lord is my commandant;
there is nothing I shall requisition.
Fresh and green are the fields
where he gives me rack time.
Near restful shores he leads me,
to boost my low morale.**

**He marches me along the right trail;
he is "*semper fidelis*" to his name.
If I should charge into storms of lead,
no death would I fear.
You are there with your map and compass;
with these you give me liberty.**

**You have prepared the chow hall for me
in the sight of my foes.
You anoint my head with a high and tight;
my mug is overflowing.**

**Surely fair winds and following seas
shall follow me all the days of my tour.
In the Lord's own camp shall I stand easy
for ever and ever.**



“STILLA MARIS” (A Drop of the Sea) Scholarship MEANING

The both "Stilla Maris" and "Stella Maris" are correct.

We have "Stilla Maris" in a depth study about the Blessed Virgin Mary.

From Saint Jerome and others we down a translation from their investigation with *stilla maris* (a drop of the sea).

See articles in the Catholic Encyclopedia (1917) "**The Name of Mary**" and others articles in it ["**Ave Maris**" - "**Stella Maris**" - "**Miriam (given name)**"].

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Now, we see a similar phrase:

***Immersed in fathomless Divine Mercy,
like a drop of water in the ocean.***

Some persons may be give hyperdulia to Mary, the Mother of God, in the title "Stilla Maris."

Holy Mary, a Drop of the Sea, pray for us.

Amen.



“STILLA MARIS” Simple MEANING

"Stilla Maris" (a drop of the sea)
is a term from a research voyage
into deep waters.

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SHORT SEASCAPES SAYINGS:

The Lord shall reign from sea to sea.

(Psalm 72:8)

**When the storm winds of temptation drift on the rocks,
when we are thrown on the waves, and shipwreck our souls, we
ask:**

Holy Mary, Star of the Sea, pray for us.

(confer St. Bernard; PL 183, 70-71)

Guide to calm waters ... fair winds and following seas.

(Psalm 23:2,6)

**Immersed in fathomless Divine Mercy,
like a drop of water in the ocean.**

(confer St. Faustina, Diary 432)

Hope, an anchor of the soul, set and secure.

(Hebrews 6:18-19)

**Drop the anchor of hope deep down
into the trench of God's mercy.**

(confer St. Faustina, Diary 283)

**What eye has not seen a seascape, and no ear has not heard a
soothing wave, and what has not planned, what God has
created for those who are waiting with love.**

(Isaiah 64:3; 1 Corinthians 2:9)

Do not be afraid (...) fishing people.

(Luke 5:10)

**Then was seen a new heaven and earth; for the first heaven
and earth had passed away, and the sea was no more.**

(Revelation 21:1)



*Hail Mary,
full of grace, the Lord is with you!
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.*

(Litany)

HOLY MARY

MOTHER of GOD,

STAR and a DROP of the SEA,

QUEEN of the HOLY APOSTLES,

QUEEN of SEAFARERS,

QUEEN of FISHERS,

QUEEN of FAIR WINDS,

QUEEN of FOLLOWING SEAS,

QUEEN of the UNIVERSE,

PRAY FOR US

sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.



**ALL SHALL BE WELL; AND ALL SHALL BE WELL;
AND ALL MANNER OF THING SHALL BE WELL.¹**

ALL IS WELL IN GOD'S WORLD AND ALWAYS WILL BE.²



**Bravo
Zulu³**

ALL WILL BE WELL.⁴

ALL WELL. WELL DONE. ALL WILL WELL.⁵

¹ “Lord showed in this time – that ‘all manner [of] thing shall be well’” (confer: Catechism of the Catholic Church, paragraph 313; The Revelations of Divine Love, chapter 32, 99-100; Dame Julian of Norwich).

² “Reflecting on the Serenity Prayer” - Philip St. Romain.

³ Take my yoke on you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble of heart, and you will find rest for your soul” (Matthew 11:29-30). Problems ground life. Bravo, the top maritime pennant when it is alone significance: “I taking in, discharging, or carry dangerous cargo.” Zulu, the bottom pennant when alone means, “I requested a tug.” May represent Jesus as a tugboat sails together to haul the load. The two pennants hoist together (Bravo Zulu) signifies:

Well done.

⁴ “All Will Be Well” (Richard Chilson compiles Julian of Norwich).

⁵ The above notes and Ephesians (1:10) "unite all things in Him, things in heaven and things on earth.”

The M.S.A. motto is:

United in the Lord Jesus.



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***CAST* into the DEEP ...**

fishing people (Luke 5:1-11).

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