Lake Tahoe

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Cold mountain water
Don't ever swim there
Just stand on the edge and look in there
And you might see a woman down there
They say some days, up she comes, up she rises, as if out of nowhere
Wearing Victorian dress.

She was calling her pet: "Snowflake! Snowflake!"

Tumbling like a cloud that has drowned in the lake

Just like a poor, porcelain doll

Her eyes are open but no one's homeThe clock has stopped

So long she's gone No one's home Her old dog is sleeping His legs are frail now But when he dreams,

He runsAlong long beaches and sticky fields Through the Spooky Wood looking for her.

The beds are made. The table is laid.

The door is open, someone is calling it's a woman:

"Here boy, here boy! You've come home!

I've got an old bone and a biscuit and so much love

Miss me? Did you miss me?

Here's the kitchen there's your basket
Here's the hall that's where you wait for me
Here's the bedroom you're not allowed in there
Here's my lap that's where you rest your head
Here boy, oh you're a good boy

You've come home You've come home

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