Europa And The Pirate Twins

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I was fourteen

She was twelve

Father traveled, hers as well

Europa

Down the beaches

Hand in hand

Twelfth of never on the sand

Then war took her away

We swore a vow that day:

We'll be the Pirate Twins again, Europa

Oh my country, Europa

I'll stand beside you in the rain, Europa

Ta republiqueNine years after, who'd I see

On the cover of a magazine?

Europa

Buy her singles and see all her films

Paste her pictures on my windowsill

But that's not quite the same

It isn't, is it?

Europa my old friendWe'll be the Pirate Twins again

Europa

Oh my country.

Europa

I'll walk beside you in the rain

Europa

Ta republiqueBlew in from the hoverport

She was back in London

Pushed past the paper men

Calling her name

She smiled for the cameras

As a bodyguard grabbed me

Then her eyes were gone forever

As they drove her away

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Oh my country, Europa

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