## By the Sea

## **Sweeney Todd**

Oh, Mr. Todd, I'm so happy
I could eat you up, I really could
You know what I'd like to do, Mr. Todd?
What I dream, if the business stays as good?
Where I'd really like to go in a year or so
Don't you want to know?Of course
Do you really want to know?

Yes, yes, I do, I doBy the sea, Mr. Todd, that's the life I covet By the sea, Mr. Todd, ooh, I know you'd love it

You and me, Mr. T, we could be alone

In a house what we'd almost ownDown by the sea, anything you say Wouldn't that be smashing? With the sea at our gate, we'll have kippered herring

What have swum to us straight from the Straits of Bering

Every night in the kip, when we're through our kippers

I'll be there slipping off your slippersBy the sea, with the fishes splashing

By the sea, wouldn't that be smashing?

Down by the sea, anything you say

Anything you sayI can see us waking, the breakers breaking

The seagulls squawking, hoo, hoo

I do me baking, then I go walking

With you-hoo, you-hooI'll warm me bones on the esplanade

Have tea and scones with me gay young blade

Then I'll knit a sweater, while you write a letter

Unless we've got better to do-hoo

Anything you sayThink how snug it'll be underneath our flannel

When it's just you and me and the English Channel

In our cozy retreat, kept all neat and tidy

We'll have chums over every FridayBy the sea, anything you say

Don't you love the weather?

By the sea, we'll grow old together

By the seaside, hoo, hoo

By the beautiful seaOh, I can see us now in our bathing dresses You in a nice navy, and me stripes perhapsIt'll be so quiet, that who'll come by it Except a seagull, hoo, hoo

We shouldn't try it

Though 'til it's legal for two-hooBut a seaside wedding could be devised Me rumpled bedding legitimized

Me eyelids'll flutter, I'll turn into butter

The moment I mutter I do-hooBy the sea, in our nest, we could share our kippers

With the odd paying guest from the weekend trippers

Have a nice sunny suite for the guest to rest in

Now and then, you could do the guest inBy the sea, married nice and proper

By the sea, bring along your chopper

To the seaside, hoo, hoo

By the beautiful sea

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