

# The Pharaoh Sails To Orion

## Nightwish

"Get away from me!

Take heed to thyself and see my face no more!

For in the day Thou see my face

Thou shalt die!"

- Exodus 10:28A constellation of divine architecture built on Earth

A holy harbour - Orion

Nautical ascension to the firmamentShip-shaped barrows open my heart to the wisdom of this land

Sailing with the Serpent Chimera of a fiendish sandmanThe Unicorn arrives with the westwind to dream His  
funeral

"Thou art born for Horus dwells in Thee"Slumbering with the ebb and the flow of this foaming tomb

"Thou art born for Seteh dwells in Thee"Reveal your face to me and guide me through the Stygian fields

Enthral my soul to Sepedet's beams to serve Your willSailing on the distant seas from darkness to deliverance  
Tales like the ocean written to the Draco's glanceRuling with the scythe of death you tear our philosophies apart

An ancient starwalk to merge into the stars"Open thy veins for my venom

Kiss the cobras with thy twisted tongue

So shalt thou join the empyrean circus

Where beggars mourn and seraphs dance

In this twilight cathedral

Shall I wed thee,

O Bride of the Netherworld"Sailing on the distant seas...Join my soul the Hunter in the sky

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