Selkie

Tori Amos

Selkie unzips her skin, finally determined

Through a window in the dark, there he sits all aloneI've been waiting on the love of my life to find
He's been waiting on his selkie to come backHe said, I know these shores are not like yours
But will you make your home in my arms?Selkie battled tide and wave just to gaze upon his face
Hiding behind rocks to learn if he found a new loveLorelei sings the song for lovers who were torn apart then
left broken-hearted

Lorelei hears the cry of lovers that the sea of fate had separatedSelkie puts her hand in his, he knows the gift she gives

There inside his cabinet, folded safe her seal skinI've been waiting on the love of my life to find He's been waiting on his selkie to come backHe said I know these shores are not like yours

But will you make your home in my arms?

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