The Battle (Excerpt)

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Five days out on an infinite sea They prayed for calm on an ocean free But the surface of the water Was indicating some disturbance The raft was hurled by an unseen source Two hundred feet with a frightening force And a dark mass rising showed to be a giant porpoiseRising out of the angry sea Towered the creatures enemy And so the two sea monsters closed for battleCrocodile teeth, lizard's head Bloodshot eye, stained ocean red Battle won, a victor's pride The three men thanked the Lord and cried "Save me, save me, save me"Save me Save me Save meSerpent's fight went on for hours Two monsters soaring up my towers And diving down to the depths in a single motionSuddenly the serpent's head Shot out of the water bathed in red And the serpentine form lay lifeless on the oceanCrocodile teeth, lizard's head Bloodshot eye stained ocean read Battle won, a victor's pride The three men thanked the Lord and cried

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"Praise God, praise God, praise God"