

Boote in der Nacht – Ships in the night

ELISABETH

Love can do much
But sometimes, love is not enough
And faith is strong
But sometimes faith is just a bluff
We wanted magic
But there's no such thing
It's time we faced the truth and just stopped trying
We are like ships passing in the night
Each has its destination somewhere out of sight
But we meet beneath midnight skies
And it hurts to say our goodbyes
But this current is not something we can fight

FRANZ JOSEPH

You want it all
But sometimes, less is so much more

ELISABETH

Your promises have palled

FRANZ JOSEPH

To be together, is that
Not worth living for

ELISABETH

Your dreams are just too small

ELISABETH & FRANZ JOSEPH

If you could see through my eyes and I could see through yours
Maybe you wouldn't misunderstand anymore
We are like ships passing in the night
Each searching for our harbor in the starlight
When we meet beneath midnight skies
How it hurts to say our goodbyes
When did our happiness drift out of sight

ELISABETH

You and I, we are ships passing in the night

FRANZ JOSEPH (simultaneous)

Please see me... Believe me...
Don't leave me... Is this how it must be?

ELISABETH

Each searching for our harbor in the starlight

FRANZ JOSEPH (simultaneous)

I want you... I need you...
I love you... Can you not be with me?

ELISABETH & FRANZ JOSEPH

But we meet where we cannot moor
And are more alone than before
When did our happiness drift out of sight

FRANZ JOSEPH:

I love you!

ELISABETH

Accept it: what cannot be, cannot be.

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