Feist, The Water

The telegraph cables hum
And few can decipher who the message is from
And deliver it quietly
'Cause some don't get much company

The harbor becomes the sea And lighting the house keeps it collision free Understand the lay of the land And don't let it hurt you Or it will be the first to

The water
The water didn't realize
Its dangerous size
The mountain
The mountain came to recognize
Its steep and rocky sides
More than realized

There you live a pile of bones You hope for your babies, and this is how they grow Wind-battered, knocked over The teeth bite the shoulder Watching the gray sky, that's acting like a good guy

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