

I was fourteen, she was twelve  
Europa Father traveled, hers as well

Down the beaches, hand in hand  
Then war took her away  
Twelfth of never, on the sand  
We swore a vow that day

We'll be the Pirate Twins again (Europa)  
Oh my country (Europa)  
I'll walk beside you in the rain (Europa)  
Ta rÃ©publique (Europa)

Nine years after, who'd I see  
Europa On the cover of a magazine?

Buy her singles and see all her films  
Paste her pictures on my window sill  
But that's not quite the same - it isn't! Is it?  
Europa, my old friend

We'll be the Pirate Twins again (Europa)  
Oh my country! Oh my country! (Europa)  
I'll walk beside you in the rain (Europa)  
Ta rÃ©publique (Europa)

Blew in from the hoverport, she was back in London  
Pushed past the papermen, calling her name  
She smiled for the cameras as the bodyguard grabbed me  
Her eyes were gone forever as they drove her away

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We'll be the Pirate Twins again (Europa)  
Oh my country Look at my country now!  
I'll stand beside you in the rain (Europa)  
Ta rÃ©publique (Europa)

Down in some bar along the Strand (Europa)  
Oh my country (Europa)  
I'll walk beside you in the rain (Europa)  
Ta rÃ©publique (Europa)