

The Mary Ellen Carter

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She went down last Oc - to - ber in a pour - ing, driv - ing rain. The
5 skip - per, he'd been drink - ing, and the mate, he felt no pain. Too
9 close to Three Mile Rock and she was dealt her mor - tal blow. And the
13 Mar - y Ell - en Car - ter set - tled low. There were
17 just us five a - - board her when she final - ly was a - - wash. We'd
21 worked like hell to save her, all heed - less of the cost. And the
25 groan she gave as she went down, it caused us to pro - claim that the
29 Mar - y Ell - en Car - ter would rise a - - gain.
32 Rise a - gain, Rise a - gain. That her name not be lost to the
38 know - ledge of men. All those who loved her best and were
42 with her 'till the end will make the Mar - y Ell - en Car - ter rise a - gain!