

Dedication for *Songs of the Pandemic* (January 2021)

Bon Voyage

we're a cruising team
crossing fierce Pandemic Sea
each other's first mate

rising every morn
navigating through each day
'til our goodnight kiss

we share the tiller
steering clear of rocky shoals
and Covid's dark reef

yon fog-shrouded shore
who can know this journey's end?
we bid bon voyage

dear co-traveler
quarantine's sweet companion
let's sail on, my love



Photo: Susan in Greenland, August 2016