

LOVE LETTERS IN THE SAND

**On a day like to day
We passed the time a way
Writing love letters in the sand.**

**How you laughed when I cried
Each time I saw the tide
Take our love letters in the sand.**

**You made a vow that you would always be true,
But somehow that vow meant nothing to you.**

**Now my poor heart just aches,
With every wave it breaks
Over love letters in the sand.**

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Moderate rock



published these verses in his *New York Daily Mirror* column one day in 1931. (Brother Charles helped out on the poem.) Songwriter J. Fred ("You Go to My Head") Coots liked it and wrote a melody for it. Russ Columbo and bandleader George Hall made "Love Letters in the Sand" a standard in the '30s, and Pat Boone had a major hit with it in 1957.

Words by Nick and Charles Kenny; Music by J. Fred Coots



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