6 June 1944

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Verse 1

The sixth of June nineteen forty-four,
Thousands of vessels cross the sea,
Taking Allied troops to France's shore,
To fight for liberty.
One hundred and fifty-six thousand men,
Some barely into adulthood,
Not knowing if they'd see home again,
Their mission understood.
Remember their sacrifice,
The price of war,
The lives that were lost,
Or changed for evermore.

Chorus

Their memory's echoed in the ocean's swell, It's ingrained on beaches where thousands fell. As we live our lives, forever in their debt, Though time moves on, we will never forget.

Verse 2

As the troops finally come to land,
They struggle through traps and barbed wire.
Dozens of mines lurk in the sand,
They're surrounded by gunfire.
They battle on till each beach is secure,
Then continue inland courageously.
Their actions change the course of war,
Pave the way for victory.
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