Lava (from the Pixar short movie Lava)
by James Ford Murphy (2014)

A long, long time ago, there was a volcano, living all alone in the middle of the sea
C . . . . | G7 . . . . | F . . . . |
He sat high above his bay, watching all the couples play, and wishing that
C . . . | G7 . . .
he had someone too
And from his lava came this song of hope that he sang out loud every day for years and years

Chorus: I have a dream I hope will come true, that you’re here with me and I’m here with you
I wish that the earth, sea, the sky up above will send me someone to lava.

Years of singing all alone, turned his lava into stone until he was on the brink of extinction
But little did he know that living in the sea below another volcano was listening to his song
C . . . . | G7 . . . . | F . . . . |
Every day she heard his tune, her lava grew and grew because she believed
| C . . . | G7 . . .
his song was meant for her
Now she was so ready to meet him above the sea as he sang his song of hope for the last time

(slow tempo)

Chorus: I have a dream I hope will come true, that you’re here with me and I’m here with you
I wish that the earth, sea, the sky up above will send me someone to lava.

(loud eruption noise)
Rising from the sea below stood a lovely volcano looking all around but she could not see him.

He tried to sing to let her know that she was not alone but with no lava, his song was all gone.

He filled the sea with his tears and watched his dreams disappear as she remembered what his song meant to her.

Chorus: I have a dream I hope will come true, that you're here with me and I'm here with you. (sung by Lele)

Faster, “happy” tempo”

Oh, they were so happy to finally meet above the sea, all together now their lava grew and grew.

No longer are they alone with a-loha as their new home and when you visit them, this is what they sing.

Chorus: I have a dream I hope will come true, that you'll grow old with me and I'll grow old with you. (sung together) We thank the Earth, sea and the sky we thank, too.

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