

# Townes Van Zandt, Fraulein (L. Williams)

Far across the blue water lives an old German's daughter  
By the banks of the old river Rhine  
Where I loved her and left her but I can't forget her  
I miss my pretty fraulein  
Fraulein, fraulein, look up toward the heavens  
Each night when the stars start to shine  
By the same stars above you, I swear that I love you  
You are my pretty fraulein

When my memories wander a-way over yonder  
To the sweetheart that I left behind  
In a moment of glory a face comes before me  
The face of my pretty fraulein  
Fraulein, fraulein, walk down by the river  
Pretend that your hand's holdin' mine  
By the same stars above you I swear that I love you  
You are my pretty fraulein