

# Saxon, Carpe Diem (Seize the Day)

Far out on the border  
Stands an ancient wall  
The limits of the empire  
Where the eagles called  
Carpe diem

Stretching out across the land  
Snakes through moor and stone  
The wall was built by Hadrian  
An emperor of Rome  
Carpe diem

They came, they saw, they conquered  
The legions of the eagle will not fall

Carpe diem  
Seize the day  
From coast to coast they built and slaved  
A tower every mile  
Legionnaires would live and die  
Under foreign skies

Carpe diem

The garrisons would guard the wall  
Looking to the north  
Out into the territory  
Of the northern hordes  
Carpe diem

They came, they saw, they conquered  
The legions of the eagle will not fall

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Seize the day  
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Over time the legions left  
These long forgotten ruins  
Where battalions stood and held the line  
Against the Picts and druids

Carpe diem

Still the wall is standing now  
Keeping silent watch  
Upon the frontiers lonely post  
Towards the land of Scots  
Carpe diem

They came, they saw, they conquered  
The legions of the eagle will not fall

They came to fight and conquer  
The legends of the eagle will not die

Carpe diem  
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