

An aerial photograph showing the wake of a boat moving through deep blue water. The wake consists of white, frothy waves trailing behind the boat, creating a clear path through the darker water. The perspective is from directly above, looking down at the boat's path.

Lake Michigan on My Mind

By Karen Gersonde

I keep dreaming about the ocean
and it keeps calling out to me.
Come back, come back, it says,
my shores are here for thee.

I see crystal blue water
and glistening waves in the sun,
and sailboats and fishermen
and children having fun.

Seagulls and ducks
and waterfowl abound,
with many different species of fish
and animals to be found.

But alas, I awaken from my dream
and to my surprise I find,
my dream was of Lake Michigan,
Lake Michigan was on my mind!