

Fathoms of water all around,  
Rich colours ghostly sound.  
In the coral life it teams,  
Never a stop the water gleams.  
Growing better every day,  
Invaluable in every way.  
Nocturnal fish in the darkness they hide,  
Great sea jellies ride the tide.  
Riddled with fish here and there,  
Enemies feasting every-where.  
Ending of the day has come,  
Fringing reef you have only seen some.

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