Marching Mystery

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From ship to shining shore
Out of an age when time was young
Across the silver ocean's floor
Their endless battle has begun

Chorus:

And they burn upon the open hand blinding all who see They feast upon the desert land marching on They burn upon the open hand blinding all who see They feast upon the desert land Marching, marching, marching mystery

She holds her weary head Her heavy horsemen stand alone It's for the living and the dead To search their fortune far from home

Chorus

There is majesty, there is tragedy all in its place Rank and file ever turning and moving the space

On paths of black and gold
They come with tales too dark to speak
But the fascination holds
Compels us on to search and speak