

How to Romesticate a Pilot

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Step onto a ship [redacted] small [redacted] enough to [redacted] wind that blows [redacted] over water than it does over land. It forces [redacted] warmth in the [redacted] bare feet have the [redacted] rough-hardness as [redacted] smells of brine and varnish. [redacted] face his smile [redacted] Issue an invitation, [redacted] do not wait [redacted] Look back [redacted] the plank. [redacted] I'll be [redacted] you.

Get used to being caressed by [redacted] as [redacted] and precious [redacted] other things they've [redacted] the horny shell of [redacted] Who walked [redacted] and the purple [redacted] trees, [redacted] Learn to [redacted] mock, you [redacted] top, [redacted] fabric [redacted] like [redacted] skin [redacted] your knees [redacted] calves [redacted] feet. Fall in [redacted] the feeling [redacted] poems [redacted] like tunes [redacted] of his [redacted] fiddle, [redacted] of them [redacted] and [redacted] thick [redacted] durable [redacted] rope. [redacted] hope [redacted] hence, [redacted] suck on these [redacted] salt [redacted]. When the time is right [redacted] Suggest a tent [redacted] a house [redacted]

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black dress that is
over land.
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