

WHEN I LEAVE THE WORLD BEHIND

I KNOW A MILLIONAIRE, WHO'S BURDENED DOWN WITH CARE

A LOAD IS ON HIS MIND

HE'S THINKING OF THE DAY, WHEN HE MUST PASS AWAY

AND LEAVE HIS WEALTH BEHIND

I HAVEN'T ANY GOLD, TO LEAVE WHEN I AM OLD

SOMEHOW IT PASSED ME BY

I'M VERY POOR BUT STILL, I'LL LEAVE A PRECIOUS WILL

WHEN I MUST SAY GOODBYE

CHORUS

I'LL LEAVE THE SUNSHINE TO THE FLOWERS

I'LL LEAVE THE SPRINGTIME TO THE TREES

AND TO THE OLD FOLKS I'LL LEAVE A MEMORY

OF A BABY UPON THEIR KNEES

I'LL LEAVE THE NIGHTTIME TO THE DREAMERS

I'LL LEAVE THE SONGBIRDS TO THE BLIND

I'LL LEAVE THE MOON ABOVE TO THOSE IN LOVE

WHEN I LEAVE THE WORLD BEHIND, YES

WHEN I LEAVE THIS WORLD BEHIND