

When I Shall Fall Asleep

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1. Some day the sun of life will set, and I shall fall a - sleep, And, leav-ing all that I hold
2. Some day the cares of life will cease, and I shall fall a - sleep, And, pass-ing from you, I shall
3. Some day my work will all be done, and I shall fall a - sleep, But O what joy to know that



dear, will find the si - lence deep: That mys - ter-y which, still un - solved, God and His an - gels
see a - far the gold-en street, And saint - ed forms of those who dwell up - on the o - ther
I shall wake to ne - ver weep! For where I go we know that God has prom-ised per-fect



know, And those who walk the crys - tal streams where heav'n - ly breez - es blow, Where
shore, Be - hold the loves ones who from us a - while have gone be - fore; Where
rest And peace for ev - ery ach - ing heart, and ev - ery trou - bled breast; And



grief nor sor - row ev - er come, nor trou - ble's bil - lows sweep; Some day the Reap - er
soft and cool - ing path - ways lie, where none shall ev - er weep— Some day the hour for
love more last - ing than our own He'll give to me to keep, When all my bur - dens



will ap - pear, and I shall fall a - sleep.
me will come, and I shall fall a - sleep.
are laid down, and I have gone to sleep.

