

E. E. Cummings (1894-1962)

when life is quite through

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life is quite through with and leaves say a-las, much is to do for the swal-low that

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clos-es a flight in the blue;

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when love's had his tears out, per-haps shall pass a

when life is quite through

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mil - lion years (while a bee do-ses_ on the pop - pies, the dears)

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when

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all's done and said, and un - der the grass lies_ her head_ by oaks and ro-ses_

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ritardando e diminuendo al fine

de-li-ber-a - ted when life is quite through

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