

I am lonely tonight, dearest Annie,
I'm lonely when e'er I think of thee,
And I long to leave this world of sorrow,
And forever, forever dwell with thee.
The world seems cold and heartless now,
The days have grown so sad and drear,
And oh, my heart is fill'd with sadness now,
Since thou, dear Annie, art not here.

Oh, I'm lonely to night, dearest Annie,
I'm lonely when e'er I think of thee,
And I long to leave this world of sorrow,
And forever, forever dwell with thee.
Lonely, lonely Annie Darling,
Lonely, lonely Annie Darling,
Oh! so lonely without thee,
And I long to leave this vale of sorrow,
And forever, forever dwell by thee.

I am thinking of thee, dearest Annie,
I'm thinking of thee, In thy bright home,
And I long to be with thee, in Heaven,
Wilt thou know me then, darling, when I come?
I would not call thee back again,
I would not take thee from thy home,
But I would have thy gentle spirit near
At last, to whisper "darling come."