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YOUR SHADOW

The sun no longer casts your shadow long,
Angels have taken you and now you're gone.
No matter how long life is short and brief,
Full of some laughter and a measure of grief.

The cross you were nailed to for us has remained,
In the hearts that love you and call on your name.
The shadow of God's son the seed Mary would bear
Lead us to eternal life and the power of prayer.

The cross is the symbol of suffering and shame
You said not a word and you took all of the blame.
Your shadow now altered by a crown full of thorns
This babe in a manger for this moment was born.

You taught us life isn't measured by number of years
Nor struggles and suffering and yielding of tears.
It's measured by those we have loved in this life,
And by those we have lead to you Jesus Christ.



AGELESS ALBUMS

Reflections in a shutter
Suspended within time.
Eternal pose of memories
In pictures that I find.

Silent and unmoving caught
Ageless in a frame.
Some faces are familiar
Yet others without names.

Presents from another time
A Christmas long ago.
Eyes beaming with excitement
And faces all aglow.

Antique timeworn memories are
Etched on every page.
This album captures actors
Appearing on life's stage.

Curtain call comes swiftly and
We will take our place.
We'll rest in ageless albums
With our smiling timeless face.



THERE ISN'T ANYMORE

Time runs out and everyone that you love and adore,
Will suddenly be gone and won't be back anymore.
No more laughter and crying, no more lingering hugs,
No phone calls or flowers from the one that you love.

No more movies to watch or special secrets to share,
Plans must be cancelled since someone's not there.
You'll make new discoveries as you prowl and explore,
Finding pictures of loved ones you can't hold anymore.

Memories come to mind with every song that you hear
You'll slow dance with those that you long to have near.
In your dreams you'll laugh with those you loved before,
Then you will wake up to find they're not here anymore.

Live your life by loving and laughing not shedding tears,
Remembered in others hearts with the passing of years.
Be a stranger to regret and to the heavens fly and soar,
When your time here is finished and there isn't anymore.