

# Do You Ever Live?

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Are you  
Adrift? Are you  
Hands at 10 and 2?  
Are you the spinning wheel  
As it starts to reel?

Or the tallship on a summer lawn?  
The tiller yaws, the ripple moving blade to blade  
Makes a figure eight

Only  
Only time  
Only time will tell if you're the sea itself  
Or an echoing shell

Do you ever live?  
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Are you  
Someone else?  
Are you someone else  
Or is someone else you?  
Oh, what can you do

If you're the only passenger  
You've come from where you're coming to, but there may be  
An unraveling seam

Wake up  
Low-angle sun  
Ivy runners have begun  
To climb the starboard walls  
And they start to call:

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Do you ever live?

Only  
Only love  
Only love will show us where we have to go

Set off  
Into the vale  
Make your way into the trail of intersecting shoots  
One of which is you

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