- 1. Following the path as it leads toward The darkness in the north Weary strangers' faces show their sympathy They've seen that hope before
- 2. And if you want to stay for a little bit Rest your aching limbs for a little bit Before you the night is beckoning And you know you can't delay You hear the night birds calling you But you can't catch the words they say Close your aching eyes, be on your way
- 3. Mist is swirling, creatures crawling
  Hear the roar get louder in your ears
  You know the folly was your own
  But the force behind can't conquer all your fears
- 4. And if you want to stay for a little bit Rest your aching limbs for a little bit Before you the night is beckoning And you know you can't delay You hear the night birds calling you But you can't catch the words they say Close your aging eyes, be on your way
- 5. Throw your thoughts back many years
  To the time when there was life with every morning
  Perhaps a day will come when the light
  will be as clear as on that morning
- 6. And if you want to stay for a little bit Rest your aching limbs for a little bit Before you the night is beckoning And you know you can't delay You hear the night birds calling you But you can't catch the words they say Close your ancient eyes, be on your way