

A dream, A dream, Where you
been so long
Have you just run over the nearest hill
Have you sailed away to the farthest sea
~~When you and I were~~ ^{the closest still}
Were you halfway away from me

Day is never more than halfway here
For it changes into night
Seas are never more than halfway here
For the waves roll past from sight
Puffs never more than halfway here
They grow up ~~to~~ ^{the usual way}
And ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~never~~ more than halfway here
Halfway here to stay

A dream, A dream, where you
been so long ^{nearest} ^{ties}
Will you hurry home ~~to my arms~~
Will you stay away ^{and} ^{the farthest sea?}
Will it really matter if you're here or there
If you still halfway away from me remain
And if you return will you ~~always~~ ^{stay}
Halfway away from me

A dream, A dream, time has left its
marks on me
I sit to wait for your laughter
I remain for you ~~but~~ ^{the morning}
You are halfway here

~~A~~ A, where's that curling smile
where's the laugh that used to ring
where's the eyes that love to play
where's your ~~hands that used to be so soft and warm~~
Was your love only halfway here
halfway here to stay?