

# Shine On

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Shine on, brighter than the sun,  
Live for every moment, before the moment's gone,  
We shine on you and me tonight,  
Way across the universe, burning like a fire in the night...

I was looking at a photograph,  
Taken in a garden long before the war,  
And out on the lawn,  
There were old men and dogs and little children,  
All of them gone forever;

There were people by the waterside,  
Standing in the same place where I am today,  
Nothing has changed - but you know,  
That time is moving like a river,  
It can only be love forever;

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Live for every moment, before the moment's gone,  
We shine on, you and me tonight,  
Way across the universe,  
Burning like a fire in the night;

There are those who can never cross,  
The space between a father and a son,  
When they are young,  
We must say all the words that should be spoken,  
Before they are lost forever;

And I was looking at a photograph,  
Taken from a window way above the world,  
We've got to learn,  
We must leave here a garden for our children,  
When we are gone forever;

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Live for every moment, before the moment's gone,  
We shine on, you and me tonight,  
Way across the universe,  
Burning like a fire in the night;

Shine on ...

Leave here a garden for the children,  
Leave here a new world,  
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Leave here a garden for the children,  
Leave here a new world...