When My Mornin' Comes Around

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When my mornin' comes around,
No one else will be there
So I won't have to worry about
What I'm supposed to say
And I alone will know that I climbed
That great big mountain
And that's all that will matter
When my mornin' comes around

When my mornin' comes around,
I will look back on this valley
At these sidewalks and alleys
Where I lingered for so long
And this place where I now live
Will burn to ash and cinder
Like some ghost I won't remember
When my mornin' comes around

When my mornin' comes around,
From a new cup I'll be drinking
And for once I won't be thinking
That there's something wrong with me
And I'll wake up and find
That my faults have been forgiven
And that's when I'll start living
When my mornin' comes around