Life fades away like the days
Autumnal rains sweep the plains
Once at one's journey's end
So short seem our days
The eternal arrow of life
Points to one direction only
No matter how you try
The wheel keeps on turning

Flames of life, flames of death Ashes of man and oak and pine Mingle and soar beyond the day Far beyond, north away

Into the glacial waters

Of the ice cold nothern lakes

The flame of life has sunken

Deep down below the waves

The skyline aflame burning red

And the flames caress the stars

Like fallen from the skies

They mirror from water's placid surface

Follow the sun, follow the moon Ashes of man and oak and pine Mingle and soar into the night Far beyond, north away

While you live let your spirit soar And your fire burn forevermore As those who crawl Might as well be gone