hymn for Death

here beneath the lights of heaven As the night slips quietly by I e'er sit among my fellows Shadows of the ones who've died

Oft Death comes like a lonely trav'ler Gathering those whom fate has deemed Time now marches on without them far beyond where mortals dreamed

So we follow the ceaseless pilgrim Wrapped in cloak of blackest night 'Til all memories forsaken And we fade from wretched wight