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So Close and Yet So Far

We walked the same halls together
Practically everyday
Never realizing that one day
We must go our separate ways.
You have headed for the distant lights
Of a far and different plane.
As I remain here still
Wondering why you had to leave.
Funny I seem to find
That no matter how time unwinds
I reminisce about the friend I miss
And the love we left behind.
All my life I will remember
How warm and tender we were way back then.
Though all I feel now is sad regrets.
I know I shan't ever forget you,
My childhood friend.
Sleep on in peace, dear friend,
Sleep on.

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