



IF I SHOULD GO
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***If you should live beyond my life
I hope you will not grieve
I hope you will not suffer, dear
Because I had to leave***

***I would not want the world to be
A lonely place for you
And I would never want to keep
Your dreams from coming true.***

***For you have always meant so much
Of all that life can be
And your devotion, dear, has been
By far too good for me.***

***I know there must be other joys
For you to hold and share
And there are those who are much more
Deserving of your care.***

***If I should leave you, dear, I hope
Your skies will all be blue
And that you have more happiness
Than I have given you.***

