

# DEATH IS ONLY A DREAM

1. Sad - ly we sing and with trem - u - lous breath,  
2. Why should we weep when the wea - ry ones rest,  
3. Naught in the riv - er the the saints should ap - pall,  
4. O - ver the tur - bid and on - rush - ing tide

As we stand by the mys - ti - cal stream  
In the bos - om of Je - sus su - preme;  
Tho it fright - ful - ly dis - mal my seem,  
Doth the light of e - ter - ni - ty gleam,

In the val - ley and by the dark riv - er of death,  
In the man - sions of glo - ry pre - pared for the blest?  
In the arms of their Sav - ior no ill can be - fall,  
And the ran - somed the dark - ness and storm shall out - ride,

And yet 'tis no more than a dream.  
For death is no more than a dream.  
They find it no more than a dream.  
To wake with glad smiles from their dream.

Chorus

On - ly a dream, on - ly a dream

Of glo - ry be - yond the dark stream,

*p* How peace - ful the slum - ber, *m* how hap - py the wak - ing,

For death is on - ly a dream.