

Sometimes with One I Love

Text by *Walt Whitman* (1819-1892) (Am)

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[ˈsʌm.ta:ɪmz wɪð wʌn a:ɪ lʌv]

I fill myself with rage, for fear I effuse unreturn'd love;
But now I think there is no unreturn'd love—
the pay is certain, one way or another;
I loved a certain person ardently, my love was not return'd;
Yet out of that I have written these songs.

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