

## *Goodbye for Now*

*My dear Bill, another milestone is here,  
My heart is so thankful for this last year.  
To spend with you and know I was loved,  
For a love like yours only comes from above.*

*Yes, we've gone through times of pain and loss,  
Nights of troubles when we did turn and toss,  
But through it all you've always been there,  
And I've felt your deep comfort and tender care.  
And then when a new day dawned with it's morning light,  
Your reassuring words made everything seem all right.*

*You've always been a true shelter for us in the storms of life,  
As a family we've been so blessed to be your children and wife.  
Now the years ahead for me may have valleys and hills to climb,  
But the path you've set will lead me straight as I follow behind.  
It was such a joy to know that in these last years you remained  
steadfast.*

*Loving and serving our Lord until you had breathed your last.*

*Words cannot express the gratitude and love I feel in my heart,  
For the years we've had together and the privilege to be a part,  
Of a life that was dedicated to God and to His blessed will,  
And I've truly been blessed by a man others call, "Brother Bill."*

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