

Only One Life

Two lit - tle lines I heard one day, Trav' ling a - long life's bu - sy
 On - ly one life, yes on - ly one, Soon will its fleet-ing hours be
 On - ly one life, the still small voice, Gent- ly pleads for a bet - ter
 On - ly onw life, a few brief years, Each with its bur- dens, hope, and
 When this bright world would tempt me sore, When Sa tan would a vict' - ry

8

way; Bring ing con - vict- ion to my heart, And from my
 done; Then, in 'that day' my Lord to meet, And stand be -
 choice, Bid ding me self- ish aims to leave, And to God's
 fears; Each with its clays I must ful - fill, Liv - ing for
 score; When self would seek to have its way, Then help me

14

mind would not de - part; On - ly one life,
 fore His judg - ment seat;
 ho - ly will to cleave;
 self or in His will;
 Lord with joy to say;

19

'Twill soon be past, On - ly what's done for Christ will last.

Give me dear Lord, a purpose deep.
 In joy or sorrow Thy word to keep:
 Faithful and true what e'er the strife,
 Pleasing Thee in my daily life:
 Only one life, 'twill soon be past.
 Only what's done for Christ will last.

Only one life, yes only one,
 Now let me say, "Thy will be done":
 And when at last I'll hear the call,
 I know I'll 'twas worth it all":
 Only one life, 'twill soon be past,
 Only what's done for Christ will last.

Oh let my love with fervor burn.
 And from the world now let me turn:
 Living for Thee, and Thee Alone,
 Bringing Thee Pleasure on Thy throne:
 Only one life, 'twill soon be past.
 Only what's done for Christ will last.