

THE VISIT

1 Here I lie in this room bare
2 and on that chair
3 I can see you clearly
1 Never did see you before
2 old man of yore
3 I'm not scared, not nearly
4 I do not know you
5 yet

6 Your presence here quiets fears and soothes me
2 You say "Come" but
7 I can't leave
5 Please
6 reach out, touch me with your hand so smoothly here
8 for a moment relieve me from pain
9 What would be death's gain?

1 Here I am, flesh through and through
2 You, spirit true
3 like angels, you're shining
1 I could not say when or how
2 but your call now
3 I did feel it coming
4 I do not fear you
5 yet

6 I know just what brings you here, you mention
2 some long journey:
7 wait some more
5 for
6 I have matters that demand attention
8 there are debts that I still have to pay
9 Give me one more day