

# Nick Drake, Day Is Done

When the day is done  
Down to earth then sinks the sun  
Along with everything that was lost and won  
When the day is done.  
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Hope so much your race will be all run  
Then you find you jumped the gun  
Have to go back where you began  
When the day is done.  
When the night is cold  
Some get by but some get old  
Just to show life's not made of gold  
When the night is cold.  
When the bird has flown  
Got no-one to call your own  
Got no place to call your home  
When the bird has flown.  
When the game's been fought  
You speed the ball across the court  
Lost much sooner than you would have thought  
Now the game's been fought.  
When the party's through  
Seems so very sad for you  
Didn't do the things you meant to do  
Now there's no time to start anew  
Now the party's through.  
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