

# Clannad, Hourglass

He comes out of silence and opens the door  
Waiting for someone to die  
Deep in her heart she is hoping for  
The long-lost one  
How could she know when the promise was made?  
So how can it end in this way?

Then four gray walls come tumbling down  
And just because her skin was brown  
No wonder she has grown so fast  
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The friends there that she can count upon  
Take orders, but always the spirit holds  
Scenes of the never-ending trend  
She waits for the hours and hours to pass  
She looks to the hourglass

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As the shadows come down  
She sees him leaving  
She can recall  
Seems that this fire has lost its form  
The form of the hourglass

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