

# Connie Smith, Then And Only Then

In your haste you left and said you'd be returnin'  
In my sorrow I forgot to ask you when  
In my lonely room I sit and count the hours  
Every minute hoping I'll look up and you'll come walking in  
For then and only then will I stop crying  
And this aching breaking heart of mine will mend  
Not until I feel your arms around me  
Well I'll be happy and I live for then and only then  
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All that's left inside my heart is just your echo  
And the tiny thread of hope to which I cling  
But if I keep holding on maybe some day  
You'll remember where you left me and come back for me again  
For then and only then...  
And I'll live for then and only then