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And Wife...

It's not been much good dwelling
Here beneath another's tenderest hand
How could it matter that I were here waiting
While you motioned forth across new land
And how could we stand before you
While you came to be
All the world before you
Would unremittingly yearn or need
Your daughter, son, and their mother
The family with which you stayed
When you left us here forsaken
A farewell the only price you paid
But smile near a little while
Extend your kindest plight
And we'll three imagine far off lands
While I alone tuck them in at night

Man....

It's not ever I wanted you three to leave
But my anxious rump and stallion heart
May well only buck and heave
But only grant this freedom
All may be not needed anyway
For now understand and be dear
That I must certainly away
And how could I be reigned to match
And share with brothers a commonplace life
Understand love, child, and wife
I thought not to bring this strife
But smile near a little while
Extend forgiveness as a wife
And tell not the children of far away
But of their own sweet life