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Dear Maid should I never return

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one who has cherish'd it here, for e-ver for e-ver dear

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Dear maid though thy loss I deplore,
Should fate all our sorrows dipel,
I ne'er may be torn from you more,
Till in death we may sigh a farewell,
For ever! for ever, dear maid!

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