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"Happy those early days, when I Shined in my angel-infancy!" Henry Vaughan.



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### Co Mp Wife

Years pass, hopes fade, ambitions change their course;

Love changes not, is old yet ever new.

Since The Queen's Garland first I twined for you

Full eighteen years have spent their shaping force.

Together The Kings' Lyrics we have heard,

The Pilgrim's Staff guiding our wearied feet,

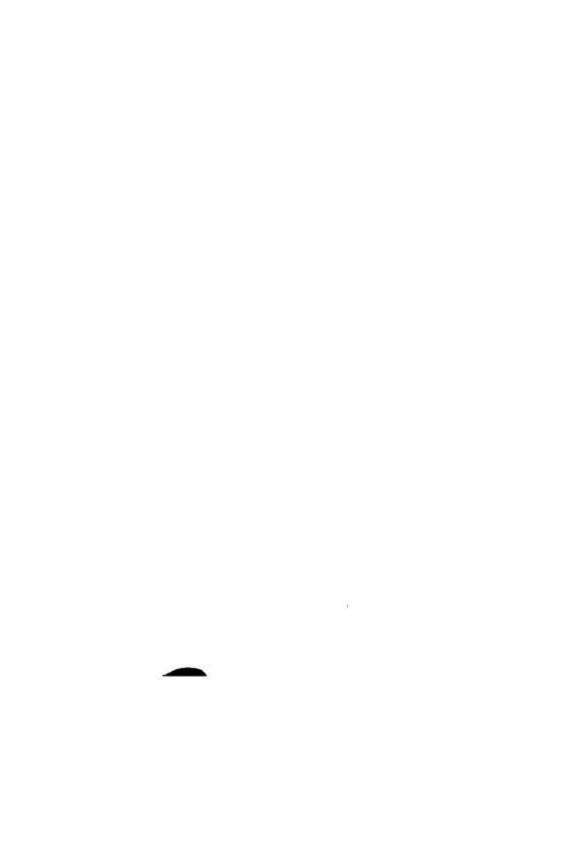
The Shepherd's Pipe to us has sounded sweet,

And sweet has seemed each rustic, answering word.

Together still, we share The Quiet Hour
With boys and girls, who make the "quiet" seem
Some far, faint echo of an enchanted dream
Magicians weave by necromantic power!
Sweetheart, Wife, Mother; loving, tender, true,
This little book I dedicate to you.

FITZROY CARRINGTON

June 7, 1915



#### Note

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