

# Fleeting Moment

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**A** ♩. = 50

Soprano  
Alto  
Tenor  
Bass

Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet-ing mo-ment, —  
with thy mind

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S  
A  
T  
B

stain - less, and thy heart un - sul - lied.

Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet-ing

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**B** ♩. = 50

S  
A  
T  
B

with thy thoughts pure — and thy na - ture sanc ti-fied. Live then the

Live then the

Live then the

Live then the

mo-ment, —

Live then the

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S days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
A days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
T days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
B days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,

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S and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
A and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
T and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
B and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,

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S with thy thoughts pure and thy na - ture sanc ti - fied. Live then the days of thy life, that are  
A with thy thoughts pure and thy na - ture sanc ti - fied. Live then the days of thy life, that are  
T with thy thoughts pure and thy na - ture sanc ti - fied. Live then the days of thy life, that are  
B with thy thoughts pure and thy na - ture sanc ti - fied. Live then the days of thy life, that are

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S less than a fleet-ing mo-ment, so that free and con-tent, thou wilt put a-way this mor-tal frame,  
A less than a fleet-ing mo-ment, so, that free and con-tent, thou wilt put a-way this mor-tal frame,  
T 8 less than a fleet-ing mo-ment, so, that free and con-tent, thou wilt put a-way this mor-tal frame.  
B less than a fleet-ing mo-ment, so, that free and con-tent, thou wilt put a-way this mor-tal frame.

**E**

S and fly to the my-stic pa - ra - dise for e - ver more.  
A and fly to the my-stic pa - ra - dise for e - ver more,  
T 8 and a - bide in the e - ter - nal realm, for e - ver more,  
B and a - bide in the e - ter - nal realm, for e - ver more,

**F**

S for e - ver more. Thy life is a fleet-ing mo - ment, Live then the  
A for e - ver more. mp Thy life is a flee - ting mo - ment. Live then the  
T 8 for e - ver more. Thy life is a fleet-ing mo - ment. Live then the  
B for e - ver more. mp Thy life is a fleet-ing mo - ment. Live then the

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S days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
 A days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
 T days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,  
 B days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment, with thy mind stain - less,

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S and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
 A and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
 T and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,  
 B and thy heart un - sul - lied. Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment,

*rit.*

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S Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment.  
 A Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment.  
 T Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment.  
 B Live then the days of thy life, that are less than a fleet - ing mo - ment.