

I'll Fly Away

G C G
Some bright morning when this life is over, I'll fly away
G D G
To that home on God's celestial shore, I'll fly away

CHORUS

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I'll fly away, oh glory
C G
I'll fly away (in the morning),
G
When I die Hallelujah by and by
D G
I'll fly away

G C G
When the shadows of this life have gone, I'll fly away
G D G
Like a bird from these prison wall I'll fly, I'll fly away

CHORUS

G C G
Oh, how glad and happy when we meet, I'll fly away
G D G
No more cold iron shackles on my feet, I'll fly away

G C G
Just a few more weary days and then, I'll fly away
G D G
To a land where joys will never end, I'll fly away

CHORUS

Written by Albert E. Brumley, who has been described as the "pre-eminent gospel [songwriter](#)" of the 20th century with over 600 published songs. One of the earliest recordings of "I'll Fly Away" was made by the [Selah Jubilee Singers](#) in February 1941 for [Decca Records](#).