

## **Emmylou Harris**

### **"Darlin' Kate"**

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So it's finally come, you have left this world  
But we'll miss our Kate, our darling girl  
We held your head, kissed your lovely brow  
And bid farewell, you're sailing now

Free from the pain, you lay that burden down  
But you're strong and giving heart  
Would surely be your crown

As you slip the surly bonds of earth and sailed way  
Perhaps we will meet again somehow, someday  
Until then, there's nothing we can do but wait  
To see once more, our darling Kate

All those nights we sang, talked 'till the sun come up  
You fed our souls, you filled our cup  
With your perfect words and all that voice  
We fell in love, we had no choice

And I can't say for sure where you have gone  
But in that place, I'm betting there's a better song  
We've all known down here, taste of joy and strife  
You were the sweetest note in the chord of life

Now you slipped the surly bonds of earth and sailed  
way  
Perhaps we will meet again somehow, someday  
But if there was one name I could consecrate  
It would be yours, it would be Kate

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