

**Reflections on Paul Ruwoldt**

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You can shed tears that he is gone

Or you can smile because he has lived.

You can close your eyes and pray that he will come back

Or you can open your eyes, and see all he's left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see him

Or you can be full of the love that you shared

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday

Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday

You can remember him and only that he is gone

Or you can cherish his memory, and let it live on

You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back,

Or you can do what he'd want; smile, open your eyes

Love and go on.