

All is Past

E parted at twilight, I said not farewell,
But hurried away to my own quiet home,
For I knew that the sweetest of words could not tell
The deep pure affection that dwelt in my soul.
I knew 'twas the last time we ever should greet
Through the trials and sorrows of many a year,
And I knew, under Heaven, I never could meet
Another, to me, half so genial and dear.