

## OLD FRIENDS

Hey, old friend,  
Are you okay, old friend?  
What do you say, old friend,  
Are we or are we unique?  
Time goes by,  
Everything else keeps changing.  
You and I,  
We get continued next week.

Most friends fade  
Or they don't make the grade.  
New one's are quickly made  
And in a pinch, sure, they'll do.  
But us, old friend,  
What's to discuss, old friend?  
Here's to us ? who's like us?  
Damn few!

Hey, old friends,  
How do we stay old friends?  
Who is to say, old friends,  
How an old friendship survives?  
One day chums  
Having a laugh a minute,  
One day comes  
And they're a part of your lives.

New friends pour  
Through the revolving door ?  
Maybe there's one that's more.  
If you find one, that'll do.  
But two old friends,  
'specially you, old friends?  
Here's to us!  
Who's like us?

Two old friends,  
Fewer won't do, old friends ?  
Gotta have two old friends  
Helping you balance along:  
One upbraids you  
For your faults and fancies,  
One persuades you  
That the other one's wrong.

Most friends fade  
Or they don't make the grade.  
New ones are quickly made,  
Perfect as long as they're new.  
But us, old friends,  
What's to discuss, old friends?  
Here's to us!  
Who's like us?  
Damn few!