

**FOR ONCE IN MY LIFE**

*A swing song written by Ron Miller and Orlando Murden in 1967*

**Good-bye, old friend //  
this is the end //  
of the one I used to be //  
'cause there's been a strange  
and wel-come change in me [Pause]**

**For [Hold] Wonce in my life  
[\*\*] I have some-one who needs me,  
some-one I've need-ed so long.  
For Wonce, un-a-fraid  
I can go where life leads me  
and some-how I know I'll be strong.  
For Wonce I can touch  
what my heart used to dream of  
long be-fore I knew  
some-one warm like you  
would make my dream come true.**

**For Wonce in my life  
I won't let sor-row hurt me,  
not like it's hurt me be-fore.  
For Wonce I have some-thing  
I know won't des-ert me,  
I'm not a-lone an-y more.  
For Wonce I can say  
this is mine you can take it //  
long as I know I have love, I can make it //  
For Wonce in my life  
I have some-one who needs me.**

**For Wonce in my life ...  
[Go back and repeat from] [\*\*]**

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I have some-one who needs me.**