

# In My Life / A Heart Full Of Love

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IN MY LIFE

(Cosette stands in her garden on Rue Plumet)

COSETTE

How strange

This feeling that my life's begun at last

This change,

Can people really fall in love so fast?

What's the matter with you, Cosette?

Have you been too much on your own?

So many things unclear

So many things unknown.

In my life

There are so many questions and answers

That somehow seem wrong

In my life

There are times when I catch in the silence

The sigh of a faraway song

And it sings

Of a world that I long to see

Out of reach

Just a whisper away

Waiting for me.

Does he know I'm alive?

Do I know if he's real?

Does he see what I saw?

Does he feel what I feel?

In my life

I'm no longer alone

Now the love in my life

Is so near

Find me now, find me here!

VALJEAN

Dear Cosette,

You're such a lonely child

How pensive, how sad you seem to me

Believe me, were it within my power  
I'd fill each passing hour  
How quiet it must be, I can see  
With only me for company.

COSETTE

There's so little I know  
That I'm longing to know  
Of the child that I was  
In a time long ago...  
There's so little you say  
Of the life you have known  
Why you keep to yourself  
Why we're always alone  
So dark! So dark and deep...  
The secrets that you keep!

In my life  
I have all that I want  
You are loving and gentle and good  
But Papa, dear Papa,  
In your eyes I am just like a child  
Who is lost in a wood

VALJEAN

No more words  
No more words. It's a time that is dead  
There are words  
That are better unheard,  
Better unsaid.

COSETTE

In my life  
I'm no longer a child and I yearn  
For the truth that you know  
Of the years... years ago!

VALJEAN

You will learn  
Truth is given by God  
To us all in our time  
In our turn

(Valjean leaves the garden. Marius and Eponine arrive outside)

MARIUS

In my life  
She has burst like the music of angels  
The light of the sun  
And my life seems to stop  
As if something is over  
And something has scarcely begun.  
Eponine  
You're the friend who has brought me here  
Thanks to you I am one with the gods  
And Heaven is near!  
And I soar through a world that is new that is free

EPONINE(to herself)  
Every word that he says is a dagger in me!  
In my life  
There's been no one like him anywhere  
Anywhere, where he is...  
If he asked... I'd be his

MARIUS & EPONINE  
In my life  
There is someone who touches my life

MARIUS  
Waiting near

EPONINE  
Waiting here

A Heart Full of Love

(Marius goes into the garden, leaving Eponine outside the gate)

MARIUS  
A heart full of love  
A heart full of song  
I'm doing everything all wrong  
Oh God, for shame  
I do not even know your name  
Dear Mad'moiselle  
Won't you say?  
Will you tell?

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