Speak Low

Billie Holiday

Speak low when you speak, love
Our summer day withers away too soon, too soon
Speak low when you speak, love
Our moment is swift, like ships adrift, we're swept apart, too soonSpeak low, darling, speak low
Love is a spark, lost in the dark too soon, too soon

I feel wherever I go

That tomorrow is near, tomorrow is here and always too soonTime is so old and love so brief

Love is pure gold and time a thiefWe're late, darling, we're late

The curtain descends, everything ends too soon, too soon

I wait, darling, I wait

Will you speak low to me, speak love to me and soonTime is so old and love so brief
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