

# Lonely Tombs

The Stanley Brothers

I was strolling one day in a lonely graveyard  
When a voice from the tomb seemed to say  
I once lived as you lived walked and talked as you talk  
But from earth I was soon called away

Oh those tombs (oh those tombs) lonely tombs (lonely tombs)  
Seemed to say in a low gentle tone  
Oh how sweet (oh how sweet) is the rest (is the rest)  
In our beautiful Heavenly home

Every voice from the tomb seemed to whisper and say  
Living man you must soon follow me  
And I thought as I looked on those cold marble slabs  
What a dark lonely place that must be

Then I came to the place where my mother was laid  
And in silence I stood by her tomb  
And her voice seemed to say in a low gentle tone  
I am safe with my Savior at home