Trophies

Sixty seven years have gone
My trophies lined upon the wall
I can't even count them all, Lord.
Some are for accomplishment
And some for fame and wars I've fought
And some for reasons I forget.

In my younger driven days
I fought for fortune, fame and praise
And battled all who stood in my way, Lord.
Now all the victories of the past
And trophies given for conquest
Have such a hollow loneliness

I strongly feel what I must do
Offer a sacrifice to you
Of all I've done and all I'll ever do, Lord.
I'm puzzled that you don't receive
My gift. Oh. But now I see
All you ever want is me.

Opus 94 (1987)



