

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] once in my life
[**] I have some-one who needs me,
some-one I've need-ed so long.
For once, un-a-fraid
I can go where life leads me
and some-how I know I'll be strong.
For once 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 once in my life
I won't let sor-row hurt me,
not like it's hurt me be-fore.
For once I have some-thing
I know won't des-ert me,
I'm not a-lone an-y more.
For once I can say
this is mine you can take it //
long as I know I have love, I can make it //
For once in my life
I have some-one who needs me.**

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

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**For once in my life
I have some-one who needs me.**