**Life Is Too Short**

**Today is the beginning of a new year.**

**I'm going to start a new way of living.**

**I'm going to reach out to family and**

**friends and be a little bit more forgiving.**

**I will say I love you more, not just say the**

**words, through my actions it will be seen.**

**I'm not going to take anybody for granted.**

**I will appreciate their presence with a grin.**

**I will treat them with respect.**

**Value them like precious gems.**

**I will not assume that those I love**

**know exactly how I feel about them.**

**And when I am wrong, I will**

**swallow my pride and admit I was.**

**With Jesus being the perfect example,**

**forgiveness is what is best for all of us.**

**I will not waste one moment of what I**

**have no control of because I will resent.**

**I will not hold on to old grudges because**

**they only rob me of living in the present.**

**I don't want to live with regret of what I could**

**have done all the time, not just now and then.**

**Life is too short and one never knows if you**

**will have that opportunity, with them, again.**

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