

# When I'm sixty-four

*When I get older losing my hair  
Many years from now  
Will you still be sending me a Valentine  
Birthday greetings bottle of wine*

*If I'd been out till quarter to three  
Would you lock the door  
Will you still need me, will you still feed me  
When I'm sixty-four*

*You'll be older too  
And if you say the word  
I could stay with you*

*I could be handy, mending a fuse  
When your lights have gone  
You can knit a sweater by the fireside  
Sunday mornings go for a ride  
Doing the garden, digging the weeds  
Who could ask for more  
Will you still need me, will you still feed me  
When I'm sixty-four*

*Every summer we can rent a cottage  
In the Isle of Wight, if it's not too dear  
We shall scrimp and save  
Grandchildren on your knee  
Vera, Chuck and Dave*

*Send me a postcard, drop me a line  
Stating point of view  
Indicate precisely what you mean to say  
Yours sincerely, wasting away*

*Give me your answer, fill in a form  
Mine for evermore  
Will you still need me, will you still feed me  
When I'm sixty-four*

Paul McCartney

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Because it's catchy and singalong but also pertinent about the value of older people. Currently (March 2020) we seem to be still 'worth it' - long may that continue!

