

Grandfather's Clock

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1. My grand-fath-er's clock was too large for the shelf so it stood nine-ty years on the floor.
2. watch-ing its pen - du - lum swing to and fro man - y hours he had spent when a boy,

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wood blocks: * * * * * * * * * * * *

8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

It was tall - er by half than the old man him - self but it weighed not a pen-ny-weight more.
And thru child-hood and man-hood the clock seemed to know and to share both his grief_ and his joy.

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16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23

It was bought on the morn of the day that he was born. It was al - ways his treas-ure and pride,
For it struck twen-ty-four when he en - tered at the door with a bloom-ing and beau - ti - ful bride.

24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

But it stopped, short, nev - er to go a - gain when the old man died. Nine - ty
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33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40

years with-out slum-ber-ing, tic, toc, tic, toc, his life's sec-onds num-ber-ing, tic, toc, tic, But it
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49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56

rang an a - larm in the still of the night, an a - larm that for years had been dumb. And we

chime: x x x x x x x x

57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64

knew that his spir - it was plum-ing for flight, that his hour of de - par - ture had come. Still the

65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72

clock kept the time with a soft and muf - fled chime as we si - lent - ly stood by his side, But it

blocks: * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86

stopped, short, nev - er to go a - gain when the old man died.

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