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# Ultimate

By EDGAR DANIEL KRAMER

Rich man or poor man—  
What does it matter?  
Solomon, Solon  
Or a mad hatter,  
There is one ending  
That we all know,  
The quiet shadows  
Where the worms go.

Lazarus, Dives,  
Poverty, riches,  
Men with God's wisdom,  
Fools in the ditches,  
Have the same ending—  
When their breaths pass,  
They live in flowers,  
Trees and green grass.