

Just A Little While To Stay Here

The Firehouse Jazz Band

Recorded: Paul Barbarin's New Orleans Band, Bunk Johnson 1940's, The Young Tuxedo Brass Band (with Paul Barbarin) 1958, Mahalia Jackson, New Orleans Legends (Thomas Jefferson, Kid Valentine, Jim Robinson, Raymond Burke, etc.) 1976, etc.

Concert Pitch

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Just a lit - tle while to stay here,
Soon this life will all be o - - - ver,

Just a lit - tle while to wait.
And our trav - els here will end.

Just a lit - tle while to la - - - bor,
Soon we'll take our heaven - ly jour - - - ney,

in the path that's nar - row and straight.
Be at home a - gain with friends.

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Just a lit - tle are more hard trou - - - ble,
Heav - en's gate are stand - ing o - - - pen,

In this low for and sin - ful state.
Wait - ing for our en - trance there.

Then we'll all go march - ing o - - - ver,
Some sweet day we'll all go o - - - ver,

march - ing thru the Pearl - y Gate.
All the beaut - ies there to share.