

## Personal Reflection – December 11, 2021

In Love with Life; In love with Dying
God, Almighty, I love this life.
Blue skies, dark skies
Morning, night.
The pain is exquisite:
2:00 a.m. shocking me awake.
Someone saying
In the new sleep: "I've got you."
God, Almighty, I'm also in love with dying
Going home at last
90 years! Enough, already!
I'm tired, I'm ready,
A Rocking-Chair woman, with
Only one prayer: THANKS & PRAISE,
Living and dying in an Alleluia house!

--Jane Vella