

# Two Haikus for Guitar

## I

### If Only...

to Life and Death

*"love in a mem'ry  
will caress the sharp-edged pain,  
... only, if only"*

**Improvisatory**

Louis Valentine Johnson,  
ASCAP

*"love in a mem'ry ..."*

**rit.** . . . . .

**a tempo**

**accel.** . . . . .

**rit.** . . . . .

**at Performer's Pleasure**

**V**

**I**

**(Bend)**