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Action

if life is so long,
why cant we have fun
go ahead and buy that gun.
just dont worry
about what could happen
you have a whole life to live
just waiting for some action

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Day Or Night, Night Or Day

I love to write,
day or night.
I'll do it in the shower,
or while I'm watering a flower.
Driving a car,
or at the bar.
So many ideas to write about,
so little time to get them out of my head.

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De Ja Vu

You wake up,
make coffee.
Take a shower,
get dressed.
Go to work,
come home.
Make dinner,
go to bed.
Repeat as necessary.

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I Dont Know What To Call This...

If everything was as easy as riding a bike,
wouldn't it be?
What lies before you,
is it destiny?
Maybe agony, too?
Please, tell me
before I lose my cool,
Just waiting to hear the last words....before death take me over

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I Wonder?

As you open one eye at the crack of dawn,
you wonder what will happen today.

Will I get married or will I win the lottery?

Will I get in a car accident or will I fail a test.

There is no way for you to know what will happen this day or the next,
until it finally happens.

Then you can find out what happens without interruptions.

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John: Always Remembered

A sure friend,
but you can't live forever.
You saved my life,
forever I'll remember.
A soldier in your own way,
being mourned day by day.
someone to love,
A sure friend.

This is very hard to write...
I'll come back later to finish.

...I'm dedicating this poem to John Salazar... ((R.I.P))

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Just Try

What has the world come to
all pity and hate?
How people look at you
and open the gate
To a world
much unlike ours
Plentiful amounts of animals,
and closed ozone layers
No guns or bombs
nor cursing or drugs
How can we make
our world much like theirs
One simple thing
is all there is
just try-
try for a better tomorrow

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Live Everyday

The weather outside grows cold,
as many americans grow old.

Day by day,
night by night.

There is simply nothing else to do but live everyday,
like you were not to see sunlight the next.

If today were to be your last, would you be happy?

Today; tomorrow.

Nothing left to do but wait.

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Math

Everyday is just like math.

....cooking, drawing, sports...,
walking the dog, riding a bike.
If you never learned math,
these very things would be,
a hard task longing to be completed...

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Matt

There once was a boy named Matt,
who had a very angry cat.
It ripped up his shirt,
the girls, oh they would flirt.
Then one sad day,
Matt was murdered with a bat.

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Moral: Drugs Can Kill You

There once was a goblin,
who was wobblin'
because he did not take care of himself.
'Puff, puff! ' he went
Then one day,
'Plop! '
The goblins life was ruined- it all went down the drain.
He made one simple mistake that could have been avoided.

Moral: If you use drugs, you risk you life, so take care of yourself.

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Mourning A Lost One

It is so hurtful when you have a lost one,
one who died fighting for our country.
But now theres nothing left to do but pray,
and think about them everyday.
But now theres nothing left to do but mourn,
visit them, put flowers by their side.
They still respect you,
for who you are,
and the thought of the flowers.
But they can't tell you how they really feel,
but keep them in your heart, your soul,
for days to come.
And when its your turn,
God will be good to you,
because you have a good heart.
Always thinking of your lost one.

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Must We Live And Let Die?

when and why
must we live and let die
for we dont know what life has in store for us
is it little or is it grand
is it bright or is it dull
but no one can know this until its too late
so just keep going
and life will give you whats next

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Peace Is Also A Bad Thing

If there was only peace in the world,
the population control would be off the charts.

If there was only peace in the world,
it would be crowded not only in cities,
but farms, too.

If there was only peace in the world,
all the countries in the world would be poor.

If there was only peace in the world,
the world would not be a happy place.

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Practice Makes Perfect

if you fall down,
get right back up.
If you get a bad grade,
try harder next time.
But whatever you do,
PRACtICE! !
because practice makes perfect!

Get back on that bike,
and strive for excellence!

Try harder next time,
and ace that test!

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Society, My Dear Friend

society, my dear friend,
is coming to a short end.
with no time to spare,
crack open a flare.
hurry, hurry, cries the wind,
for we have all sinned.
no time to worry,
please just hurry,
before its too late...

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The Poem Of 1,000 Words (And Pictures)

A picture can paint 1,000 words,
but 1,000 words can't paint a picture.

Those 1,000 words can describe more than one thing, so,
1,000 pictures can paint one word.

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Winter Feeling

Snow covered mountains,
with the feeling of Winter
cold air rushes past

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Yesterday

Today,
you think of what you could have done differently yesterday.
Instead of wearing a white shirt,
you could have worn blue to avoid the stain.
Instead of going inside the bank,
you could have used the ATM machine to avoid a robbery.
Instead of taking the back way and walking down the alley,
you could have waited for the bus and avoided being mugged.
But, hey.
You can't always be happy; then your life would not have a story to tell.

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Your Choice

Winning or losing,
dying or crying?

Growing old or staying young,
having a blast or having no fun?

Making right decisions,
for tomorrows leaders
today.

The right choice...you choose.

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Zany

Zany:

Does anyone for sure know what it means?

Who really uses the word?

Does it mean goofy or intelligent?

Does it mean dumb or creative?

Does it mean magical or musical?

Does it mean fierce or powerful,
gifted or logical?

I don't know.

Mr. Shakespear, what does ZANY mean? ?

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