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louis rams (09/13/1943)

i was born of hispanic heritage.
my mother was from puerto rico, and my father from spain.i had started writing poetry at an early age.
but! it was not manly to write poetry, so i gave it up for many years.and i was brought back to writing again when i got out of the army and met one of my fellow servicemens father in illinois.
he was a poet to be reckoned with.!
i had misplaced my poems when i moved to florida
(about 100 of them) so i started a new collection.
everything that i write are what i call poetic stories
that most anyone can relate to.

POEMS ARE TO THE MIND, AS LOVE IS TO THE SOUL
SIT AND READ, AND LIFE UNFOLDS.

' I Am ' SKY #4 series

' i am ' sky
my colors are my moods
' i am' light blue when i'm at peace
' i am ' dark blue when i'm troubled
' i am ' dark clouds when i cry for justice
' i am ' light clouds when i'm in thought
the stars are my teeth in a smile
with the universe.
the lightning bolts is my anger in full fury.
the heavy rains are my tears.

the light rains is my contentment
of a new birth.
the rainbows is my heart at rest.

' i am' SKY.

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******** Heart Of Man (to my daughter) *******10/15/78**

i looked into my daughters eyes
love and affection i could not hide.
while explaining to her what life meant to me
the tears started to roll very freely.

choked up with emotion that i could not stop
i told her what i struggled for and what i got.
the two most beautiful women in my life
my brown eyed daughter and my wife.

this is what part of life means to me
having my child and my family.
although at times i may not seem to care
for my thoughts may be elsewhere.

my ears may be deaf, and my mind far away
but my love is here to stay.
  so when i hear GODS beckoning call
let it be said to one and all.
my indian spirit is with me, 'i will not fall'.

my body may die, but not my soul
for that is something that can't be put in a hole.
my body may die, but not my mind
for that will live throughout all time.

so my daughter, don't you despair
for i will always be right here.
and when you're feeling down and out
think of today and what we talked about.

let your thoughts run free and clear
and you'll feel my presence near.
   ' from one heart touching another.'

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********** **free spirit**********1979**

i was laying beneath a big pine tree
the birds were whistling cheerfully.
the cool gentle breeze blowing thru my hair
and i knew right there, i had not one care.

i saw a squirrel stop and look
it did'nt look like any you'd see in a book.
he was completly black and his eyes were red
that's when i realized that i was dead.
i had no form, no shape, no sound
i was above myself looking down.

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**********Why**********1979

why? is man or woman chosen to be
or do we create our own destiny?
   if man sits idley by
and does not even get up to try.
will he be the chosen one
or will he be the earths scum.

why? is the question that we must ask
or will we be put to a task.
    if a person is born blind. why?
are they and not i?

we must all be put to a test
to try to create or do our best.
and if we do not try.
the question will always come up- why?

why? should be the key
for it may hold our destiny.
   now you may understand what i am saying
and 'why? ' so many people are praying

and asking the LORD up above
    'why? ' can't we understand love.

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**********Childrens Pain**********1979

to look upon your childs face
to hold your child in a warm embrace
to be able to soothe their aches and pains
and kiss away the falling rain.
to taste the salt from the teardrops
which never seem to want to stop.

to be able to comfort him/her when in trouble
and make it seem, like a small bubble.
to pop it within their face
and let them know it's no disgrace.
for all mankind makes mistakes.

in this world of struggle and strife
the child learns to stand and fight.
they look towards you in their hours of need.
and knows that you are a friend indeed.

give them all the love you can
for later on in life, you may need their hand.

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**********Engraved Feelings**********1979

sitting in my mothers chair
pain is etched everywhere
feeling the aches and pains
that she must go through
living in her solitude.

a house is not a home
if no one picks up the phone.
a telephone call is all she asks
   it's not much of a task.

staring at the pictures of her
grand childrens faces.
recalling when she was younger
with no lines or traces.
that old age would soon appear.
it was something that she did not fear.

now her medical problems have gotten worse
she is more or less an invalid, and needs a nurse.
     this is something that she always feared
the burden upon her children, far and near.

yet there is something that she does not realize.
that all her children love her
and will always be close by.

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**********A Womans Insight**********1978

i felt a slight twinge in my heart
that deep down burning feeling tearing me apart.
i thought that it would go away
but now i know it's here to stay.

that feeling of when i look at my childs
picture at night.
and i go to her room to make
sure she's allright.
 to see that smile upon her face
and i know she's dreaming of satin and lace.

i go back to bed, and all i could see
my little girls eyes burning thru me.
telling me of things that she will need
when she reaches puberty.

then she will reach that stage in life
when she herself will become a wife.

this is the part of life that a parent must bear
this is the part that they have to share.
to give their little girl to another
and wait for her to become a mother.

to see her go through the same stages in life
to have to go thru those struggles and strife.

now when she looks into her little childs eyes
she'll get that same feeling by and by.
and she'll know it was passed down the line.

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**********Fight For Right**********9/9/79

as sure as there is a rising sun
and a descending night.
some day little black children and
little white children will no longer fight.

the irish and the british will
someday see eye to eye
for it is irelands dream
and they must continue to try and try.

dreams are made by small men and women
with a perserverance that won't give up
and if their dreams were to shatter
someone else will pick up the slack.

a man once said 'he dreamt of a machine that
would one day fly'
well! that dream has come true
but he's not around to try.

so don't even give up on your dreams
for a lot of them become realities.

we may not get the things we want
and we may struggle all our lives
and even if we do fail
our children will contain the light.

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**********Empty Sea Shells**********9/8/79

i asked the LORD up above
to protect the woman that i love.
but as he would have it be
he took that woman away from me.

he left me feeling empty and shallow
as a sea shell upon a shore.
with the hopes of 'being once more'.

and as the tide came up on the beach.
there my love was within my reach.
the sand pulling out from under me
as i longed to be set free.

i rolled myself upon my back
never giving up hope
never giving up slack.

i finally reached that watery shore
to return to my love forever more.

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**********Mother**********1979

who brought you into this world
showing you love, joy, affection.
who is your days, and who is your nights
and for her you would proudly fight.

she is not like any other, for she is your mother.

who will tend to you when you're hurt?
who will wipe away your tears
when you're down and out?

you guessed it right
she's really out of sight
   your mother.

who gives you the right advice
when everything else has failed?
who is the one that used to wipe your tail
who is the one who used to clean your face.

who is the one that can't be replaced
    your mother
who explained love and ecstacy
who would give her life for me.

who do you ask 'is it'
no other than your mother.

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**********Children Of Love**********10/4/79

love is looking into their eyes
and seeing the joy of your little
girl and boy.
these are the children of love
'pure and clean' just like a dove.

they fly above their elders lives
touching all the husbands and wives.
for most of them are the parents
of these children of love.
they are the guardians of these white doves.

'children of love' young and carefree
teaching all of us what life is meant to be.

showing us joy when we are sad
explaining happiness when they are glad.
expressing to us
what we choose to hide
life and love is one of a kind.

children of love is what they are
always near, never far.
they listen to us and what
we have to teach.

but we are the ones
who stretch out and reach.
trying to touch love

'from these little white doves'.

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**********Faith, Hope, Love**********1979

the LORD said that he has given us three things
FAITH, HOPE, LOVE
with LOVE being the strongest of the three
he gave these strengths to you and me

with FAITH- you could move mountains
with HOPE- you never despair
with LOVE- you conquer all things
that takes away your cares.

if mankind could hold each others hand
with love in their hearts
there would never be a weak link
that could break this chain in two.
because of the love we have, is made for me and you.

so open up your mind, and let the light fill up your heart
for the beginning of a brand new start.

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**********She's A Woman**********1978

she's a woman, and she's taken all she can take
she's a woman and she knows it's not too late.
to change her life style
and the way she was brought up to think.
she's a woman, and to her it's everything.

so all you men 'watch out and beware'
she's a woman that can get under your hair.

let it be known that she's out to get revenge
she's a woman and won't stop till the end.

she's a danger to men all around
and you will find broken hearts laying on the ground.

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**********Love Story**********1978

she pleaded and begged him to stay
but he turned and walked away
not really caring about what she felt
he wanted to travel and find himself.

he travelled throughout all the southwest
finding odd jobs and doing his best.
women he found plenty of
but never one that he could love.

finally realizing that the girl he had left
was the one that suited him best.
he packed his clothes and got into his car.
'but ' he did'nt have to travel very far.

for she was only a mile away
she had followed him every day.

and as their eyes met, they both knew
that at last his search was through.

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**********Lonely Fantasy**********9/8/79

as i lay in bed, with my pillow propped under my head
i did as most others would do
i started to fantasize with you.

i fantasized of how it would be
making love to you endlessly.

i saw myself as a king on his throne
and you as my queen.
but i was all alone.

alone in my fantasy
alone in my dream
knowing that it would never be.

for loneliness is my company.

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**********What A Woman Can Do**********1979

when a woman can bring beauty into the heart of man
she knows that she is on the right track.
for man will always try to hide the feelings
he has locked up inside.
it is an emotion he will try to deny.

but when he looks upon your face
he will know it's no disgrace
to let his feelings all unwind
and want to be with you til the end of time.

for a woman can bring out the feelings that he never knew
she can take away the sadness and heartaches
he may have gone through.
to make him feel he can confide in you.

'this is what a woman can do'.

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**********Endless Infinity**********1978

i thought of you all day
and time just seemed to slip away.

i wanted to pick up the phone and call
for next to you is where i belong.

if given the time i would surely be
making love to you endlessly.

making you forget all your troubles and woes
that life has built up for you to hold.

although i may not have much to offer you
when it comes to monetary things
there is one thing that i will always bring.

my sincerity and my feelings for you
is as infinite as the sky is blue.

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A Childs Cry

laying in bed looking up at the ceiling
my eyes got blurry, and my head started reeling.
i saw a vision start to take form
of a child who was unborn.

this child was in the womb of its mother
being fed by the tube to give it life.

he turned and looked straight at me
and its eyes were as big as can be.

he raised his small little hand
and signaled me to look inside.
it was something that he could not hide.

the vision came closer to me
just so that i could see.

i saw the pain that this child was in
because his mother was
thinking to abort
and for the last two months he had fought.

all the features that GOD was creating
was thought by the mother
of becoming belated.

this young mother was under peer pressure
to take this childs life
and it did not matter if it was wrong or right.

this young child was screaming at me
'how could they let this be'
i am life given by the lord
why would she want to abort.

tell her to give me a chance
so that i could live in the warmth
of her arms, and fill her heart with joy.
it would matter not, if i'm a girl or a boy.

can't she feel me, and see me
in her dreams at night
and that i'm in a perilous fight.
i want to live just like she
there is nothing wrong with me.

the vision started to fade away
and in my heart, i started to pray
let this child live another day
and from this woman the pain to go away.

LIFE IS SACRED, DON'T THROW IT AWAY
IF YOUR MOTHER THOUGHT LIKE YOU
YOU WOULD'NT BE HERE TODAY.

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A Dad

any man can be a father
but! not every man can be a dad.
(which is sad)

they help to bring you into a life unknown
.then at your mother, he throws stones.
he did not think of the ripple
effects this would have.

he thought just of his lust
and she of him-' put her trust.'

they say a rolling stone gathers no moss
i guess with him-it's just a loss.
it's easy to shrug the responsibilities
as you can plainly see.

but a father/dad is there at the dropp of a hat
to pick up any slack.
he is there to change your diapers
and to clean up your mess,
this is part of dads test.

he is there when you are sick,
and have your first tooth.
always there to play games with you
after a hard days work.
and listen to all that you have to say
this is 'a true dads way'.

a dad is there to wipe away your tears
and take away all your fears.
a dad is there at school plays,
baseball games, graduations for his child.
for he knows that it is worth while.

he is there every step of the way
until you are old and gray.

so to this ' i will say'
i'll love you my child
for always.

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A Mere Man

i am nothing but a mere man, with mere thoughts
but with a love and song so deep in my heart
that it touches every part, every part of my total being.
this is what my friends and family are seeing.

i look at you, and every feature of you face
stays in my mind.
    the sparkle in your eyes, the tenderness of your lips
your soft brown hair, and cute little nose
shows the beauty of a perfect pose.

i am but a mere man, and you as my companion
we'll walk hand in hand.
absorbing all of the LORDS wonders.
the blue skies, the stars at night
the clouds, the grass, the trees
and the tiny honeybees.

the oceans, rivers, and the streams
all of which can be seen.
billions of wonders on this earth
the most important one is-'giving birth'.
 it does not matter if it's human
animal, plant or fowl,
its beauty is world reknown.

a mere man am i
but the LORDS beauties will never die.

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A Mothers Prayer On Mothers Day

i found myself searching this mothers day.
of things that i wanted to say.
there was so many faces that i saw in my house of worship
that radiated such a glow.
that the thoughts in me started to flow.

what must they be thinking on this glorious day
and their children in their minds as
they started to pray.

are they praying like MOTHER MARY who s son
was put on the cross.
that their suffering will
be short, and not a complete loss.

what will my child do in this world
of trouble and turmoil?
will they play follow the leader
although he is bad!
or will they stretch out a helping hand?

will they practise their faith as it was shown
or will they turn their backs
and choose to be alone.

so many questions that they must ask
for this is part of a mothers task.
so MOTHER MARY we pray to you, that you
will always tell us what we must do.

the faith that we have in you
shows on this MOTHERS DAY.

and our belief will not stray.

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A Shepherd Boys Story

oh little shepherd boys, the animals are in your keep
oh little shepherd boys, why do you weep?
you saw the star and the angels on high
with a choir behind them, filling the sky.

you saw baby JESUS laying in the manger
surrounded by three kings, who were total strangers.
you saw mother MARY with her face all aglow
you was in the presence of our savior,
of which you did know.

the kings had given HIM gifts of gold
frank incense and myrrh.
but you had none of these things which you could share.
so you picked up your flute and you started to play.
and to this tune, the angels did sway.

they danced in the sky, with such joy in their hearts
and of this 'you was a big part'.
so do not weep, but give thanks to GOD
for you was there from the start.

that glorious day you had become shepherds of men
and your will, they could not bend.
you was the last two apostles of which
they did not know.

you spoke to all that would listen of that beautiful night
of when you witnessed JESUS in his infancy of might.
you brought men to seek the apostles
for the story of CHRIST
and listening to them, their hearts would enlight.

you and your flute are in GODS kingdom now
and they dance to your heavenly sound.

praise to you little shepherd boys.

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A Short Verse

stillborn
reborn
wife dying
child crying

faith is all this world has left
so let us put it to the test

escape from the flaming hell
mother and child are doing well.

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Adopted

i was adopted at my birth, they paid my mother
what they thought it was worth. (medical bills)
she said that she could not care for me
she was too young and wanted to be free.

i was raised by two adoptive parents
who had loved me from the start.
and swore they would never break my heart.
they gave me all that i could want or desire
and their love grew like a flaming fire.

they were always honest with me
and they told me about my mothers plight
and with her parents, she did fight.

in her mind:
she knew that her mother had to give her away
but in her heart, she did pray.

mother! why did'nt you fight to keep me?
everyone is struggling in this economy.

you left without a sign or trace
and i want so much to see your face.

my loving adoptive parents told me from the start
that you had left, but with a broken heart.
every night i have a vision of you in my mind
and you're crying and asking why.

i've gotten permission to finally meet you
i'm so scared, i don't know what to do.
how will i react? what will i say?
so to the LORD i will pray.

when we finally met, we both broke down.
but they were tears of joy and happiness
that a mother and daughter share.
she kissed me and wiped away my tear.
she told me that it was the smartest move she made
for your adoptive parents, love you
more than words can say.

now i have two mothers with whom
i could share my love, and it was given
to me from the LORD up above.

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After Election Thoughts

history was made today-in every sense of the way.
they say he did not have the experience of his republican incumbent.
but! to the people a message he had sent.
that it was time for us to take a stand
and that he needs a helping hand.
so as americans we must all roll up our sleeves.
forget the discrimination-and forget the monetary greed.
if our country is to be all that it can-it does need a helping hand.
so let us give the support that president obama needs
for he has planted a seed.
this seed will continue to grow and for the world it will show.
all the possibilities-that it created for you and me.
whether we are white, yellow, -or black-we cannot give up the slack
so let us move forward with pride and determination
that we may save this great nation.

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Alive

throughout their lives they lied to all around.
there was no truth to be found.
they cheated every chance that they could
and with family, it mattered not if they should.
then one day it came to pass
that they was confronted by an angel from above
and they expected compassion and love.
the angel told them: to look around
at all the destruction that was found.
you have put all these people through
a living hell, and with each one you rang a bell.

a bell that you claimed was to all your successes
of cheating and conniving people out of the wordly goods
and that you did'nt even need a hood.
now you are at deaths door
and it's time to settle the score.
you are going to be given a chance to make things right
otherwise you won't live the night.
there are many here on earth
who have lived in filth and dirt.
they have struggled all their lives
and belittled by their fellow man
and now is their time to take a stand.
you must show them that with faith, all is achieved
and this will be one of your good deeds.
then you will build a house in the name of the lord
and you will not charge them room or board.
you will show them how to live
and to share, and to give
all that you have given to them
and how to become a friend.

now the angel showed them, that on that night
they lied, then they died from that old life
and they became alive in the power
and the glory of the greatest story.

THEY WERE REBORN!

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All That I Have

tenderly i sleep
gently i weep

softly i cry
tears i try to hide

pains in my heart
searching for a start

living a lie
love seems to die

don't seem to care
love i have to share

given a break
plans i must make

got to get back
put my life on track

all that i have
and all that i be
is what the lord
has given to me.

so i wipe away my tears
and put away the pain

thru love- i have so much to gain.

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Amazing Grace

amazing grace as the song implies
has been with us for a long, long, time
taking the soul of one who has been lost
and relieved of all their fears
is something that i cheer.

i found that this amazing grace
has put me in a better place.
with faith and love i could see
that beautiful song inside of me.

there is nothing that can compare
when you have lost all your fear.
that fear that we all have inside
fears that we have tried to hide.

amazing grace has come to me
amazing grace-i now can see.
all the love inside of me.

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America In Turmoil

this country has gotten out of hand-its time for americans to take
a stand.-we let petroleum prices rule our lives.
and change the way we live.-now its time for the politicians to give.
the same way that the north and south joined forces
to become a nation.
it is time for democrats and republicans to become one.
and help the people get out from under the gun.
unity is what we need right now-but its nowheres to be found.
president bush took the oath-and made this country
his escape goat.
he took ameica to a war that was in civil strife
and had americans lose their lives.
now! he is pulling out the large profitering companies
from a hole that they created.
and used the publics money for their own personal greed.
and then says they're in need.
get rid of the ones who created this mess-let obama take the test.
if this country is in poverty-it is time to be set free.

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Angels

angels are all around, at times they are on the ground
to them there are no barriers for they are the lords carriers.
  just like mail carriers here on earth.
they carry the lords words to the priests, kings and the poor.
the lord is word-forever more.
they touch even the coldest of hearts then they could get a new start.
they sometimes walk the earth, just as we.
touch us with their hearts, and change our destinies.
at times we feel; their presence all around-and yet.
we do not hear a sound.
we know that god has given all of us guardian angels
they watch us, and guide us, and strengthen us
    in our hours of weakness.
when a person walks away from a crash
it is because they were there in a flash.
we must give thanks to the angels up above
for their presence and their love.

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Angels VS. Demons

there is a battle raging within me
that i can't control.
of angels VS demons for my earthly soul.

i found that the demon can enter your mind
and at times control your thoughts
and try to get you to do things
you normally don't do..

if you are depressed
that's when he's at his best.
he fuels up the anger that
has built up inside
and gets you to believe all his lies.

he wants you to believe that
everything in life, is owed to you.
and tells you that
    'this is what you have to do'.

take everything that you want in life
and no one will put up a fight.
for angels and humanity are weak as can be.
and he's here to set you free.

these are just a few of the lies
he will tell to you
to get you to do what he wants you to do.

then i have the angel with all its might
telling me that
    'everything is going to be alright'

to believe and feel all that's in your heart
for that's how mankind got its start.
for the heart is the center of your soul
and is something the demon can't control.

so follow your heart like you do your deams
and don't let the demon get in between.

so in reality, i can say to you
the LORD gave you the power
to your heart be true.

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Another Place

another place, another time, another dream left behind
another mountain i must climb.
i'll move the earth to make you mine.

i'll take the stars from the sky
and place them before your very eyes.
i'll part the waters if i must
just so i can gain your trust.
all these things i will do for you
if to my heart you'll be true

how easily you captured my heart
took it-then tore it apart.

so i stand with heart in hand
just so that you'll understand
that my heart is given to you
it's a heart that will always be true.

you tore up my heart because you
was afraid to see.
how easy it was for you to capture me.

now that you know my love is true
and my heart belongs to only you
i want you to release those feelings that
you have locked up inside
and take the vow to be by my side.
from now until the day we die.

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Are They Children Of A Lesser GOD?

the children of this country should be happy as can be
for they do not have to live in such poverty.
   most at least have clothes on their backs
a bed in which to sleep, and food
even if it's only once a day.
and they're taught how to pray.

we are much better off than other countries
around the world.
but try to tell that to the hungry boy or girl.

we are a nation from all walks of life
and have fought so that freedom can ring
and to our national anthem sing.

our children dream of things that they could be
because in this land, dreams can come true.
so let us now see what we can do
to help our brothers' me and you'.

the other child dreams of a warm bed
and a roof over their head.
a bath to wash off the dirt of the day away
a family member with whom they could stay.

clean clothes, clean socks, something which
they have not got.
food set on a table, and someone to help
them if their not able.
to be able to go to school, and learn the golden rule.
to be able to play in the streets
instead of digging in cans for something to eat.

to be able to see a doctor when they're not well
instead of being 'sent to hell'.
to be able to see love in an adults face
and not have to hide in fear and disgrace.

because they were abused by someone who did
not care, whether they lived or died.
and always told the same old lies.

are they children of a lessr GOD?

no! ! for GOD gave us all those rights
and we as adults have to stand up and fight.

stop the abuse in third world nations
let them see GODS creations.
   stop the wars, stop the abuse
put the drugs we've got, to good use.
   help the elderly, the young, the lame

for we are all the same.

we must practise what we preach it is
the only way that we could reach
all the children who were given to us from above
if they're shown kindness and love.

we won't be here to help them grow
so let's help them today
that much i know.

they are our future, can't you see
for tomorrow we'll be history.

louis rams

Are We Reaching The End Of The Journey

we are close to the end of the journey
that we've been put to travel.
   every opportunity we've been given
so that we can continue to be living.

but we choose to ignore the signs
and it's getting close to the end of time.
we're being shown the possibilities
of destruction, without interruption.

tsunami's, fires, hurricanes, earthquakes
land and mud slides, droughts, floods
economies failing, children dying
women crying, and hunger.

this list will never end
of all that is coming our way
it is time for us to kneel and pray.

pray to GOD, no matter who
you may classify him to be.
it is time 'for us' to set ourselves free.

he has given us all the tools
but we choose to break the rules.
   we think only of ourselves
and the all mighty dollar.
it's time to stop and to 'shout and holler'

we have had enough of what we created
and it's time to turn things around
otherwise we are hell bound.

let's take care of mother earth
she has been with us, since her birth.
the food above, and below the ground
and the oceans with fish abound.

all these things, she has given to us
and in her we put our trust.
let us stop this journey short
and our ways we must abort.

let us choose the path that the LORD has given
so that we can continue living.

louis rams

Band Of Angels

i saw a band of angels coming down from the sky
a band of angels to save you and i.

they covered the sky as far as the eyes could see
the sight so beautiful
that it hypnotized me.

they were like the angels that they talk about in books
wings so wide and white
showing all their strength and might.

the angels came to do battle for all mankind
and they did not come with swords.or weapons of any kind

they came with the words of peace and love
sent down from GOD above.
for they know that the devil comes
with lies and deceit,
in hopes that your faith, they will defeat.

they will offer us riches of diamonds and pearls
and even offer us, control of the world.
they know that mankind is full of greed
since the beginning of time
it has been seen.

the band of angels know that this
battle will be won
for they will fight from dawn to setting sun.
they know that the human mind is full of greed
but the love in their hearts, can not be seen.

now the confrontation is finally here
and the battle is about to begin.
which is stronger
love or sin?

this is when you must search your heart
and decide what you want to do.
are you going to let the devil
make a fool out of you?

we must join this band of angels
who fight for our rights.

so darkness will not
win this perilous plight.

louis rams

Battered Wife

when they met, she could'nt know
that later on, his true colors would show.
  he beat on women all his life
then he made her ' his wife'.

just so that he could have a puching bag
   and that part of life ' is very sad'.

in his life he saw abuse
and decided to put it to use
he thought that it would keep a woman in line
and to them ' it was just fine'.

he did not think, nor did he care
if to his wife, it was fair.
   he broke her nose
and fractured her ribs
because she refused to give
the sex that he so desired
just to satisfy his inner fire.

he thought that she was something
that he could use, as he felt fit.
   til the day that she opened up her mind
and decided that it was time
to stop this physical abuse
for crying, was of no use.

so when he came home after
drinking that night, and started his routine fight
   she was prepared for his attack
and she was ready to fight back.

when he raised his hand to strike
she then showed a 12 inch knife.

'touch me again and you will see
that you'll be part of history.'

he lowered his hand in dismay
she knew then-she could not stay.
     the following day she packed her things
and on the dresser, left her ring.

(leave him after the first time
for there is no dividing line.
he will continue his attacks
then there'll be no turning back)

louis rams

Beauties You Have Given

LORD you hold my heart in your hand
of my life you're in command.
you've been with me from my birth
teaching and guiding me so that i can see
all the beauties that you have given me.

i turn and look all around
of beauties lost and beauties found.
the beauty of the sunrise in the early hours
the openings of all the flowers.

the smells of the grass ever so green
and everything else in between.
the oceans, the rivers, the mountaintops too
all of this was made by you.

the animals, the plants, and crops galore
is everything that we've been searching for.

we have food to eat and water to drink.
we even have a bathroom sink.

we have roofs over our heads to keep us dry
if off our butts we get up to try.
we see new life spring up every day
in every form and every way.

watching the reflections of the sun upon the waters
and the sands upon the beach
and boys and girls jumping into it
finding a bit of relief

these are just a few of the beauties that i see
and i'm sure that you have seen
just as much as me.

enjoy all the beauties that surround our lives
and if your with the one you love
then it's twice as nice.

louis rams

Beautiful Treacherous Sea

the beautiful treacherous sea has been
here since the beginning of time.

prehistoric animals and cavemen alike
joined the sea, in all its might.

birds of a feather died together
as they tried to fight the weather

continents taken, grounds were shaken
the tallest mountain on dry land
became victims to the sand.

boats, ships of all sizes
taken to the watery grave
and not one life to be saved.

the sea is the largest graveyard in the world
and does not show favor
it takes everybody and everything
that rests upon its head.
and pulls it all the way down
to its watery bed.

and all the secrets that the sea holds
is starting to unfold.

yet with all its treachery
its as beautiful as can be.
the calmness of the ocean
puts your mind at ease
as you feel the sun
and the warm gentle breeze.

and as you look across the horizon
at times you could see
dolphins jumping up, to greet you and me.

the height and color of the whales
in all of its splendor
shows you the beauty, that it can render.

when you see schools of fish
skimming across the top
and a larger predator chasing them
his determination will not stop.

the ocean is the final frontier
in which the strong will always rule
and if you think you could win
    'my friend you are a fool'.

so enjoy the beauty of the sea
for it belongs to you and me
to give us food and nourish us
in the hours of our need.

louis rams

Bed Of Flowers

i found myself in a bed of flowers
looking up towards the sky
i laid there inhaling the sweet
fragrances of the flowers
and thinking of you and i.

the fragrances tickled my nostrils
and the memories flooded back in
thinking of all the joys we had
and all the things we did.

every feature of your face
the color of your eyes
the way your hair fell upon your shoulders
and how you could hypnotize.

i felt your arms around me
the tenderness of your embrace
your soft tender kisses
kissing my neck
kissing my face
taking me back to another world,
another time
another place.

you had captured my heart with all that i saw
and in my heart live there
now and forever more.

i smell the fragrance of your body
and it fills me with delight.
i feel your presence near me
although you're not in sight.

all my five senses are reaching out to you
but you're not there
and i don't know what to do.

so i'll lie in this bed of flowers
until you finally arrive
and in my heart i know
that our hearts will both entwine.

louis rams

Bitterness And Hate

do not let bitterness and hate consume you.
no one knows what your going thru.
no one can see the pain you're in
and what you feel is a crying sin.

the same way that there is bitterness in your heart.
stop! and give love a start.
  love can rule all that we go through
it's all up to the inner you.

so look around you at the people who are
consumed with this hate.
make a change before it's too late.

louis rams

Blindfold

this is the time in my life
when all i see is you.
a time in my life, when
i don't know what to do.

you touched my life like no one could
and my life turned from light to dark blue.

what will it take for you to love me?
there is so much more to me
than the human eye can see.

my love for you is like the light
yellow moon, rising in the east
and like the bright orange sun
going down in the west.
24 hours in all its glory
this is my love, this is my story.

if you was to take off the blindfold
so that you could see
you would surely fall in love with me.
  for my love is so deep and so wide
that it covers the entire sky.

when i go to bed at night
there you are in plain sight.
and when i wake in the morning
and open up my eyes
i see you standing by my side.

you are with me 24/7, and makes me
feel like i'm in heaven.

so all i ask is that you take
a chance with me.
and i will set your heart free.

louis rams

Breaking Up

breaking up is so very hard to do
especially when it's me and you
we have tried to keep our love alive
but! apparantly it has died.

love and respect go hand in hand
and that is something you don't understand
if respect you had given me
this love would have lasted eternally.

when we first got together
life seemed so much better
then with time you started to change
and with any problem-i was to blame.

i tried to give you the world
and into our life came a little girl
with this little girl i thought that things would get better
instead you became a control fanatic
and any little word it became static.

i know that everything in life is two sided
right-wrong-up-down-so i listened to your complaints
about everything including me
and i made changes drastically.

but the changes were to no avail
for you did not see that you still tried to control me
and everyone around.
and if they did'nt agree you'd put them to the ground

love is not who is in control
love grows from the inner soul
and if this did not happen to you
that your knees are weak, your heart skips a beat
and everything in life seems happy and gay
and your mind starts to stray.

then i think that what it is-is that i never entered your heart
deep enough to make those feelings rise
instead you chose to live a lie
so with this we must part
in hopes that we'll both find a new start.

this is the part of breaking up that we must bear
this is the part of breaking up that we both share

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louis rams

Broken Home

she came from a broken home
where the parents at each other
would throw stones.

every day they would argue, bicker
and fight, all the way til the night.
not realizing their childs plight.

the child to them in turn would scream
but in the battle she was not seen.
  from her father she had sexual abuse
fighting with him, was of no use.

he forced himself upon her at a very young age
from there on, her life would never be the same.

living in fear of what he would do
and who she could turn to.
where could she go
the judicial system moves very slow.

when she had told her mother.
her mother said it could never be
why would he go with you
when he has me?

she knew then, that she would have to leave
and with her being gone, no one would grieve.
    she would pack her bags, with everything
she owned, and on the road she would go.

with tears in her eyes, she walked out
the door, to return never more.
and as she got to the swinging gate
her mother screamed to her
but it was too late.

on her dresser bureau, her mother found this note.

you gave birth to me, and brought me
into this world, and you had always said
that i was your little girl.

but when i told you what had happened to me
you laughed and turned your back on me.
  so now i am leaving, because i can not
continue this abuse,
don't look for me, it will be of no use.

i love you mom, for you are my mother
just watch out for my little brother.
  i am a child from a broken home

and i know that i'm not alone.

louis rams

Butterfly

butterfly

I stopped to look at a butterfly-then it flew away.
  Yet! -left me with an impression.
With me it will always stay.

Its wings were a beautiful brown-with polka dots you see.

I had wanted to grab it-but I knew it had to be free.

They only have a short life span
But in their life -they live an eternity.

They have no worries or cares-but in their life they share
All the joys of yesteryear…

If man could be as a butterfly-and enjoy and share life.
we would not have to go through, all our struggles and strife.

louis rams

Called To Soon

this is dedicated to leslies nephew- our prayers are with him

we saw the smile upon your face when
you felt the LORDS tender embrace.
when he told you it was time for you to depart
but that you'd always be in our hearts.

you went with our LORD, for you knew
that we would be sad 'it's true.'
but there is a better place in time
that we would all meet.
while HE sat on his heavenly seat.

judging all that came this way
which ones would go and which would stay.

but he knew that in our hearts
you became a very big part.
so through these gates we will pass
to gaze upon your face once again.
for here, you found many a friend.

your smile will light up our face once more
and the flame will reignite in our hearts,
and you will hear the words that
we all wanted to say
and to the LORD, we did pray.

we prayed that you would be our shining light
and through our prayers, we'd feel the LORDS might.

'you are our shining star'

louis rams

Cancer

he went to the doctor because of
a pain in his chest.
they gave him a physical and ran every test.
the doctor told him:
the results will come back within one week
then we'll sit and we'll speak.
the results came back, just like he said
and with it bad news, of which he had dread.

CANCER! how can that be, i am only thirty three.
what will happen, what can i do.
i have a family just like you.
what will happen to my children
and my lovely wife, how will she
survive in this uncertain life?

two kids to raise and her husband not there.
what is GOD thinking, does'nt he care.
i'll accept death, be it as may.
but i always dreamt with my children i'd play.

now with the bad news he had to face the family.
should he tell them the truth, or tell them a lie.
but sooner or later he would die.
that night with tears in his eyes
he told his family he was going to die.
the time i have left on this earth only GOD can tell.
and if i'll go to heaven, or if i'll go to hell.

so while i am here, i want to share my entire life
with my family, because with you is where i want to be.
we're going to do all the things that we've
never done before, like take a trip to the shore.

all the sports that we wanted to do
fishing, boating, hunting, hiking
and just some quality time all alone.
for i don't know when i'll be coming home.

i want you all to remember this:
this is not words of good-bye
for we'll see each other on the other side.

CANCER: THINK ABOUT IT BEFORE YOU TAKE THAT DRAG
FOR IT MAY BE YOUR VERY LAST.

louis rams

Cherubs

the children that the lord takes away
are the cherubs that you see in stores every day.
although it creates an empty feeling in our hearts
and we will question as to' why'.
these children have a job to do just like you and i.

the purpose or reason is beyond our control or understanding.
cherubs are child angels which god chose for a task.
their life here on earth is short and unfortunatly will not last.

although our hearts will be empty and we will be sad
they're chosen to help others, on that you should be glad.

in gods infinate wisdom he has a plan for this child.
but the lord let the child stay with you
even if it was a short while, just so that you could
feel the love that a child could bring
and to soften up your heart to many other things.

the lord wants you to picture your beautiful child
as a cherub with beautiful wings and a halo above his head
this is the reason that he was laid to rest.

at times he may take a child who is healthy
to help a child who is sick.

to lead the way to the heavenly throne
just so he won't be alone.

they are also put here on earth to protect others giving birth.

louis rams

Child Predators

whats going on in this world today.
    another child taken
peoples lives are shaken.

blood of children spilled
this is not GODS will.

we are living in a society where children
can't be free, to run and play.
as they did before.
to return to their home nevermore.

we are adults, and it's our responsibility
to make sure that our children can see
that they're living in a democracy.

we must take away their fears that
are locked up inside.
when they see a stranger they
must run and hide.

look in their eyes and see their trust
is that asking for too much?

caylee, haleigh are just two.
change the laws is what we
have to do.

predators should not be on the streets
where children play and love to meet.

they should be in jails or asylums
and treated for the sickness within.
  children should not have to pay
for their evil thoughts and sins.

louis rams

Child Predators Aftermath

his sexual desires and fantasies he could not control
this is what the police were told.
  castration! is what we should do
but it's not up to me or you.

the law must pass a resolution
it is just one solution.
it will stop them from getting an erection
but it is not of perfection.

they say that castration is inhumane
and their minds will always be the same.

so treat the mind and the body will follow
leaving the shell empty and hollow.

even if the castation is done
the images will always enter their minds
and he will become the sexual observer
instead of the predator server.

what the law has to do- is zap that part of the brain
where he'll never think the same.
  cut it out like the cancer it is
and wipe away the predator sin.

louis rams

Childless Couples Gift

the childless couple pray every day
that a child will come their way.
they tried everything to conceive
and at night, she sits and bereaves.

they go to doctors and clinics
and do all sorts of tests
they do everything they're told
and give it their best.

they showed people what they
expected them to see.
but! their pain is the harsh reality.

hiding the pain that was embedded so deep
but! it was a pain they could not defeat.
  they knew they had a couple of options left
either a surrogate mother, or to adopt.

although they knew that the final
decision would be theirs.
  they spoke about it hours on end
spoke with family and their friends.

they decided to take a trip to ' boys town'
and speak with others who had been turned down.
    speaking with children who were still
looking to be part of a family
and ' how they would search the adoption history'

they asked: do most people looking to adopt
seem to be put on a spot?
a young boy of about twelve, decided to speak.

he said: most adopting parents seek a young child
because they think that an older one
is not worth their while.

    they think that there must be a reason
that the older child was not taken.
but! they don't know how much they're mistaken.

we older children have learned right from wrong
and have gone through heartbreak the same as you.
    so! ' what are we supposed to do.'
to hide our heads in the ground
never to be found?
    we can love and be loved the same as you
and in your hearts ' you know it's true.'

so if you are coming with that thought in mind
there are hundreds here that you will find.

his tears started rolling down his eyes
as he was walking away.

when he heard the mans voice say
' wait a minute my son, for you are the one.
you are what we've been seeking
and our love you'll be keeping.

just give us a chance to prove you're right
for you are GODS gift- this very night.

louis rams

Christmas Belief

the christmas holidays are finally here.
something i look forward to every year.
where people greet each other in a friendly way
and always have nice things to say.
christmas is supposed to be a holiday of joy and cheer.
why can't we have that feeling throughout The year.
why can't christmas be in our hearts every day
it would take away the sadness and the pain.
christmas is the day to celebrate the birth of our king
it is the time that throughout the world all church bells ring.
and the voices of people who now sing.

what will it take for this world to see
that christ died for you and me.
he did not celebrate the gift that god gave just one day in his life.
he celebrated it every day and showed
this to humanity in every way.
he gave sight to the blind who could not see
so that they could praise god for all they have and
all the gifts that come with sight
and in this they felt his might.
the crippled he let them walk
the sick he cured
the deaf to hear
now would'nt that give you reason to cheer.
praise the lord up above
for he showed us how to love.

christmas is not just a day for giving
it is a day for living.
for thanking god- who gave up his only begotten son
to show us he is the only one -to lead us out of all pain.
and with him we have so much to gain.
so whether you believe in christ, alla or any other given name
our god is still the same.
that is why we praise his name.
to show others that there is a belief beyond our control
a belief we learn to hold.
this is what christmas is to me
this is what the world should see.

BELIEVE!

louis rams

Christmas Manger

it is said that this night was the most beautiful night.
every star in the sky was shining very bright
there was not a cloud in the sky as far as the eye could see.

yet! it was foretold to kings of three different nations.
that a woman was about to give birth
to a child which would save this earth.

they packed up everything that they would need
and traveled on this beautiful night
to see this most glorious sight.

when they saw this child with eyes so blue
they knew that this was true.
for this child had such piercing eyes
that it saw through them and touched the sky.
his eyes gave the kings such tranquility
and a flaming desire in their souls
that this child they wanted to hold.

as they passed him from one to another
they looked upon the blessed mary and joseph
kneeling in the hay.
that they all began to pray.

they blessed this child with more than gold
for throughout the world this story would be told.
and even till this very day
we thank god in every way, for this beautiful
child who was born that night.
to give all of mankind a belief greater than they
and to wash away-the sins that we are born with at birth.

they say that the location of the manger was never found
that with time it was torn to the ground.
yet! people come from all over the world
in search of that sacred place.
so that they may feel his grace.

they feel his presence and know he's there
to erase all their fears.
yet the search should not be on the ground
but thru his love found all around.
give of yourself all that you can
and he will give you the helping hand.

louis rams

Christmas Tear

a christmas visitor came to see me today
and he had so much to say
strange as you may think it to be
he sat and talked with me.

he told me that his heart was down.
there was no kindness to be found.
people running to and fro
and yet! no wheres to go.

humanity has lost the values of life
and put dollar signs on the front of everything you see.
    everyone searching for monetary gains
and their lives will never be the same.

what has happened to family joining to decorate the tree?
sitting down at dinnertime and talking about hopes and dreams and fantasies.-none of this do i see
kindness and sharing is the key
to save all of humanity.

children used to play with one another
not caring about ones color.
elders used to help each other
and call one another sister and brother.

now all i see is hypocrisy and everyone satisfying
    their own needs.

putting me in your hearts just once a year
will not give you salvation.
   it is with the sharing and caring of one another
that will set you free.
so that in my kingdom you will be with me.

for i have made all that you have
and all that you see.
this is the creation which i have given to thee.

open your hearts before it's too late
for saint peter will not meet you at the gate.

these were the words given to me on christmas day
and with tears in his eyes he went away.

louis rams

Christmas Tiny Feet

don't you hear that beat of little tiny feet
tiny feet running across the floor
tiny feet at your door
to hear the pitter patter of those feet on christmas morn
and the twinkle in their eyes
seeing that expression of surprise
as they open up all their gifts that they put on their christmas list
this is one of the few things that make all the heartaches worth while
when you see their beautiful smile.
christmas is a day to rejoice the birth of our king
who has given us all these things.
so as we share this day with our children
let us remember who gave us this day
and thank him in every way.
rejoice in the birth of our new born king
for he is everything.
he has given us the pitter patter of tiny feet
and has made our lives complete.

louis rams

Christmas Wish List

parents running around frantic for a tree
waiting for the last moment so that their children do not see
  decorating the tree when their children have been put to sleep
putting the lights, garland and icicles upon the tree.
and hoping that the children will not sneak down to see.

wrapping the presents and toasting a glass of wine
and thanking god for this quiet time.
hoping that the children are having pleasant dreams
of things seen and unseen.
and in their dreams they thank the lord up above
for their family and their love.
and when they open up their eyes on christmas day
and rush to see the tree decorated from bottom to the top
for a split second their hearts will stop.
  the presents wrapped in ribbons and bows
to be torn apart by little fingers anxious to see.
what was left under the tree.
the hearts beating in a rapid pace
and big smiles upon their face.
  asking each other 'what did you get'.
and in their faces there are no regrets.
they stop and gather around, and thank god for all they found.

for so many children are without
but they thank god for another day and in their hearts the lord will stay.
christmas is not just for gift giving but for living.
and feeling the joy of christ.
and if you have an extra gift, put it on a poor persons list.
for what you do today- will come back to you in another way.
show your children all you can
teach them to give a helping hand.
this is my christmas wish, which i put on my list.

louis rams

Crowded Room

i thought i saw your face in a crowded room
i turned to look, but you disappeared too soon

the vision of you stayed in my mind

as i felt my heart start to sink
my mind began to race faster
as it tried to think.

i thought of all the things we
had done in the past
and wondered why it did not last.

was it something that i said or done?
was i the foolish one?
did i get you to turn your back on me
or was it that you wanted to be free?

so now i search each and every crowded room
in hopes that i'll find you soon.

just to let you know
that in my heart you'll always be
for you have become a part of me.

louis rams

Dedication To Patrick Swayze

an icon and legend passed away
PATRICK SWAYZE was his name
every time he would come on screen
all the women would jump and scream.

the two most memorable roles he played
DIRTY DANCING and GHOST, because of this
he won the hearts of the female race
for he had style and grace.

i've even heard some women say
that he had the looks of a greek god
and in his life, they would love to be a part.

shown by his mother how to dance
and to hold his head up high
he was caught by the talent scouts eyes.

he was listed as the sexiest man alive in 1991
and his life radiated just like the sun.
a lot of misfortunes in his life
he struggled through them
with the help of his wife. (lisa niemi)

just like in 'GHOST' he has gone to the other side
but he will live in our minds.

in your new life you will take the stage
for you have so much to gain.
and in this world that you leave behind
you will live throughout all time.

(thank you for our memories)

louis rams

Deepest Love The World Has Known

i've searched the fields the world over
searching for that four leaf clover.
thinking that this could fill my life
of the voids within my heart.
but the biggest void was from you
from the start.

a four leaf clover could never replace
when i fell from your grace.
i have learned from my sins.
and i'm hoping that i could get back in.

back into that beautiful heart
where i could make a brand new start
in your love i was like a fish in the sea
because your beauty 'totally surrounded me'.

in every direction that i swam.
i could always see, that your deep love
became a part of me.
my love has reached the bottom of the ocean floor
rose up and touched every shore.

i have swam the world over, and
never looking over my shoulder.
for my love is deeper and wider than the ocean itself.

it will reach heaven and it will touch hell
and if you were to see it, you could surely tell.

the deepest love the world has known
is the love, that i have shown.
not the height of the universe
or the depth of the ocean
could compare to my infinite love and devotion.

now! you ask me for who can this love be.

IT IS FOR CHRIST, FOR HE HAS SET ME FREE.

louis rams

Dejavu

when you see a face or place in your mind
and it takes you back in time.
  when you feel that you've been there with
someone with whom to share
the joys and sorrows of yesteryear.

for those few seconds when life stood still
and you seemed to be climbing a hill.
just to see whats on the other side.
and what it could possibly be
that something that's attracting me.

in those few seconds you find a life gone by.
but you can't remember-no matter how you try.
then you think its just dejavu.
but! is it really true?

louis rams

Depression

sitting at home in deep thought
medical help i had sought.
a case of depression is what they said
so i went home and went to bed.

i refused to believe that's what it could be
but denial is always first, as was told to me.
    how is that possible? how can it be?
i've always been happy and carefree.
     he had said:
i keep my anger bottled up inside
it is something which i learned to hide.

no two cases are ever the same
and there's no reason to feel ashamed.
depression is a state of mind
which affects your body all the time.

it will make me sluggish and tired
and wanting to hide.

     i won't want to talk to anyone.
that is when depression has begun.

i may sit in a corner all by myself
wondering if i'm living in hell.
i feel as if life has turned its back on me.
but in my heart thats not what i see.

i start to ignore the way i look
and the toll that its took.
then i take a good look in the mirror
      'and what do i see'
everything that was told to me.

i see my face completly withdrawn
and the appearance that i formed.
i see all my loved ones that i've hurt
including the wife that's giving birth.

i realize then that i can not do it alone.
that i must seek the help that i need
to stop this inner bleed.

i fell down to my knees
and asked the LORD to hear my pleas
to give me the strength to do my best
and for him to do the rest.

as i got up from my short prayer
i heard a voice say in my ear.
     'help yourself and i will help you'

thats all you have to do.

louis rams

Devil At My Door

when she was asleep in her bed
she heard a pounding in her head.
   who can be knocking at this ungodly hour?
for in this house, the devil has no power.

 when she heard a voice outside her door!

 'open the door and i will give you riches and fame
    if but once you call my name.'
hearing this voice outside her door ' she responded'

but! this is the house of the LORD, you see.
i will not open up for someone like thee.
   you can not give me what i desire
and i will not follow you into the fire.
   so leave my door- never to return ever more.

the devil responded:
but! i can give you all these things
and you don't have to kneel before me.
i can give you eternal life
if you but- become my wife.

she responded: before my LORD i will kneel
my heart and soul, he can heal.
   eternal life- i will have with him
and not have to commit a sin.

so take away all your promises and foolish ways
for i have nothing more to say.
   my LORD is with me- i will not sway.

so with this he left her door
to return never more.

louis rams

Don't Ever Give Up On Yourself

don't ever give up on yourself
don't get to the point of despair
so many people around you
there is always someone that cares.

life is what we make of it
it all depends on you
there is love in everyones heart
and at times it does'nt show.
but keep the faith in the LORD above
and then you will know.

everyone goes thru aches and pains
that is the cross we all share.
but that does'nt mean theres
no one out there, .
who can show they really care.

follow your heart like you would a bird in flight
that is when you will feel,

love and all its might.

louis rams

Dormant Heart

her heart was a dormant volcano
quiet and still, then our eyes met
and the volcano exploded.

i could see the fire
i could feel the heat
as it cascaded down
my heart to meet.

as they joined forces the
heat started to rise
smoke so strong
that it filled the sky.

like the dark depths of the ocean
it rose to the top
for this was a love
that could not stop.

as it reached high into the sky
people from all over, came to see.
the faces of two lovers
'her and me'

she had thought that in her lifetime
she would never find
another love stronger than i.

but i touched her to the core
and taught her how to love ever more.

now that our faces are where
everyone can see
we will fullfill our destiny
to show the world that love is
 strong as can be
and does not hide from you or me.

true love will rise above the ground
when it comes, you won't hear a sound.
it will come to you silently
as a lion stalking its prey
and leave you in total dismay.

no one can tell you how or when
it will come.
it may be with the setting sun.

but rest assured it will be there
and take away all the tears.

louis rams

Drunken Peace Within

he gave up his faith in the LORD above
turned his back on the ones he loved.
   he felt that the walls were closing in on him
then turned to a bottle of gin.

he always drank himself into a stupor
and he fell down and cut his eyes.
  the doctors said he may go blind.

now at a point that he could not see
he turned to his family.

they told him that he allowed himself
to get to this point in life
turned his back on GOD, family, wife.

now if he really needed help
then to pray to the LORD above
for his guidance and his love.

he fell to his knees alongside his bed
and started to pray
and asked the LORD to change his way.
    as he knelt there in prayer
his eyes started to clear.

he saw a vision standing there
dressed completly in white
to him it was the most beautiful sight.

he saw hands that reached out to him
and touched his head
as he knelt alongside his bed.

'it said' you have been put through trial and error
and from this day forward, your life will be better.
   believe in GOD, as you had done before
and peace and happiness will find you forever more.

and as the vision disappeared
he knew his life he would no longer fear.

louis rams

Emotions

i am feeling empty inside
maybe! it's because the feelings that i hide?
    at times it's a feeling of loneliness
and at times, it's loves and desires hidden away.
but with all this i have to say.

i will never change the sensations
of feeling different emotions.
love, joy, sadness, bitterness, sorrow, anxieties, and stress.
but closeness is the one i love the best.

to be close and to be inspired, is my lifelong desire.
   to have someone to hug you and to tell
you that everything is going to be alright.
and that someone is there, when you're down and out
that is what emotions is all about.

i found love and it was bursting to be free
a love, so deeply hidden inside of me.
   i saw the love in someone elses eyes
feelings and emotions that they could not hide.

i felt their exhileration, and each and every sensation.
     i felt the pains that a heart must go through
to bring all feelings closer to you.
the heart and the mind work hand in hand
but it is the soul that makes the plan.

(is it the mind that tells the heart what is love, what is pain.
what is sorrow? or is it the heart that tells the mind these things?)

the soul is the one that instills all these things into us
and this is what we have to trust.

emotions is lifes key
it could make you a slave, or set you free.

louis rams

Expectant Mother

she is gentle-yet strong-meek yet bold.
she is a woman to behold.
she is a expectant mother as we can see.
waiting for her child to be set free.

sleepng in the fetal position-does'nt help her disposition.
feeling the kicks at home and at work
and thinking that all men are jerks.

she wonders about the nine months that she must go through.
if she will have the strength to survive
and if her husband will be by her side.

when she is in her chair at night
she sees her stomach as a glorious sight.
there is a child in her waiting to be fed
and does'nt want her to go to bed.

the baby wants to feel their mothers touch
and the soothing words that she speaks.
this is what they seek.

when it comes for the child to see the world.
for the first time and feels the cool air
they look for their mothers warmth to share.

the joy and pride that the expectant mother feels
is something that can't be concealed.
she will cry tears of joy and pain
and hopes her husband will do the same.

louis rams

Eyes Will Tell

without your love my dearest i would surely die
for when we met my feelings started to rise.
they started at a slow but steady pace
and then they took off; running their own kind of race.

i know that you felt what i was feeling too!
by the way your eyes looked at me.
our eyes interlocked and the feelings started to grow.
much more than you could or will ever know.

you tried to take your look away from me
just so that my eyes could'nt see.
that blushing glow, was because of what?
you felt it deep inside
were you feeling something dear?
of what your eyes were unable to hide?

now when we look into each others eyes
all we could see is the depth of love inside.

eyes will tell all of your hopes and dreams
of those deep and hidden things unseen.

you can see disappointment, sadness and anger
and all of your hidden rest.
but just look into your loved ones eyes
and it will put all of your feelings to the test.

louis rams

face in the sky asking why

outside smoking a cigarette looking at the sky.
the twinkling of a light caught my eye.
i looked towards the heavens to see what it could be.
i thought that it was the reflection of a star
but this light was greater by far.
it seemed to be falling from the sky
getting bigger and brighter than i could ever dream
and it seemed to hypnotize me
as i stood there watching this sight.
i began to wonder what can it be?
a plane or helicopter high in the sky
with their lights searching wide.
as i continued to gaze upon this light
there formed such a beautiful sight
it was the face of a man with such beautiful features
a beard trimmed to perfection, and shoulder length hair
with teeth as bright as any star in the sky
and his eyes were piercing blue.
and as the face continued to come down.
i tried to scream but i did'nt make a sound.

as the face got closer to me, i knew that it had to be
the face of god looking down and no love to be found.
for love is forsaken and innocent lives are taken.
the lives of these unborn children were taken without
any thought to the fact that they have rights just like
you and me.
why is it that we do not see.

if protection was to be used-lovemaking would not be abused.
this was the face in the sky asking 'why.'?

louis rams

Face Of An Angel

i can not live without seeing your face
your smile, your tender embrace.
  i can not live, without seeing and hearing your laughter
for that is all that i am after.

you are my life, my soul.
your love i want to hold.

the tears rolling down your face
when you see suffering all around
and no answer to be found.

i've seen your heart break
when a childs future is at stake.

i've seen the warmth and tenderness that you bring
winter, fall, summer, spring.
for it matters not the year or time
for your feelings to unwind.

i've seen your touch stop a baby from crying
as they looked all around
and looked into your eyes and felt safe and sound.

there is an aura of light that surrounds your being
and a warmth that radiates from within.

like the sun upon the earth
giving life, giving birth.

it has made me stop and wonder
for when i met you, there was lightning and thunder
and you appeared, as if out of thin air.

i was transfixed to your face
not a line, not a trace of worry or care.
   none of that was there.

you said that there was something
that you had to do, and if i would help you.

now i finally see, that you came to help me.
you opened my eyes to all that surrounds me
for that's the way it had to be.

the 'face of an angel' had came that day
just to help me find the way.
the 'face of the angel' that i saw
will live in my heart forever more.

SEARCH YOUR HEART AND 'YOU WILL FIND'
THE FACE OF AN ANGEL, JUST LIKE MINE.

louis rams

Family

there is nothing as great as can be
than to spend time with family
the love of family makes life worthwhile
they're always there with a good word and smile.

this special bond of family brings us closer to god you see
it makes us thankful for all we have
and all that we can give
to help others so that they can live.

so during the times of celebration and we
make plans of things to do.
let us not forget the one who has given us this day
no one can take that away.

and at this time of year with thanksgiving
and christmas cheer
i thank the lord up above
for my family and their love.

there are so many boys and girls who
have grown up in abusive ties.
that they choose to live a lie.
and tell others that everything was ok
and that with them they would stay.
they have no where that they could go
to escape the aches and pains
and to them life remains the same.

so let us open our hearts and see what we can do
to get them out of their solitude.
let them see what family life should be
without all that misery
give all that you could possibly give
so that these children could live.

louis rams

Fantasy World

living in this fantasy world
 where whatever you thought of
'you could do.'
and all your dreams would follow you.'

if you dreamt of all the riches in the world
you would start off with a pearl.
then the beauties of the diamonds
rubies, sapphires and emeralds
would all follow suit.
silver and gold to boot.

you could go into any career that you want
whether it was a doctor, lawyer, scientist
or even a gymnast you could do.
it all depended upon you.

there are so many options in this fantasy world
to do, or become whatever your heart would desire.
but! it still would not put out the fire.

most all of these are material things
but love 'it could not bring'.
it could not give you what was
truely in your heart and soul.
and that was 'someone for you to hold.'

the heart and soul is together like a mother
and a child
 and they'll be together for a very long while.
   treat them gently, treat them with care
then all your wonders, they will share.
they'll show you all the emotions
that come in this life
from heartaches to struggles and strife.

the most important feelings that
the heart and soul will show
is the love that will flourish and grow.
   this you will not find in your fantasy world
for love is much richer
than your diamonds and pearls.

love grows from deep within your heart and soul
the most glorious wonder to behold.
so step out of that fantasy world and
come into the light
that will take you on the most fantastic flight.

you will see what all others have discovered
that for you, there is a lover.

louis rams

Fathers Dilemma (daughters stages)

she was brought into this world
as beautiful as can be.
played with her dolls - naturally.
a few years later she reaches puberty.
and the years are going by much to fast for me.

soon she becomes a teenage girl
making the rounds
and with her friends getting down.
listening to the music of her generation
moving her body, and feeling the sensations.

the teen years is when i worry
hoping that the years will go by in a hurry.
    then she reaches womanhood
and life 'dawns on her' as it should.

all the do's and don'ts that i preached
she has finally gotten to reach
that stage in her life
that now she thinks twice.

now a full grown woman, and so much in love
planning her wedding, and using turtle doves.
a smile on her face, and joy in her heart.
getting ready for a brand new start.

being a newly wed with so much to learn
and old bridges, she has to burn.

now she has to WORK, COOK, CLEAN
and everything else in between.
    she can no longer procrastinate
for it is 'much too late'.

a year later has come and gone
and her doctor hits her with the bomb.
you are pregnant, and a boy you'll bare
this is the news you have to share.

six months later out he came
a little boy and ' JAMES' is his name.
   now she's gone through all the
stages that a female must do.
CHILD, PUBERTY, TEENAGER, WOMANHOOD
and now MOTHERHOOD.

and every stage she carried me through.
and as her father i will pray, and i'll love
her more than words can say.

louis rams

Feet First

i came into this world feet first
they told my mother
out of her three sons, i would be the one
always on the run.

i'd go through life without a care
the thoughts i had, i would not share.
i never stood around long enough for
anyone to get close to me
for too much pain i did see.

i joined the army, so i would not be
close to any family.
little did i know that my thoughts would change
and from here on, i would never be the same.

i played the field with all the girls
and told them whatever they wanted to hear.
but i also made it quite clear

that i was a man on the run
and not be put under the gun.

i was like the wind, here one minute and
gone the next, and i would not be a sacrificial test.
    til the day that i went to the company dance
and glanced across the floor.
there she stood proud as can be
just as if she was waiting for me.

i walked across the floor like a fox
waiting for its prey.
she looked at me, and told me to go away.

astounded, dumbfounded, i could not believe.
i did this to others, not them to me.
i sucked in the air and put out my chest
of me she would not get the best.

i walked over to her again and asked her to dance
she looked at me and said 'not a chance'
my friends tell me that you're always on the run
but with me, you will have no fun.

i was born feet first just like you
but at least i knew what to do.
i know when to slow down and make it last
i don't dwindle on the past.

you're getting older and it's time
to settle down
but not one, with whom you've found.

because you have seen a lot of pain
does'nt mean that everyones the same.
open your heart so that you could see
all the beauty thats within me.

i apologized and asked if we could
start from scratch
for my ways i had to patch.

we started it off very slow
and i knew i had a long way to go.
but if i had her by my side
everything would turn out fine.

i told my family what i found.
and that i was settling down.
then i said to my family:

this is a comical, egotistical story
there is no fame, there is no glory.
i came out on the run, and now i'm
enjoying life, and having fun.

louis rams

Female Soldiers

they are soldiers fighting a war
across the ocean,
 but their hearts are at home
 seeking love and devotion.
love from our country,
devotion from their family.
that is all that they need.

they joined the military to
fight for what they believe
to defend from foes, seen and unseen
in their hearts we are the greatest nation
from the farmlands to the greatest plantations.

it does not matter if they're black or white
they will never give up freedoms fight.
we have people here from every nation
fighting for americas salvation

women have been the backbone in every war
death they've seen by the score.
the plains indian women who fought
alongside their men
it became a common trend.

joan of arc- who lifted the seige
in only nine days
the greatest role a woman could portray.

the uniform does not necessarilly
make her a soldier, but her heart
and strength that make her bolder.
bold enough to cover your back
and pick up all the slack

she will always be there in command
and pick up the rifle from the sand
she will do whatever she must
for in her you put your trust.

she is the female soldier, she stood her ground
of that we should all be proud.

give credit where credit is due
this is what i say to you.

louis rams

Firefly Love bug

the firefly which is a beetle
leaves my heart torn and feeble.

it came into my life with its bright light.
when i was at my darkest peak
and my heart was mighty weak.

it radiated such a glow
 that i did'nt know which way to go.
so i followed this lovely light
and it took me on a perilous flight.

it said that it could find love
even in the dark
and for me to give it my heart.

so i entrusted to it the one thing
that i had left, and it would give me
all its best.

it searched every road, and every trail
but! to no avail.

then it said that it knew where to go.
where all hearts roam free
and that's where i had to be.

it carried my heart to a beautiful chapel
where the voices of joy rose high
and it stretched across the sky

 there my heart saw what it was looking for.
 another heart the same as mine
to be with me til the end of time.

as our hearts floated up high.
and we looked down to this chapel.

we saw the name above its doors
'fireflies chapel of love
sent to you from up above'.

louis rams

Follow Your Dreams

to dream your dream, and follow it through
to dream your dream, and make it come true.
to set that goal in your life
and have it become your guiding light.

to push yourself against all odds
and take the first steps, is the start.
  take the first of a million steps
until your dream you have met.

no one knows your dreams better than you
do whatever you've got to do.
but do not hurt anyone along the way
for later on you will pay.

using friends, family, people, -we all do.
how far you go depends on you.
   with your dream, other people gain
and because of it, their lives will change.

it takes billions of grains of sand to make a beach
that is the goal that we must reach.
each and every one of our lives, will touch another.
that is why we are sister and brother.
    everything in life-' no matter what it may be'.
has its consequences, that affects you and me.

now on this weekend i heard the news
two ICONS have passed away (michael jackson & farrah fawcett)
but in our hearts they will stay.
they reached their dreams in their hearts,
and we became a very big part.

so with this in mind i must say
follow your dreams, it's the only way.

louis rams

For The Love Of Man

For the love of man

For the love of man, he gave his life
For the love of man, he took no wife.
He started preaching at a very young age, for gods spirit
Was embedded in his soul, and the words he spoke
Were the words he was told.
People gathered around him to hear what he had to say
Some would leave, but most would stay.
He had such beautiful eyes that would put you in a trance
It would make you so happy, that you felt you had to dance.
The people were overwhelmed with the feelings that they had inside.
They would fall to the ground, and just begin to cry.
He had such love and compassion for his fellow man
And with everyone around him-they all did understand.
He grew into manhood still preaching the word of GOD.
And picked his twelve apostles, which he knew he had to do.
For these were the ones, that would have to follow through.
They would continue to carry the words and miracles that he had done.
And it spread like wildfire under the setting sun.
But unknown to the apostles, they were also blessed
For their belief and love passed the final test.
Whenever they spoke of JESUS, a miracle was left behind.
The sightless gained sight, the crippled began to walk
The deaf began to hear, and the mutes began to talk.
All of this started because the love of man.
This is all GOD wanted, for us to take a stand.

louis rams

Francis Duggan- Poet Extreme (dedication)

Francis Duggan- so much to say
the best on the internet in every way
the poems that you read put you on a quest
and when you think that this one is the best
then you start to read the rest.

he can take you to oceans, and rivers far away
but in your house- 'you will not stay'.
he will take you to the tops of the mountains
and down into the valleys
and even introduce you to the town girl sally.

he knows so many people by first name
to remember them all
to him is a game.

he can tell you about the drunks in the streets
and everyone else you care to meet.
  it is not that he is a busybody
who wants to know your life.
(but i think he's been there once or twice) ha-ha
but! he is easy to talk to everyone knows
and of his knowledge they wish to expose.

but! i think he is known best on the internet
for all the poetry he has put on line (close to 8000)
for his poetry is one of a kind.

so Francis Duggan, i return the praise
for the journeys you take me is just a phase.
  a phase that i don't care to end
for in you i found a friend.

GOD BLESS

louis rams

Friend

coming home
never alone

going there
with a heart to share

tasting life
found my wife

giving in
that's a sin

learn to share
i don't care

this is the end
found a friend

louis rams

Golden Years

he finally reached his golden years
wanted to leave his family,
thoughts and love to share.
so he sat with pen in hand
wrote about his lifes plan.

it started off with just his dream
never expecting the unforseen.
as his plans began to unwind
he found himself lost in time.

he joined the army at an early age
this was to become the setting stage
he survived the street gangs and a war
and never talking about what he saw.

he managed retail businesses all his life
met the woman who would become his wife.
he had always loved children
so he thought it was time
his wife agreed and it turned out fine.

a beautiful little girl came into their life
and everything seemed twice as nice.
now he had two women who captured his heart
and knew right then, that this was the start.

the start to his golden years
with his wife he could share.
all the dreams that were meant to be
was now becoming a reality.

but the years was going by fast
he knew his dreams would not last.
now with this thought in mind
he decided it was time
to put his life in perspective
for the golden years to become effective.

so he changed his train of thoughts
a late retirement he would abort.
    he retired before his time
so he could enjoy life the way
that it was meant to be
living happy and carefree.

now that he finished writing
down his thoughts and plans
     he let them know
'YOUR PERCEPTION BECOMES YOUR REALITY'
and this is what mine was to me.
the golden years are now mine

and i'm lost in its time.

louis rams

Granny

to my granny who i love so dear
you are with Jesus for the new year
you have touched the lives of so many.

memories to go around there are quite a few
and it's all because of you.

there will always be a spark in our hearts
that will never go out.
because when you come into our minds
you're there for a long time.

this is what rekindles that spark
and this is just a start..

i love you granny more than words could ever tell
    you are the one that cast that spell.
and if you lived a thousand years
however you might try
you could not find another one to love you more than i.

i thank god up above for watching the one i love.
      one day we will meet again at heavens gate.
and you'll be there to greet us because of our love and faith.

I LOVE YOU
I LOVE YOU
I LOVE YOU
.

louis rams

Guiding Light

the road is long, and the road is tough
but we have not traveled it enough.
   we do not know what lurks in the dark corners
or behind every shadow.

   but our faith and love is our guiding light.
and will always shine bright.

this light will be like a lighthouse beacon
leading you home, and knowing
you'll never be alone.

this guiding light not only shines in our hearts and minds
but will last for all of time.
this is the light of the LORD above,
who always gives his guiding love.

if you guide your heart in the right direction
it will always seek perfection.
look around and you will see
that all nations are longing to be free.

just like a ship stranded at sea
this light is there for you and me.
   the mysteries to life we must unravel
for it's a long hard road that we must travel.

so seek the lord and you will find
that true love will unwind.

louis rams

happiness

happiness is what i seek
happiness makes me weak.
plant the seed so it can grow
and in time it will show
the fruits of your labor
it is something that you can savor.

happiness can be found-if you turn and look around
happiness can be seen in your face.!
and it could spread throughout the land.
all it needs is'a helpng hand'.

louis rams

Harmony

looking out the window and all i could see
is how our love sings in perfect harmony.
you came into my life when everything seemed bleak
i thought my heart was strong-but i found it's very weak.
for it could not hide the feelings that grew inside.
so now i must confess-that they do sing in harmony.
from this day forward my heart will be set free.

louis rams

He

i was blind-he allowed me to see
i was hungry-he fed me
i was with thirst-he gave me drink
i was lonely-he accompanied me
i was in pain-he comforted me
when i was depressed-he put my mind to rest
when i am confused and in doubt and don't
know where to turn.
with faith i soon learn.

so with this in mind-search your heart and you will find
that inner most peace which takes away your grief.

now you ask me who can he be?
    he is jesus
he is my savior there is no one greater.

louis rams

He Came To Earth

he came to earth to rule the nations
he came to earth for our salvation
he came to earth when mankind was in despair
he came to earth when it seemed that no one cared

his mind had been awoke
from the first moment he spoke.
he had been sent from GOD above
to show this world the peace and love
the peace that always seems to slip from our grasp
because it's something that will not last.

but his love is an everlasting fire
something which everyone desires.
a love so pure, and this love so strong
that here on earth, is where it belongs.

he preached this love for his thirty three years
something which the romans feared.
for someone who could start so young
that it had to be GODS son.

it was not the romans who took his life
but the people of his own nation
not knowing that it was for their salvation.

he knew that the treachery would come
and that a finger would be pointed.
because he was the one that GOD anointed.

his time was getting short he knew
but it was something that he had to do.

for JUDE, the time had came
as he held his head in shame

thirty pieces of silver was all it took
and with his death, the world shook.
JUDE was so ashamed of what he had done
that he went and himself he hung.

he came to earth for you and i
and for us, he did die.

louis rams

Heartbreak Sally

elvis said it so well-it was heartbreak hotel

i met her at a church rally
i should have guessed when they named her-heartbreak sally
  she was the most beautiful one in the choir
of this there was no denying her.

she had the voice of an angel that you might
find in the sky
of this it is no lie.

her hair was jet black-in a ponytail hanging down her back
her eyes were the most beautiful green
greener than i've ever seen.
  her skin was lightly tanned
she was much more than i could stand.

i walked up to her as if in a mist
those beautiful lips i wanted to kiss
i stumbled with my words asking her-her name
she said her name was sally-and the
towns people gave her a nickname.

i told her that i did'nt believe in gossip or lies
and if given the chance i would like to try.
  so we went out on a few dates-and to me it was just fate.
i fell in love with her head over heels
and now this wound will never heal.

she had said from the start
that i should not give up my heart
for she did not know what she was looking for
and what true love was about.
then she turned and walked out.

leaving me with my heart in my hand
and in loneliness is where i stand.

heartbreak sally is her name
breaking hearts is her game.

ha-ha

louis rams

Heaven And Earth

when heaven and earth i can no longer see
my GOD will be in front of me.
and when my GOD says it's time to die
i know that he'll be by my side.

and when the sun ceases to shine
i know that i will feel his love divine.
and when this earth no longer exists
i will feel his heavenly bliss.

heaven and earth is just a step away
either we do it right, or we come back to pay.
they say that heaven is here on earth
and mankind takes it for all its worth.

when i look to the heavens and see the beauty
of the sky, then i know the reason why.

why i was put on this earth
and why to me, my mother gave birth.
she gave me birth so that i can see
all the beauties that GOD put here for me.

heaven and earth are in unison as one
just like the sky is to the sun.
  just like the crops are to the soil
through mans sacrifice and toil.

here on earth the LORD had said
is where you'll come to rest your head.
  but in my kingdom of heaven
what you thought was impossibilities
you now will see living in immortality.

you will no longer have the human frailities
and emotions such as hate, envy, sadness, bitterness
sickness and desires, they will all go away
but other things will stay
such as love, joy and happiness
and a desire to help the ones we leave behind
and in hopes that they could find
the meanings of the words that GOD has spoken
and pull out all these inner emotions.

heaven and earth is here and now
in your heart, it will be found.

louis rams

Heaven And Earth #2

when i look to the heavens and see the beauties of the sky
then i know the reason why.
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my mother gave birth.
she gave me birth so that i can see
all the beauties that GOD put here for me.

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HEAVEN AND EARTH IS HERE AND NOW
IN YOUR HEART- IT WILL BE FOUND.

louis rams

Her Passion

i see the passion in your eyes
i feel the warmth of your embrace
i see every curve and crevice
in the beauty of your face.

i've seen the passion in you rise
to a boiling point of no return
and the touch of you
to my skin burn.

in you is the beauty of the stars
and the depth of the universe
and at the same time
the emptiness of space
to capture you, a long frenzy race.

for your beauty is far beyond compare
and is something that i'm willing to share
Except for the love that i know is locked up inside.
for when this love is finally set free
you will hear all church bells ring.

this love will touch every mans soul
and the core of all their hearts
and pull up feelings which they
did not know could exist.
and turn their lives into 'heavenly bliss'.

this is the passion that you have within
and if not reached, a downright sin,

louis rams

History In The Making

history was in the making on this very day
where Barack Obama became the 44th president of the u.s.a.
for two years he campaigned across this nation of ours
and brought to light, graft and political power.

he brought to light that it was 'time for change'
and this country will never be the same.
he tore down the walls of discrimination
and oppression in this land
and told america it was time to take a stand.
he showed the people that freedom can ring
and made this nation stand up and sing.

no other inauguration in the history of man
could compare to this in our promised land.
the world had been watching every move we make
of that there is no mistake.
and the only thing that this world could see
'was abe lincoln sitting in his chair'
   happy faces every where.

the dreams of simple men this day came to life
when the first black president
stood there with his wife.
Lincoln, Kennedy, King, to name just a few
have finally gotten to see their dreams come true.
equality is what we sought
and for equality is what we fought.
this was the dream of this nation
this dream is our salvation
so america we stand with pride
for in this land freedom rides.

louis rams

Holy Name Of JESUS

so many stories that have been told
so many stories that never grow old
born in a manger in bethlehem
born our savior from that begining to the end

worshipped by kings and the poor alike
with a heart so pure, and cleaner than the brightest day.
but was destined to be taken away.

our lord had given this child to joseph and mary
and all the angels adorned the sky
for he was born the king on high.
  he was destined to rule the world
and to touch the hearts of all mankind
from presidents, to kings, to you and i.

raised as a carpenter to turn wood into a wonder to behold.
but his true gift was yet to unfold
preaching the lords word to anyone who would hear
that with faith in god-they had nothing to fear.

he was not a prophet, nor a king
did not have wealth or anything
yet the most mightiest rulers had fear in their hearts.
that his words were just the start.
the start of things that was foretold
by the prophets and the readers of stars.
  that a king was born this day and that
nations would bow to him and praise his name.

nations had heard of his miraculos plights
and to the blind he gave sight.
how he healed lepers and the mentally ill
this was all of his lords will.
  how he cured the sick and lame
and how people spoke highly of his name.

they could not let this continue to be
  betrayal was the only key.
bought by gold-he was taken away.
  fear built up in the hearts of man
they would not lend a helping hand.

given a choice of which should live
they chose barrabbas to be set free.
this was the fullfillment of his destiny.
to be crucified so that man could live
and through his death wipe away mortal sin.

as you notice i did not put his name in this story
for he is above us in all his glory.

HOLY JESUS IS HIS NAME-and in his house
of prayer-we praise the same.

louis rams

Homeless

while walking thru the woods one day
a wise homeless man came my way
and as he came closer to me
he asked me so softely.

do you have a dollar you could spare
to buy a burger for my wife and i to share.
i've lost everything in my life
home, car, children too.
and i don't know what to do.

so now my wife and i sleep under the trees
with leaves as a bed, to rest my weary head.

i know that my clothes are torn and tattered
but to me that does'nt matter.
if i could have a dollar or two
i would be grateful to you.

a warm meal is all i ask, if it's not much of a task.
all my life i was a provider, and now i'm an outsider
an outsider who finally sees, what poverty has done to me.

i've worked every job that i could find
.to be the provider that i used to be.
but life turned its back on me

they say that humanity always asks the LORD.
'why me' but poverty is the student
and hardship is the teacher.
that is the way the LORD can reach us.

for when we see all that we had, and did not want to share.
turned our backs on everyone, and did not really care.
this is the time that our lessons in life unfolds.
for in GODS teachings, to help our fellow man.
sacrifices we all must make, its part of GODS plan.

and now that i am homeless and living in the woods
i have to ask myself.
'what would have happened if in my life i was good'

i gave this man five dollars for that was all i had.
he looked up at me and smiled
and blessed me for the generosity.
then he turned his back, and departed from me.

and as he walked away, a mist covered him from view.
there was no one there, that was when i knew.
the LORD had came to me that day.
just to show me the homeless way.

louis rams

Homework

homework again?
will this drudgery ever end?
what do they expect from someone like me
when i don't even know my a, b, c, s.

teachers tell me that i will fail.
and that they see me going to jail.
   that i have no ambition.

i can't afford college tuition!

but i know that i must learn
otherwise my life will forever turn.
in this life there is no other way
so i must listen to what they say.

i must take away this negativity
just so that the teachers can see
that there is some hope for me.

everyone says that my future is in my hands
if i learn to take a stand.
so my nose i did put to the books
and paying attention is all it took.

my grades have started to soar so high
that my head i can put to the sky.
   now i can finally see, that the
education is the best thing for me.

homework is still a drudgery!
and i may still complain
but my life will never be the same.

THANK YOU TEACHERS FOR KEEPING ME SANE.

louis rams

How Many Tears

how many tears must i shed-before i lay down my head?
how many heartaches must i go through-before i belong to you?
what will it take for you to be mine
must i wait untill the end of time?
or will your heart start to weaken
when my love is what you're seeking.
open your eyes and look around
don't put my love to the ground.
how many tears will it take, before you finally see
that their is no love stronger
than the one i give to thee.

louis rams

Human Body And The Soul

the LORD made the human body
and all its frailties
and that is what he gave, to you and me.
   our bodies go through so many aches and pains
and not one, is ever really the same.

the body is just a shell that holds everything inside
and it is hard to protect it
no matter how we try.

unlike a turtle that can climb into its shell.
unfortunatly! we don't do that very well.
  emotions and feelings is hard for us to hide
for it is seen by every eye.

humans are the most complex animal
on the face of the earth.
    with so many emotions down this two way street.
our brain can not distinguish which one to meet.

everything has an opposite that much we know
and we don't always know, which way to go.
     love, hate **rich, poor ** skinny, fat
how do we get through all that?

but! when we are called and told it's our time.

   the only thing we leave behind
is a shell of you and i.

the soul is the only thing that is not taken away
  for it is met, on this your judgement day.
all human frailties are left behind.

and argue as you might.
the life you led, is in his plain sight.

souls are like spects of dust
that you can not see.

and it takes up no space.
it leaves no marks
not even a trace.

louis rams

Husbands Faith

out in the cold again, her cold heart will not bend.
i give her all the love that i could possibly give
just to see if her feelings live.

but, she will continue to fight
and rave and holler
then i don't even bother.

so many years of marriage
and it's going down the drain
when you can't speak to each other
that's a crying shame.

you try to talk civil, and to correct
the problem which has come up.
but! the fighting continues
so you decide to shut up.

you feel your heart pulling
and being yanked out of your chest
and then you begin to wonder
if this is just a test.

they say that sometimes the LORD
can be a joker, he will
tease you and laugh with you
and stick you with a poker.

but! it is just to see, if your faith
in him is strong
for that is where faith belongs.

so i close my eyes and think
of the faith within, and i begin to wonder
'did i commit a sin'.

i think of all the pros and cons
of the life that i am living
and if there is something more
that i should be giving.

did i give support when it was needed most?
did i turn my back and close a deaf ear
or did i show how much i really care.

these are the questions that i have to ask
and to try to remember something in my past.

marriage is a sacred vow, made before GOD.
and we have to continue to fight
no matter how hard.

louis rams

Hypocrisy

Hypocrisy

I wanted to sit and write today-but I did not know what to say.
Then a thought came to me. Why don't I write about hypocrisy?
The hypocrisy of man leaves you to wonder.
Will this country make another blunder?
Will we continue in this Arab war where we are despised/
Will we choose to live a lie?
They say Americans shed their blood for you and me.
We all know its hypocrisy.
Men in uniform no longer fight the world wars.
People who want to hide what they are Moreover, what they say and do is because of me and you. Our service members and women still use our uniforms with pride
It is something that we can't deny.
I could see it in my mind-the older politician telling the younger one.
"Let the road take its course" we are the trainers and they are the horse.
They will go where we lead them-that is why we are leaders.
The politicians of all nations should hide their heads in shame.
They search for all that they can gain.
They all try to line their pockets
They'll pull your eyeballs from their sockets.
Then you cannot see all their hidden hypocrisies.
People will believe for a short period
While it weighs on their mind.
They have to tell the politicians that they will not follow
Like sheep to a slaughter so they could make a quarter.
We must tell them that we are tired as can be-living in hypocrisy.

louis rams

I Am series #6

i am the stars in the sky
i am the moon up above
i am the rain upon your face
i am the one that you embrace
i am the ocean, a beautiful blue
i am the one who will capture you

i am all the above
i am pure love
i am the time that waits for no man
i am the one, who takes the stand
i am your hopes, your dreams
i am the unforseen

i am you
i am all that you do
i am life
i am whole
i am your very soul

now that you know who i am
and that i am you
what are you going to do?

are you going to spread this word
just so that you could be heard?

or are you going to turn your back
and let all else be attacked.

you, you you, are' LOVE'
sent from up above..

louis rams

'i am ' LIFE SERIES #3

'i am ' heaven
' i am' life at its birth
'i am ' a soft gentle kiss
placed upon your lips.

'i am' your desire
burning with a passionate fire.
' i am ' the arms that hold you tight
each and every passing night.
' i am ' the beauty in your eye
' i am ' the one that sees the sky.

' i am ' all that you see and hear
' i am ' all that you fear.
'i am ' running rivers and ocean tides
' i am ' the blue in the sky.

' i am ' the animals that you eat
' i am ' the springs that wash your feet
' i am' the trees
' i am ' the earth
i give you all that is ' worth'
'i am ' LIFE.

louis rams

'I Am' tree series # 2

i am tall
i am straight
i am ' TREE
as i see my leaves falling to the ground
surrounding my trunk like a skirt.
my branches stretch to all four corners
north, south, east, west
and as they fall, i know then
that i am dying.

i stretch my head to the father sun
and scream for his strength.
and down to mother earth
to quench my thirst.

for hundreds of years, i have lived
and flourished with a beauty that
all mankind admires.
i then realized that it was' autumn.'

i am replenishing my life,
to enter a new one.
as my branches, which touch each point
north, south, east, west
so are the four seasons.

'i am ' tree
i live, i die, i revive.
my beauty like love is eternal
in the eyes of the beholder.

'I AM' TREE.

louis rams

'I AM' Mother Earth- 'I AM' Love

' i am' mother earth and you see my beauty every day.
from above you see my majestic mountains
which is my face.
you climb my face and see every crack and crevice
of the beauty that i hold.

the rivers and the oceans is the blood
coursing thru my veins, giving my sweet nectar
of life that i have.

the ground is my body which i give to you
to nourish you, and give you my fruits of life.
I AM MOTHER EARTH-I CAN NOT BE DENIED.

'i am' LOVE.
and i like mother earth will caress and climb your beautiful mountain, and kiss every crevice and crack.

'i am' LOVE.
and i will course thru every vein, touching
everything in my path, and nourishing every
part of your body, as the rivers and oceans
touch the land.

'i am' LOVE.
as the ground is to mother earth
and gives fruit and life to this planet.
so will my love, savor all the fruit and
nectars that you have to offer.

AS MOTHER EARTH AND LOVE.
i live, so that you may survive
and you survive, so that i may live.
and this is all that i have to give.

MOTHER NATURE AND LOVE GO HAND IN HAND
AND DESTRUCTION THEY WILL NOT STAND.
'i am LOVE. i will not be denied.

louis rams

'I Am' WOMAN ***series #5

'i am' woman.
'i am ' like the earth.
from me you take all the good.

i give you treasure
i give you pleasure

mans goal in life is to take my flower.
i will give you 'the time and hour'.

i will give you what you need to survive.
and i will tell you if you are mine.

'i am' woman.
and you seek me out in every location
for i can give you the greatest sensation.

' i am' woman
i can get you to love me
or to hate me
but! you will not forsake me.
   you will do as i command
for i have you in my hand.

so as the earth, treat me with
kindness and respect
and i will let you taste the forbidden fruit
that you so desire
to quench that rising fire.

' i am ' WOMAN.

louis rams

I Cheated The Devil

there death stood at my front door
knocking, knocking, and trying to get in
standing outside with a fastidious grin.

he said it was close to that time for me to go.
that i was at deaths door, 'BUT I DID'NT KNOW'
i ignored my body and all the signs
i should have listened, i had the time.

now i'm laying on the ground
no one to turn to, no one around.
no strength to scream, can't make a sound.
i'm gasping for air, and a heavy pain in my chest
  is this where i'll die, and be laid to rest.

grasping my chest, i turned slowly around
there an angel stood, not making a sound.
then i heard him whisper in my ear:
i gave you the signs which you chose to ignore
should i give you another chance
and pick you up from the floor?

i pleaded with him 'please let me stay'
i'll listen to you and i'll change my way.
with a smile and touch, the pain went away
i got up then and began to pray.

the doctors said it was a HEART ATTACK
i cheated the devil on this particular day
i laughed as he turned his back and walked away.

LISTEN FOR THE SIGNS.

louis rams

I Pledge My Love

in my heart love stepped inside
and you could hear the battle cry.
because of your love, i have lost my head
i turn and toss each night in bed.

it is said that our love is strong and true
and there is nothing that we have to do.
so i went and bought this ring
it is only the proper thing.

i feel your fire when i hold you tight
and i want to squeese you with all my might.
but i also know that if you smother
then you may search for another.

so i give you the space to breathe
and show my love in between.
i'll buy you flowers and give you a card
that will show you whats in my heart.

i had asked you to come close to me
and let your arms surround me.
let me feel all that's in your heart
and to assure me that we'll never part.

i pledge my soul and heart to you
and to you, i'll be true.
as true as the stars are to the sky
and as the moon to the night
you'll be in my heart day and night.

i pledge that my love will exceed your wildest dreams
and my love will grow taller than the highest mountain
and deeper than the deepest sea.
until that day that you say i do
i will respect and honor you.

you are the blood that flows through my brain
and without you, i'll never be the same.

louis rams

I Said a Prayer

I said a prayer 08/27/07
I looked towards the sky and what did I see?
A prayer building up inside of me.
A prayer so great, which I could not control.
A prayer, which came from the inner soul.
I looked at all the beauties that GOD had created.
Things and feelings that can be related.
The beauty of a sunset-with the colors all aglow.
Which is a wonder to behold.
The rising of the sun for a brand new day.
Colors of perfection in every way.
The grass and trees ever so green
It is a sight to be seen.
The sounds of children’s voices as they play.
They don’t know what hate is-so let’s keep it that way.
Let’s teach them to follow GODS simple rule.
Live and love- this is his tool.
So this is my prayer! I have no other.
Let us become sister and brother.

louis rams

In My Mind

'in my mind' i have climbed the highest mountain
i have swam the deepest sea.
i have done everything for you to get close to me.

in my mind
there is peace throughout the world
joy in the hearts of every boy and girl.
famine no longer exists
people living in total bliss.

people at work and at play
enjoying the beauties of the day.
people greeting each other in a friendly manner
raising a schools loving banner.

people stopping to help one another
and calling each other sister and brother.
weapons of destruction are in the past
peace and love 'is what lasts.'

a bartering system has started again
money is no longer a friend.
all the good things in our minds
will last throughout all of time.

all our feelings, all our desires
will explode in a frenzied fire.
they will spread throughout all lands
to make people understand
that love and peace is our goal
and a dream that we should hold.

THIS IS WHAT I SEE

'IN MY MIND'

louis rams

In The Midst Of War

in the midst of war with bodies lying on the ground
walks a band of children-their families can't be found
searching through the rubble of homes that used to be
looking for food and clothes just to survive
because of their elders who choose to live a lie.
as i look through their eyes-all i can see
is death and destruction staring at me.
  these children are not to blame for what is all around
but! if its not stopped they'll be laying on the ground.
they search thru this destruction in hopes that
they'll find-others to join them.
as they walk down the streets-the elders stop their fighting
to let them pass.
but this is just temporary- they know it will not last.
  other children see them marching down the streets
they dropp what they are doing to join this band
knowing in their hearts it's time to take a stand.
this band is getting larger and the children start to shout..

what is this war? whats it all about?
can't you see the lives that have been taken?
because of this war the ground is still shaking.
   the elders stop their fighting as the children all sit down.
they scream'we are not moving until this fight is through.
if this is what you want we will die with you.
you think only of yourselves and not what we're going through.
and when we die-what are you going to do.
there will be no one to carry on your name
there will be no heritage to be found
it will be burned to the ground.
look at our faces and you know what you will see
death and destruction surrounding me.
so we ask you from our hearts-it's time to change.
it is not something which is hard to do
it's all up to every one of you.

louis rams

Injustices

seeking injustices throughout the land
trying to give a helping hand.
people running to and fro
not knowing which way to go.

children playing in the streets
and predators around offering treats.
  elderly people who can't retire
too old to work and no one will hire.

unemployment lines longer than ever
in hopes that things will get better.

gas prices are all sky rocketing
c.e.o.'s doing the pocketing.

people all around losing their homes
and not enough money to pay their phones.

the richest nation in the world
and food being thrown away
and children starving every day.

everglades and rain forests being torn apart
stealing the air that supplies our hearts.

all these injustices that we see
are all the realities.

how many more injustices can we take.
can we change them? or is it too late.

louis rams

Inspiration

the inspiration that i feel today
will never ever go away.
i saw a nine year old boy who taught
himself to play the guitar.
the best guitarist i've seen by far.

i seen a female cancer survivor
take the stage, and left the audience
in total rage and wondering how she
was able to hide that opera voice.

and she said 'she had no choice.'
the opportunity did not arise til now.
and that her daughter and husband
do feel proud.

i seen a seventy five year old woman
who wanted to follow her dream
of being a comedienne.
and had the audience rolling
till the very end.

so many different things
in our lives that we see
that it's got to affect you and me.
we see life saving examples every day
whether at work or at play.

when life seems to have turned its back
and you feel under attack.
when you think there's no place to go
and the answers come very slow.

that is when he lifts his hand
and erases all the cares and troubles
that are bothering you.
that is what he will do.

he is there every step of the way
and in my heart he will stay.
how much inspiration do we need?
or is it that we need more greed.

he has shown us people who
have survived a crash
pulled open the door latch
and walked away without a scratch.

in us he had planted that inspiational seed.
how much more do we need.
look around and be inspired
it is just GODS desire.

louis rams

Is It War

is it war? or is it murder?
(war is a declared armed hostile conflict between nations.)

but! when you have bodies laying on the ground
without arms or legs
and no one to hear you pray.
then you question all you see
and if the butchering is meant to be.

have you ever seen a person taken out of their bed
taken to a wall and shot in the head.
or a person because of their religious belief
taken from their families and left with grief.

what about someone killed because
of the color of their skin
and the hathred building within.

what about women and children being kidnapped
for human trafficking, and living like slaves
for someones riches to gain.

there is no declared war in this world right now
but the butchering is everywhere to be found.
no matter what they may claim to be
they are terrorist, unlike you or me.

they will commit suicide and pray
to be a martyr
for living life is so much harder.

they are not soldiers of war
they are murderers who take joy
in all that they do.
but their time will come
this much is true.

so many injustices in this world
created by man, now it's time
for the believers to take a stand.

if you believe in GOD, freedom, justice
peace and love
then it's time that you spread the word
for all of these things to be heard.

injustices is the battle that we must fight
for we have GODS strength and might.
do not give up, and never despair
for he will always be right here.

louis rams

Is This A Friend

i thought i saw you standing there
from the corner of my eye.
i thought i heard your voice
telling all those lies.

i thought when i met you
that you was truely a friend
and that you would be with me
til the very end.

then you started to hurt me
with all your deceit and lies
my heart was torn and crushed
i felt that i would die.

living life is hard enough
especially when you lose that trust.

you confide in a person
all your inner most secrets and thoughts
never knowing that their silence
    'had to be bought'.

now your life is an open book
for all the world to see
for the one that you trusted most
was full of hypocrisy.

HENRY FORD once said
'my best friend is the one who brings out
the best in me'.
but you! he did not see.

and B.B. KING said ' the beautiful thing
about learning, is no one can take it away from you.'
      and i found this to be true.

so i shrug my shoulders and raise
my head up high.

for the learning expierience
will outlive you and i.

i will search again, for someone
in who to confide.
someone who will be there
always at my side.

louis rams

Is This What Love Is? (200th)

it matters not, if it's in black or white or color.
for in my heart there is no other.
the words that the LORD said to me
turned me around and set me free.

love is a time traveler, it has a beginning
and never an end.
when you're down and feeling sad, it will fill the air
it will take away all your worries and cares.

love becomes like oxygen to your chest
in you it brings out the very best.
it makes you feel like nothing else could exist.
or take away this heavenly bliss.

the palms of your hands get tacky with sweat
and what's to follow will be the best one yet.
your heart begins to race faster than ever before.
worried! you turn and run to the door.

then you hear that voice gently say:
where are you going? why won't you stay?

you turn around and gaze into those eyes
and like a zombie you become hypnotized.
you stammer and stutter, and look for words to say
but your speech just slips away.

then the question enters your mind.
is this what love is?
is everything that is happening to me
because my heart has been set free?
and if this is the one that i've been waiting for
why did i run to the door?

this is the soulmate that i've been searching for
and from this day, i will run no more.
my heart felt like it was on fire
my body ached with desire.
my lips wanted to kiss those lips in front of me
for that was all that i could see.

my arms reached out so that i could embrace
and those lips i wanted to taste.
we were in each others arms faster than i thought
for we found the love we sought.

louis rams

It Does Not Matter

it does not matter who you are.
where you're from
or what you've done.

it does not matter, if you're
short and round, with a smile or a frown.
   or if you're tall and lanky
and always cranky.

if you have the looks or body
everyone desires
or if you could even put out someones fire.

it does not matter, your disposition.
you should not be catorigized
in a position.

it does not matter, whether you're rich or poor
or if you're quick in the mind
or slow at times.

human nature and association
will always find devastation.
   we're always taught that black is black
and white is white,
but! never shown who is right. (if anybody)

this decision lies in your heart
the choice you make- is your start.
    so think it out before you criticize
for you also are on that line.

louis rams

It Does Not Matter #2

it does not matter- if you're getting old
it does not matter- if you're skin and bones
it does not matter-if you're old and gray
it does not matter-if you go or stay
it does not matter- what people say
it does not matter-living day to day

the only thing that matters, is that
you're alive today
and you'll fight whatever comes your way.

never give up on yourself
for you have no one else.
   age is with us to contend
age is something that is not your friend.

it does not matter- if you had a good life
it does not matter- if you're contrite.

   no one really knows the true life you've led
and if you deserve to be in a bed.
        and if death is at your bedside
in' GOD' you must confide.

HE is the only one that knows what
you've been through.
so confession is what you have to do.

but! it does not matter
if you confess or not
for he has your graveplot.

so ask forgiveness for what you've done
to' GODS' only son.

louis rams

Journeys End For The Poet

i am at my journeys end
looking back at my life, family, friends.

  all my life i tried to be, smiling, happy, and carefree.
but! at times life throws you a curve ball
  just to see if you have the gall.

to turn your life completly around
and to see if you have found.
   all the beauties that GOD has given to us.
if in him we put our trust.

the curve ball is not to strike you out
but to see if you'll fight that bout.

   the fight is not physical
but a raging war within you
so that you may see, right from wrong
and to grow big and strong.

this is the life that i am seeing
and this is the life that i'm not believing.
so many times i had the chance to
pick up the slack.
but i refused, and turned my back.

what must it take for us to see
the love from our family.
in life we all need a helping hand
let's just stop and take a stand.
  we can not do everything in life alone
that is something that is shown.

even CHRIST needed help
so to the apostles, the cards he dealt.
he showed the apostles that if their belief is great.
the words they teach, is not too late.

like everyone else, i see the journeys end
but! through my poetry- i found my friends.
   we do not have to do special deeds
        ' just help someone that's in need'.

this is what GOD wants us to learn
it is time we take our turn.
   let us keep the children in sight
when we pick up our pens-' and start to write'.

if we could save just one child through our words
then we'll know that we've been heard.
                ' poetry is the key'
to set a childs mind free.

louis rams

just for you

staring into space
thinking of the human race

economy bad
people sad

houses lost
no remorse

savings shattered
it does'nt matter

bills to pay
what can i say

my anger will burn
they must wait their turn

no longer do i feel
time will heal

louis rams

Kaleidoscope

the FLORIDA setting sun is as beautiful as can be.
it's like a kaleidoscope that everyone wants to see.
   a light blue background with reddish orange streaks
with a dash of white to compliment this treat.

a full moon on the horizon lighting up the sky
  the tips of the trees rising
to reach this prism on high.

there is nothing that can compare
to the beauty that is here.
and when i take my bed at night
i see every star in plain sight

the stars like lights in a darkened room
coming on very soon
to lighten up every corner
of my mind, so that the
thoughts could run free
of all the beauties that surround me.

to me, this is the kaleidoscope state.
where everything changes with time

and tends to release ones mind.

louis rams

Keep The Faith

keep the faith, that's all you've got to do
keep the faith, it all depends on you.

your faith in GOD above will be bestowed with his love.
he will lead you down that dark and lonely road,
   and into the light, and bless you with all that's right.

he sees and listens to every word and deed
and helps you with all your needs.
he is there when your heart and spirit is broken.
   and in the bible these words were spoken.

help yourself, and i will help you
and these words are so very true.
we can not expect prayer alone to do it all.

we must all rise to the occassion,
before we reach the point of devastation.

keep the faith is all he asks
it is not much of a task.
   he guides us and strengthens us
in our hours of need,
and may even cut us
but we will never bleed.

the LORD had more cuts on him
then we care to count
but he did not falter, nor did he shout.
he took the pain, because of the faith
in his heart,
 and passed it on from the very start.

this is the faith that we must seek
and strengthen it to its highest peak.

KEEP THE FAITH

louis rams

Kindness

GOD helped me, so i'll help you
now you know what you've got to do.
spread a little kindness and you will see.
your life turns around rapidly.

the LORD gave us a heart that we should use
it's not something that should be abused.
bringing happiness to your fellow man
and always giving a helping hand.

it does not matter, if you're a husband or wife
if you're rich, or poor, or if you're sick or well
we all must go through some kind of hell.

the world has gotten to a point
of fear to say hello
because we think that weakness will show.
strength lies in the tender heart
JESUS proved that from the start.

HE brought LAZARUS back from the dead
because in him he saw that his heart bled.

he walked with crutches most of his life
for he was born with a crippling disease
and cuts and bruises, he had many
but food he did'nt have any.

yet the little he had, he shared with the dogs in the streets
they licked his wounds
and kept him warm at night.
till he woke at morning light.

this is the kindness that the LORD sees
which is inside you and me.
kindness creates a domino effect
as it touches one another
making us sister and brother.

so spread the kindness, spread the word
let the LORDS' voice be heard.'

louis rams

Let Life Prevail

this world of ours is in complete disarray
so many countries fighting every day.
they say that war helps the economy
this is something that i can not see.

some must die, so that others can live
to me, that's a crying sin.
civil and world wars reign
the taking of lives is not a game.

since the beginning of time
man has failed
why don't we let life prevail?

why do we seek to destroy one another
as ABEL and CAIN had done.
to have a guilty conscience is not fun.

if it was in GODS will for us to kill one another.
there would not be a place to live
we would just live in sin.

but! he gave us an option at birth
we must use it for what its worth.
  open your eyes and look around
for this world will be torn to the ground.

there will not be a place to hide
no matter how hard you try.
family members will be slaughtered
that will be the daily order.

seeing your mother and father
laying on the ground
looking up without a sound.

is this the way that you want it to be?

or would you prefer to give a hand
and have humanity understand
that this is not the way it must be
for our childrens sake and family.

let life prevail for all to see
this is the way GOD meant it to be.

louis rams

Lightning Strikes

looking at the sky, it; s getting dark
as far as the eyes could see
it looks like a storm brewing
and i can't hide under a tree.

i'm hearing the rolling thunder
and i'm wondering where it can be?
they say the sound of thunder can travel
twenty miles or more.
  stay away from rivers
 and further from the shore.

all it takes is one strike
which they say you never hear
for that is the one
your body it will tear.

we have to seek shelter
and play hide and seek
for lightning has no conscience
and cares not where it lands
it will hit you, where ever you may stand.

louis rams

Little Town Girls Dream

she was a litle town girl with a common name
a little town girl seeking fortune and fame.
she would do what ever her agent said
including with him going to bed.

she said that nothing would get in her way
and to an audience she would play.
  she had the voice of an angel so rare
and with the world she wanted to share.

she was a little town singer
a MARILYN MONROE ringer.
her beauty like her voice
would capture the hearts of men
and take her to her journeys end.

realizing that there are so many who
would abuse, which one should she choose?

  starting to feel hurt, lonely, depressed
she went to a church that she heard
voices of beauty filling the air
walked in and started to stare.
for in the church no one was there.

but the voices continued to sing
and filled her heart with strange emotions
and she raised her voice in devotion.
      her voice so beautiful
      that it resouded through out the town
      that people left their homes to follow the sound.
then they saw this girl with her back to the crowd
looking up at the cross, with her
arms outstretched to her sides.
singing HALELUJAH ON HIGH.

her voice touching all that stood there
a voice which was beyond compare.
  the people joined in and started to sing
startled and in dismay, she turned and tried to run away.

but the people stopped her at the door
and begged her to stay
and fell to their knees and began to pray.

seeing this she got choked up inside.
  for now the choice was no longer hers
but of the LORD, who gave her this voice
for the world to see.
that in GOSPEL, she was meant to be.
  she raised her voice once again.

now who do you think this is my friend?

louis rams

Locksmith At Heavens Gate

a man died in a car crash, and climbed
the stairs to heaven, and found he could'nt get in.
he said: i am a locksmith, and i could
make keys to all locks.

saint peter answered: yes, but here you have but just to knock.

in life you was a locksmith and forged many a key
but all the lives you hurt is something you did not see.
you took pride and boasted, that there
was not a door you could not open.

but here in heaven all your boasts go unheard
for in the LORD, you have not practiced his word.

you opened the hearts and souls of many a life
not caring if you hurt them, and the pain
they would go through.

when all you had to do was, was forge
the keys to the words of the LORD
and to practice what he preached.
but! you chose instead to be a common leach.

to cling on to man, and suck the blood
from their souls, then to laugh
as they went out of control.

you controlled their lives, for you said you had the keys
when you knew in your mind, with the LORD
it could never be.

you bragged that you had the keys
to all the locks around,
but! here in heaven, there's not one to be found.
so now i think it's time you turn yourself around.

descend these steps that you thought that
you could climb.
for you are condemned until the end of time.

for you are the devil in sheeps clothing
and thought that GOD would not see
the lives you destroyed
when you could have been set free.

louis rams

Loneliness Is A Hurting Thing

once my heart was full of joy as i grew up from a baby boy.
i learned to love and i learned to hate.
i learned to sit and contemplate.
i learned the abc's of right and wrong.
i learned to fight and become big and strong.
i was taught by my elders or so it seemed
all about life and what it means.
the one thing that they could not teach-for they had not
gotten to reach-that time of life when you're old and gray.
and it seems that life has slipped away
they had gone through life's hall of fame
joys and sorrows they all have gained.
life has only two guarantees-age and death or so it seems.
they go through life and children they bear
to find when they're old 'that kids don't care.
now if you listen while they pray-'you will hear a small voice say'
oh lord take me away-please don't let me live another day.
this loneliness i cannot bear! i have no one with whom
i could share-the joys and fulfillments of yesteryear.
'oh dear god is this to be-not even any company.
no one to speak to -no one to hold
no one to call my very own.
when you reach that golden age, you become
like an animal in a gilded cage.
you pace the floor from wall to wall
wondering if you have the gall.
to start your life all anew and try to forget your solitude.
yes my friends-i'll tell you now loneliness is a heavy crown.
i'll tell you this'my children beware' age and death are very near.
when you stop and turn around-another step you have found.
with life there is no turning back
no one to help pick up the slack.
with pride and determination you move along
head held high-eyes are strong.
to face the challenge of what is to be.
loneliness and hearthaches must comfort me.

louis rams

Lonely Road

i was walking a black, dark, lonely road
and the fear inside of me, i'm sure had shown.
  then i reached to my neck, and took my cross in my hand
and prayed to the LORD above
for his guidance and his love, and that i may see some light.

when in front of me a figure stood
with a bright light radiating from him.
and the road turned from night to day
and i was able to walk my merry way.

they said that there was a total blackout that night.
and how did i get back, without a flashlight?
when i told them, what i had seen
they all began to ridicule me.

all the elders from the town
looked at me with a frown.

      how can that possibly be
when it never happened to me?
i am the pastor of this congregation
and we have searched for our salvation.

then here you come and claim you saw a light
radiating from a figure in front of you
and you expect us to believe you too.

are you saying that you're better than us
for in GOD we also put our trust.
why would he choose you and not me?
this is something i can not see.

MAYBE! it's because i was on the road to destruction
and this sign was my obstruction.
and if that is not enough for you:
look at my hand which i held the cross
just so that you could see
that the sign is embedded in me. ++

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louis rams

Looking For Love

looking for love, looking at faces
looking for love in all the wrong places
thinking that i could find love in a bar
the worst place by far.

gathering all my thoughts on what i could do
that is when i saw you.
the walk you walked was a walk of pride
with a big smile, and your head held high.

you walked past me and i smelled your perfume
it was a smell which would not leave you to soon
i became attracted to you as a bee to a flower
i knew right then that you had the power
to make me give up the search of mine
to find in you a love devine

i ran in back of you and asked for your name
you looked at me as if i was insane.
you looked at me from head to toe
and then told me where i could go.

i apoligized to you for my boldness.
and that the sight of you caught my eye
and that i would continue to try

and if i had to climb the highest mountain
or swim the deepest sea
then thats the way it would have to be.
but i would not stop trying to get to know you
and if a fool i had to be, until the
day that you would look at me.
i would do anything that you want to get to
make you smile and hear the laughter
this is all that i am after.

with my crazyiness you started to laugh
and told me you did not want to relive the past.
of being hurt and shedding the tears
this was something that you feared.

you layed down the ground rules from the start, and i accepted it with all my heart.
soon after we got to know each other.
and your fears slowly deminished
you opened your heart and i saw what was in it.

a love so deep and so profound
that it knocked me to the ground.
in my heart you will be
keeping my heart company.

looking for love, i no longer seek

because of you- i am complete.l

louis rams

Lords Glory

clap your hands and praise the lord
clap your hands and sing a song.
give thanks and praise to the one above
he has given and shown us love.

when we are down and out
he picks us up and makes us shout.
all that he asks is that we praise his name
and the change in our lives will never be the same

give of yourself all that you can give
for a better life to live.

we must live in a world where there is no fear
and the lords word is everywhere.
where people learn to respect, instead of neglect
all that god created.

this is the way it was meant to be
to live with respect and dignity.

we must praise the lords glory
and spread the word of his story.

louis rams

Loss

the loss of a loved one is hard to face
but you know they're in a better place
a place where there is no suffering and no pain
a place where loved ones are all the same.
a place where the angels gather to sing
with every new person that they bring.
for in this kingdom of happiness and joy
and pain does not exist.
sits our god and his beloved son.
he gave up his life so that we could see
what it is to be set free.
of all the suffering that we must go through
just so he could be with you.
so raise your head and look to the sky
for your loved one will be flying high.
their wings will be a beautiful white
and nothing can compare to that beautiful sight.
so put away your tears and grief
and thank the lord up above for his everlasting love.

louis rams

LOUIS RAMS by FRACIS DUGGAN

Louis Rams
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Poemhunter's most improved poet that does seem fair to say
Like good wine he keeps on getting better he matures by the day
A mentor for Poemhunter's younger poets by good example he does lead
Every new poem by Louis Rams is always worth the read
The likes of Louis an asset to any literary site
He keeps on getting better such good poems he does write
A person who knows about life he is a wise old sage
Though well beyond his prime years of life he does improve with age
Louis Rams the quiet achiever a good man and a good poet
His poetry is so readable he is one worthy of note
One who does live his verses to his higher self he is true
And far greater recognition he is long overdue
On poetry such as Louis Rams writes there is never a use by date
He is a very good poet and good poets become great.

louis rams

Love Is Born

my heart makes up my body parts
and my body parts make up my heart.

for when love strikes you
it touches every part of your being
and this is what i'm seeing.

you get a cold chill, and your hairs
stand up on end.
this is a sign.
this is a trend.

it is felt in so many different forms
that's how love is born.

louis rams

Love Or Hate

so many children in this world
so many little boys and girls
going without food or love
this is'nt what god expected of us.

children are a blessed gift from god
thats how you and i got our start.
take your time and look at a child
let their innocence love fill your heart

then find their innocence and beauty within
for we are all born with first man's sin.

they was taught this at an early start
they was taught that they was different
and better than others.
and no other race.
are your sisters and brothers

don't fill your heart with bitterness and hate,
make the change in yoursef before its too late.
don't let it consume and steal your soul
for in the long run my friend, it will take its toll.

we have to show them that what
they was taught is wrong
and in this world it does'nt belong.

it is time to take a stand
so give of yourself all that you can.
you see hatred should be a thing of the past
while love and faith are the things that will last.

louis rams

Love Story (brotherly love)

he offered her all the treasures that she desired
if only she could put out his fire.
the fire that was in his soul
was starting to burn out of control.

but! of him she did not want any part
for she was in love with another
and this man was his brother.

his love so deep, and so profound
he let out a scream, without a sound.

seeing the way she looked at his brother
he knew then, that there would be no other.
his love for both, was so strong
that he knew, together they belonged.

so with his heart in his hand
he decided to make a plan,

to show them that they belonged together
and through marriage, their life
would be better.

now they both knew, that his
heart was broken
but! another word was never spoken.

he had shown them that his love
was strong enough, to endure the pain.
and that their love, should be the same.

unknowingly this was part of GODS plan
to see the love that he had within
given up for love of his brother.

the LORD already had a new love, on her way
and forever in his heart she would stay.

so on his brothers wedding day
a beautiful woman passed his way.

eyes so deep, hair so black
he almost caught a panic attack.

and as their eyes met, and their
hearts slowed down its pace.
he knew that it was the end of the race.

for now they both had the love they desired
and she would be the one
to put out his fire.

louis rams

Loves Flaming Fire

let me walk by your side
let me feel what you try to hide.
let me see where you have been
from the beginning to the end.

let me feel your aches and pains
let me cover up your shames.
let me be your second skin
so that no harm could ever get in.

let me protect you from the storm
for it is here that i belong.
let my 'loves flaming fire'
fill your heart with desire
   the desire to be loved forever more.
for there is so much that i have in store.

i will take your broken heart
and put it together part by part.
i will make it whole again
so we could be much more than friends.

you had searched your whole life through
when i was right next to you.
given the chance you will see
that i'll love you endlessly.

you must extinguish this flaming fire
before it gets any higher.
love me, as i have loved you
for my heart has always been true.

   this is my:
              'LOVES FLAMING FIRE'

louis rams

Loves Point Of No Return

carry me to the point of no return
take my heart before it burns
take my soul where ever you go
move fast, don't move slow.

you have put this fire in my soul
and it is burning very fast.
the oxygen that keeps it ignited
will not last.

you control my heart, like a queen bee
controls its hive
you make my being feel alive.

and when i look upon your lips
i want to feel your tender kiss.
for a kiss, is a kiss, until it's missed.

then it becomes a passion
a desire, a flaming fire.
it consumes your every thought,
your every wish, until once again
you feel that kiss.

you get a tingling from head to toe
feelings you thought you'd never know.
you feel the arms wrapped around your waist
you miss the warmth of that embrace.

this is the point of no return
this is the point that we must learn.

louis rams

Loves Strength

the balancing of love is hard to achieve.
when you have doubts you're trying to relieve.

hold each others face
and look in each others eyes
and your love will begin to rise.

love will always gain in strength
when it is heaven sent.

louis rams

M.J.'s Jackson three

they say that we're not your sons
but in your heart, we're the only ones.
you raised us from our birth
and gave us your heart and all its worth.

you gave us all that a child could desire
you set the music world on fire.
   you spoke to us like only a father could do
and our hearts belong to you.

no one knew your lonely heart
and how it was torn apart.
neverland was your escape
now it's much too late.

you was taken from this world
leaving two boys and a girl.
but in a few more years the world will see
we will be the JACKSON THREE.

we will carry on your name
but without you, it will
never be the same.

you said it in the song you wrote
it does'nt matter if you're black or white.
and we will carry on this name to the highest height.

(this can also be put into the music of BILLIE JEAN
by changing the wording to 'his and he'
instead of 'you and your'.)

louis rams

Macho Men

we try to be macho men who very rarely speak
but deep inside we are weak.

weak to the feelings that we have locked up inside.
feelings that we try to hide.

we have to be macho men to the female race
moving slow with a steady pace.
our egotistical pride is how we survive.

we always dream of being that
knight in shining armour
rescuing the maiden and her honor.
    but that could never be, for the knights died in history.

so we strut like a peacock with pride
raise our heads to the sky.
(hiding what we feel inside)
this is the life of a macho man.

he is filled with pride
and always having
a woman by his side.

of this i can not deny.

louis rams

Magnificent Twelve

the magnificent twelve were there
and their words are spread till this very day.
their words have reached each and every nation
to show the world eternal salvation.

there is nothing that they could not do
for their belief was stronger than me and you.
for they followed the LORD from the very first day
and saw and heard what HE could do and say.

HE healed the deaf and cured the blind
all this done in a very short time.

HE fed the crowd that followed
with just a few fish
and turned water into wine
at a marriage divine.

because of this -fear spread through out the lands
touching kings and people of power
HIS word spreading each and every hour.

the magnificent twelve were there
at HIS betrayal and condemnation.
this is the reason they spread
HIS word to every nation.
for HE offered us eternal salvation.

till this very day HIS words are seen and heard.
and like a good shepard HE watches HIS flock.
this is something that will never stop.

believe in CHRIST for there is no other.
for in HIS world we are sister and brother.

louis rams

Mail From Me To You *****author unknown

i wake up in the morning and can hardly wait to see
if i received a mailing-addressed from you to me
   i get my putter running, and much to my delight
your poems, jokes and other things
come quickly into sight.

please keep those emails coming
they are so enjoyable you see
funny things, friendly things
those things you mail to me.

but most of all the fun of it
is knowing that they came
from you, my friend
the one i need not name.

a friend does most or all of these

(a) ccepts you as you are

(b) elieves in you
(c) alls you just to say hi
(d) oes'nt give up on you
(e) nvisions the whole of you(even the unfinished parts)
(f) orgives your mistakes
(g) ives unconditionally
(h) elps you
(i) nvites you over
(j) ust 'be' with you
(k) eeps you close at heart
(l) oves you for who you are
(m) akes a difference in your life
(n) ever judges
(o) ffers support
(p) icks you up
(q) uiets your fears
(r) aises your spirits
(s) ays nice things about you
(t) ells you the truth when you need to hear it
(u) nderstands you
(v) alues you
(w) alks beside you
(x) -plains things you don't understand
(y) ells when you won't listen and
(z) aps you back to reality

louis rams

Marriage

marriage is a bond that a man and woman share
it is a commitment far beyond compare.

they both make a vow of everlasting love
made in front of the lord above.

they commit their hearts, body, and soul to each other.
in hopes that there will never be another.

they speak of the feelings that they have inside
a love that will last throughout all time.
their love is pure in heart and soul
it is a love that they must hold.

the first five years are always the toughest
while they get to know what each other is like
and in anger they will fight.
and say things that they don't mean.

but! in the long run you must see
that their love will forever be.

louis rams

Michael Jackson (my thoughts)

he came into this world to be a star.
the most beautiful voice i heard by far.
he started his career at a very young age.
his voice heard on the worlds stage

he did not have much of a childhood.
but! it would'nt have done him too much good.
    his destiny was set at the age of five
to make everything come alive.

MICHAEL! you've been an icon for over forty years
and throughout the world, people are shedding tears.
you were loved, much more than words can say
and now you've been taken away.

you were known as the' King Of PoP'
and that is something which will never stop.

ELVIS was the king of rock,
and JAMES BROWN the king of soul.

    but your music will never grow old.
your dance style and hypnotic flair
sent chills down the spines of all who cared.

you passed all barriers known to man
when on stage you took the stand
and sang with all clarity, the way the
race barrier ought to be.

if only all the world was able to see
the pain that you had locked up inside
and the pain you had to hide.
 because family members
would be hurt, and it started from your birth.

i thank you MICHAEL for these memories
for they will always stay with me.

louis rams

Misery

children all over the world in poverty, hunger and misery.
is this the way it's supposed to be?
is this the reason they were brought into this world?
is this what you want to see for your little boy and girl
as adults can't we see-we have to stop this hunger and misery.
god has given us the power to concieve
so let us set our children free.
free of what we have created-poverty, hunger and hatred.
let us work to become as one
let our children see the sun
for right now their world is in a dark mist
with not a flicker of light to be found.
their hopes torn to the ground..
there has to be a place to start.
search your heart-search your mind
the answer is within our grasp
it is something that has to last.

louis rams

Misfits (HEATHERtown of misfits?)**

old saint nick saved all the misfit toys
and gave them to all the girls and boys.

he knew that each one could never be
a misfit for you or me.

now all those toys had their spirits broken
for they could not see
the beauty that was in their hearts
was meant to be.

a word, a touch, of old saint nick
healed their hearts very quick.

now that their spirits were revived
the tears rolled from their eyes.

they had learned on this day
that a pure heart would forever stay.
so if you think that you're a misfit child
sit and think for awhile.

of all the others who are worse than you
and don't know where to turn to.

you have loved ones to guide you
and show they care
although at times they may not be there.

look into the LORDS heart and you will see
'a misfit child, you could never be'
for my love is within thee.

louis rams

Moments Of Love

the moments of love never grow old
that is something that i was shown.
like a child who receives that
first christmas gift
which was put on their list.

the joy, the excitement, the look in their eyes
makes you want to sit and cry.
they tear that package open to look inside
just like the first love, it can't be denied.

like a little girl with her first BARBIE doll
with all the clothes to match.
that glitter in her eyes
that you sometimes catch.

that little boy, with his first cap gun
running to hide and play in
the darkness of the house
or out in the sun.

the look of the childs first birthday
that they recall, and of all
the presents that they receive.
which is no longer make believe.

when your child has their first beau
they strut like a peacock and put on a show.

what about their first kiss?
it becomes a 'hit and miss'.

a hit because it was the first
and a miss, because it became
a spark that ignited a fire
and filled them with human desire.

these are the moments of love
of which i speak
they take us to the highest mountain peak.

these are the moments
that i see in their eyes
it can't be hid
no matter how hard you try.

louis rams

Mothers Of The World

to all the mothers in the world-who are raising their liitle
boys and girls.-it is plain to see that you have a tremendous responsibilty.
whether we are single or with a spouse
have an apartment or a house.
not many people know the pain you go through.
except the ones who are close to you.
when you are single and no one to give a helping hand
and no one to encourage you-or ease your pain.
it will never be the same-as someone with a caring spouse
who is a man and not a louse.
you struggle to give them all you can without the help of a man.
for there are very few men who will take on the responsibility
of raising someone else's kids.
unless they are in the same boat as you-and don't know
what to do raising his children on his own-in hopes that
they will be big and strong-and for them to see-he is holding his responsibility.
so if this man and woman can join forces as one
there is nothing under the sun-that can shake their faith
in the one up above-for he has given them this love.
and for the women who do have a man to share
the responsibility.-don't ever set them free-
because what you give up today
some one else will pick up the slack, and never give him back.

louis rams

Mothers Pride

by the way that you speak, i can see.
that you are as compassionate as can be.

you speak of your children with the
pride of a mother.

you talk about their aches and pains
and accomplishments they have gained.
in my mind i can see, you sitting with them nightly.

telling them of things that can be
if they put faith in the LORD above
and follow their dreams with compassion and love

through you i can see them
always there to help a friend.

you've taught them how to live with.
and how to live without.
of this there is no doubt.

you taught them that nothing in life is free
and that you must set a goal in your mind
and push yourself to reach that dream
and not stop until it's seen.

mothers pride can not compare
until a woman finally gets there.

louis rams

My Worst Enemy

my worst enemy is within me
an anger trying to be set free
i have hidden it for many a year
because it is full of fear.
the fear of telling what i see and feel
emotions that are very real.
real to the point of no return.
but! screaming for this voice to be heard.
this anger that's inside of me is when i see children
going through their aches and pains.
in a world that they did not create
let's help them before it's too late
there are children starving all around the earth
if this is what we have to offer
why did we allow the birth?
as adults we should see-that all we're offering is poverty.
i don't believe in abortion-i believe in life.
so let us think about it'twice'.
think of it all you can-and let's start giving a helping hand.

louis rams

My Child

the LORD blessed me with a child this day.
much more beautiful than words can say.

came into this world with such energy
bouncing around and being free.

captured the hearts of all around
bringing happiness in leaps and bounds.
another like her can't be found.

she is the inspiration in my soul
just to think of her and the words start to flow.

she has a beauty beyond compare
of which all men would love to share.

for in her heart all can see
that she is like a bird
who must be set free.

free to show the world that
she is in charge of her life
and can also be a mother and wife.

she is the one who showed me
how to show my feelings and thoughts
to the world. she is my little girl.

she is my child and i am proud to say
i love her more each and every day.

louis rams

My Daily Walk With GOD

i did my walk today
a mile and a half each way
it may not be much to the younger generation
but! it fills me with exhilaration.

the walk opens my mind so it can see
all the beauties that GOD gave to me.

and as i do my daily walk
people will stop to talk
we'll talk about the beauty of the day
and it seems that time slips away.

when i get back to the house
i have a confrontation with my spouse.
   'what took you so long, and where did you go
or is it that you're walking slow'

the arguing is not a beauty to me
it is just a mystery.
why is health so hard to understand
it is giving us a helping hand.
to live and see what the LORD has provided
this is HIS word, you can not hide it.

do for yourself and I will help you
'this is so very true'
put your faith in the LORD above
for HE has given us perfect love.

i am filled with sensation
of GODS beauties and creations
so i do my daily walk
and with HIM i will talk.

louis rams

My Daughter

you are my daughter, my everything.
you mean more than the world to me.

you captured my heart at your birth
and removed all my inner hurt.

you softened my heart to the
beauties of the world.
    you are my little girl.

you are the one who set me free
and made a man/woman out of me.

you showed me that responsibility
was buried deep inside of me.

you showed me the beauties
that a daughter could bring

and taught my heart how to sing.

louis rams

My Father

my father was a merchant seaman since the age of twelve
left spain because he was living in hell.
living in valencia, by the shore, thinking of
lands he never saw before.

he was determined to travel the seas
and the world to explore
.and see life on every shore.

he had his papers forged to make him older
and with time, he got much bolder.
he learned to drink with all the others
then put his head under the pillow
for his tears to smother.

at the age of twenty five he got to see
just how AMERICA could be.

a freedom that he never knew before
finally surfaced in his mind
and in this country he knew was the time.

on a trip to the caribbean islands that his
coworkers told him about
he saw a woman that caught his eye
and knew right then that she was one of a kind.
her brothers were merchant seamen just like him
laughed and gave him a grin.

come on in and pull up a chair!
you're like us, so it's only fair.
meet my sister, juanita is her name
she is very shy, our mother is to blame.

puerto rico is a small island, and like us
the world she would love to see
but we know that this could never be.

our mother has her betrowed to another
which she cares nothing about.
so we ask that you marry her and take
her to the states.
do it quickly, do not hesitate.

so marry her he did.

and the passion that was
in his soul and in his heart
would join as one and never part.

they had four children of which he was proud
they loved and respected him, and never made a sound.

he would continue to travel the world over
till he retired at the age of sixty six.
and being with his family was his mental fix.

so this is to our father
his spirit we hold dear.
because we know
he is always near.

GOD BLESS YOU

louis rams

My Poetrys Flicker Of Light

my poetry has to be stories that i could put in rhyme and verse.
it must be able to touch the hearts and minds of man
and send a tingle down their spine.
one that will last a long long time.

life is full of stories that mankind goes thru.
the roads we choose is up to you.
most of us will struggle with all the ups and downs.
yet many! must carry aheavier crown.
what about the child who has no family
no adult or figure to look up to.
when they're down and out and they scream and holler.
do we hear their shouts?
they carry a cross which is far heavier than ours.
they have given up on man and all the heavenly powers.
they feel that they've been rejected by all that is seen and unseen.
yet! there's a tiny flicker of light which shines within their heart.
and as they say a silent prayer to the heavens up above.
they begin to feel 'gods eternal love'.
so with that little light hope begins to rise.
for in their hearts they know-'god is by their side'.

louis rams

my short verse #2

on the job
my position they rob

bring them flowers
they cut my hours

claim they're a friend
screw you to the end

in despair
they don't care

must go to the unemployment line
to them that's fine

getting govt. help
to them that's swell

company closed down
i'm laughing like a clown

louis rams

Mystery

Mystery

High as the sky and as free as a bee
Won’t you sit and comfort me.
Emptiness is a hurting thing
As a bee it leaves its sting.
I need comfort, warmth, and to be caressed
Won’t you try to do your best.
Won’t you come and light my fire.
Won’t you fill my hearts desire.
Won’t you please put me to a test
Am I more of a man or am I less.
Do I satisfy your inner most needs
When I dropp my fertile seed
Or is it ‘as life will have it be’
Always- ‘a mystery.’

louis rams

Mystery Child

as i walked through the hospital corridors
i saw this child coming towards ne
her head was shaven and very red.
she looked up and smiled at me
and made my heart skip a beat.

in a voice so soft that i could hardly hear
she wished me joy and good cheer.
i knew right from the start
that this child had a loving heart.

for even though she was in pain
from everything that she had gone through
and it was hard for her to walk
she stopped and smiled and started to talk.

she was born with a sickness at birth
and was daily fighting for her life.
but she had such faith in god above
that she would be alright
and knew that she had to fight.
this battle that they said she could not win
but to her -giving up was a sin.

i started to choke up inside and the tears started to roll
from my eyes.she gently wiped away my tears.
and whispered gently in my ear.

if only the world could see and feel what i have
locked up inside-that god has given me
there would be peace and harmony.

for the lord has shown me what is on the other side when i die
but! i will be here for a very long time.
for there are many hearts i've yet to touch
before i am taken away.
and true love will forever stay.

i started to choke up again, and when i looked up again she was gone.

till this day i ask myself who could this child have been?
that put faith back in my heart and showed me
the unconditional love from god above.

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louis rams

Never Give Up

always be inspired to follow your dreams
never give up
for i know what it means.
never give up
is the name of the game
for if you give up on yourself
everyone will do the same.

keep your spirit alive by being yourself
for in your life, there is no one else.
when life seems to have turned its back
never give up
just pull in the slack.

take your dreams and throw them in the air
they'll be millions of others, who are willing to share.
they have their dreams the same as you
and to your heart, you must be true.

never give up
just look ahead
why do you fear
what do you dread?

life is full of surprises and you hold the key
to unlock the lock that will set you free.

never give up
and you will see, that your dreams
become your reality.

louis rams

Not My Time To Go

lord don't take me away, there are so many things
that i must do and say.
there are so many hearts i've yet to touch
so many dreams that i must go through
before i am able to join you.

they say that life consists of a million steps.
well! i have'nt gotten ther yet.
i still have a ways to climb, before i reach that final step.
where i can finally see, the goals that you have set for me.
the dream i had of touching so many hearts and souls.
i've yet to reach that goal.

lord! this is not my time to go.
i know that i've been moving very slow.
but some things take longer than others.
as you very well know, you took six days
until there was perfection.
so i ask you from the bottom of my heart
to give me another start.so that i can touch the
minds i've missed, and let them feel your heavenly bliss.

give me the insight so that i may see
just what you have in store for me.
if i am here to write your word
then help me so that it can be heard.
let your voice reach the highest peak
so that people will start to seek
the words that you have given to me.
so that their hearts could be set free.
this is all i ask of thee.
but in order for me to do this
it is not my time to go.
so i hope that you'll move slow.

louis rams

Now I Lay Me Down To Weep

now i lay me down to sleep
when the lights go out i begin to weep
i weep because of what i see.
there is anger all around
a gentle heart can't be found.

people bickering and killing one another
for the simplest of things
a chain, a watch, a ring.

hearts are broken-words unspoken
respect has gone out the door
never to return-forever more
the word of god must be spread throughout the world.
and it must start with the youngest boy and girl.

if they are taught when they are young
they'll get to see the sun
the sun that shines so bright
will become their guiding light.

for the adults have lost that sight
and they continue to fight.
love is the key to set our hearts free.

we are blocking the sun with bitterness and hate
let us stop-before it's too late, and open up the floodgates.
of tears that have been locked up within
and take away this sin.

this sin of not letting the children grow up in a world of love
and peace, and of gods love
given to us from up above.

let me put my head down tonight
and know that the world will be alright.

louis rams

Old Age Prayer

old age seems to be creeping up on me.
i stare at words that i can not see.
i have arthritis setting in
i'm feeling all the needles and pins.

my bones ache, my skin flakes
more pills i can't take
they say there are pills for all you feel
but with this i can not deal.

i felt a headache starting to rise
it felt like thunder and lightning
flashing thru my mind.
thunder and lightning of every kind.

then i was asked a simple question today.
at the end of the day, do i pray?

stunned! i did not know what to say
but the question stayed in my mind
for a very long time.

so that night i said a prayer
woke in the morning without a care.
it seems that prayer puts your body at ease.
and of that- i am pleased.

and now every night i say a prayer
for i know that GOD is near.

louis rams

Old Fashioned Lover

it is said that 'feelings should be seen'.
that is every womans dream.
to prevent the hurt and ease the pain
because no two loves are ever the same.

what good would it be, if every feeling you could see.
you could never have a surprise 'of that there is no lie'.

' i'll take the good old fashion love'.
so in my way, i could show exactly what i feel
and that my love is real.

a poem written or taken from a book.
it gives your love a brand new look.
a bouquet of flowers to compliment the hour.
even a small rose that tickles the nose.
all these little things a true lover brings.

a thought of a memory past
that in her heart, you know did last.
a joke, a smile, a tender kiss
something that you know she will miss.
the caressing of her face, your fingers
running through her hair, just to show how much you care.

all these things i would do, just to show
how much i love you.
i want to walk down the street
holding hands and looking at you.
and that you could do, the same thing too.

if you was able to see everyones
thoughts and dislikes, you would always be in a fight.
i prefer to be the old fashion lover
throughout our history, there has been no other.

as a woman, you want to feel his sensations
his fixations and his desires.
so that you could put out that fire.

love is not like a t.v. dinner that you
pop into the oven for it to get hot.

love is like boiling water in a pot
and you as the cook, know when to stop.

louis rams

Our Child

this is our child.
not just yours or mine
but everyones, that are born in our time.

a child is born every minute around this world
beautiful boys and girls.
these children are gifts from god.

and he has chosen you to be the one
who will carry the daughter or son

look into any childs face and you will see
that they belong to you and me.

the child has a bit of all humanity
this is the way god meant it to be.

these are the children of peace
the children of love
given to us from god above.
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i read in the papers of childrens lives taken
because of anger, fear, sickness and hate.
lets stop them before it too late

put them in jail and throw away the key.
just so that children can sleep peacefully.

if as a child you was abused, neglected, and not loved
then it's time for you to change your life around
and not let these children die on the ground.

stand up and fight, and take
pride in what you do.
the child you save, could have been you.

louis rams

Our Protectors And Saviors

in their own rights, they are our protectors and saviors
our daily road pavers.
they are the ones who our lives, we put
to protect, and it gets better yet.

they are with us every second, of every minute
of every waking day.
and for this, they don't get much pay.
they are searchers who try to make things right.
with the courage and determination
to stand up and fight.

it matters not, where they're from
their backgrounds, or religious beliefs
or even the color of their skin.
they just want to take away the pain and the sins.

they get into a profession to help others
and to protect all families
and our sisters and brothers.
they do not do it for fame and glory
this is not their desires and stories.

they do it because there is such a need
and it is a beautiful deed.
their hearts are full of compassion
and they'll run, to get in the action.

they do it for self esteem
and in their eyes, you'll see that gleem.
when a life they have saved
to live to see another day.
that in itself, is worth much more than pay.

now you may ask me, who can they be
they are the ones, who surround you and me.
they are: the police and law enforcement agencies
the firemen, the doctors, and health care providers
and the soldiers who protect the nations

they are the protectors and our saviors
of our every waking hour
and they are the ones
who have lifes powers.

we put our lives and faith in them every day
and to them, i do give praise.

louis rams

Oyster Of My Heart

the love in my heart had a strange but long start.
just like an oyster starts off with a grain of sand
and others follow to give a helping hand.
so is the love that i have for you.

that grain of sand found a home where it could start to grow
 and slowly it created one of the most beautiful treasures
that the world would get to know.
because it started out very slow.

the home that it was created in was a very hard shell
where it was protected until it grew big and strong
for it knew where it belonged.

and as it was opened by fellow man
there is where it took it's stand.
man opened it slowly with a knife
to protect what he knew he could find
a beauty so precius and so divine.

and with this one pearl of beauty and rarity
he put it with others for the world to see.
that just like an oyster-the love must slowly build
until the strength of it is quiet and still

this is the oyster of my heart of which
you are a very big part.

louis rams

Past, Present, Future

i lived in the past for so long
that the present was always unknown.

now i always look ahead at all the possibilities
and there is so much, that i now see.

a shimmer of light at the end of the tunnel
and my thoughts being poured through a funnel.

the past is the past, and that's where it will stay
and in the present, we have to find a better way.
for the present will soon be our past
and if we don't do something, it will not last.

we must always look to the future
for it is only twenty four hours away
then it will be our past
and we have so much to do and say.

when i look at life, i truely have to laugh
today is our future and tomorrow it'll be our past.

now that i have you confused as to what i am
trying to say.
i guess i will try' to put it a better way'.

we all tend to procrastinate
always leaving it for tomorrow.
but! what if you don't see tomorrow.
and today you did'nt accomplish that task
how will you be remembered
if the present you left for last.

when we leave this material world
and our souls soar up in the sky
we will still have our memories
and that we can rely.

for when we get up there(if we do)
your soul will have carried all that you did
in this life
and the memories of friends, family
husband, or wife.

now when you look down on all that you had did
and asking yourself the question.
did i use my time, the way it was
meant to be?
or did i procrastinate, that others now speak of me?

we all have to work in order to survive.

but we must stop on occasion to smell the flowers.
and to enjoy all that we was given
otherwise how can you call this living.

(my thoughts: the words and stories were given to me.
so that i could write them down, for al the world to see.)
this is my philosophy.

louis rams

Poems from heaven

poems from heaven come to me in my sleep
i awake in the morning and i start to weep.
for in my dreams i see the loved ones who had past
they give me these words which will forever last

you are my child which i gave to the world at birth
i did not know at the time- if and what
your life would be worth.
but i knew in my heart that there was a purpose in your life
now i am in a better existence looking down upon you
 and the lord has shown me what you have to do..
you are here to spread the word to all the other poets.
that they could reach more people than they
could ever dare to imagine.

open up your hearts and minds, and let
your loved ones souls with yours entwine.
  listen to what they have to say
for with their words, this world
   will be a better place.

.these are the poems from heaven of which
i talk about.
and of this i have no doubt.

to all the poets of the world, continue
to spread the words that come into your hearts and minds
for they will be here way beyond our time.
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louis rams

Poet Within 12/05/08

i give the lord possession of my soul for him to control.
for he is my inspiration and my guiding light
  he is the one who gives me the sight.

to see the things in this life through word and deed.
  and shows me the inner need.
to write my poetry so people can see
  that he is the one in control of me.

my wife says it's an obssession which lasts into the night.
  i say it's a passion that i continue to write.

now! can any one of you tell me which one is right.?

louis rams

Polluting Politicians

the beauties that GOD has given
makes this life worth living.
you see his beauties every day
it is something that won't wash away.
and to him i do pray.

we pray to you with all our might.
for a little bit more of 'insight'
open the eyes of the public
so that they can see.
that we must leave something
to future families.

we must give the politicians a time frame
and have them stop playing these games
the games is whats destroying this nation.
let's get them to work for future generations.
    of global warming they all speak
but when they have the bill in front of them
they just take a peek.

we are destroyong this world
from the inside out.
'is this what lifes about'?
we are polluting our streams, rivers
and oceans too.
how much more are we going to do?

our streams used to be crystal clear
now to look- we must take fear.
tires, cars, metals of all sorts
are lying in the rivers and streams.
let's pick them up and get them clean.

they are sinking battleships in the oceans
and they claim it's to make reefs?
take these ships and recycle the metal
to be used for our future generations.
if you don't want retaliation.

scientists are already seeing
that in a few more years, we won't be breathing.
we are taking all the oxygen from the air.
is'nt that something that we should 'fear'

pollution has gotten so heavy and thick
that's whats making the public sick.
it's time to turn this earth around
so future generations can be found.

let all the politicians know today
that we want to live a better way.

louis rams

Prayers Have Wings You Know

prayers have wings you know
it takes its time and moves slow
but each and every prayer is heard
though you may not hear a word.

the prayers are taken by our guardian angels
to the lord up above
who reads each one with caring and love.
he then puts it in the order received
and then satisfies every ones needs.

so when you say your prayers, day or night
it never leaves gods hearing or sight.
he is there to satisfy our needs
as long as we don't get that greed.

prayers (do) have wings you know
they do not stay in that place called limbo
where they can't be reached.

they are sometimes put in a box
that says incoming mail.
on this the angels do not fail.

so with this thought in mind
i'll leave you untill next time

louis rams

Presidential Stand

the world economy has gotten out of hand
president OBAMA is the first to take a stand.
he told the republicans: i will do whatever
i have to do 'with or without you'.
we can not stand idlely by and see our nation die.
there will be controversy on what will
and what will not work. but if we do nothing
to help the economy.
'it will show we failed in our history'.

the president has problems galore
and different solutions he has in store.
he is doing what no president has done before.
by grabbing the bull by the reins
and riding it all the way.
will he fall or will he stay?

we must help him make the corral smaller
so that he does not fall to the ground.
then no solutions will be found.

our nation and all the world is watching him
and if we don't help, it's a crying sin.
what will it take for this nation to see
he's the first black president in our history.
it seems like he's fighting a losing battle
with very little support from his peers.
who are still living in fear.

the politicians think:
what if i help and it does'nt work?
i will be the political jerk. i will get so much slack
and there won't be any turning back.
but! if his plans do succeed, on his plans i can feed.
i can ride the waves to the top, and knowing that i will not flop.
the public always remembers the bad
and very rarely the good.
either way it will go into our history books.
of the stands that we took.

i would prefer to be remembered as the afterthought
briefly in their minds, rather than not at all.
because i did'nt have the gall
to stand up for something thats right
and help him to continue the fight.
so it is up to all of us, and 'in him we'll put our trust'.
no one person can do it all by themselves
and we know this very well.

for everything that he has fought
as politicians we should all give our support.
we must do whatever it takes

to help the country, before it's too late.

louis rams

Prisoner Of Your Love

i was a captive of your heart
a prisoner of your love.

like a prisoner i was whipped and beat
tied to your love, hands and feet.

i found myself tied and gagged
 and i could not speak
for my voice was much to weak.
so i gave in to all that you would do.
because i was so much in love with you.

you took my love and like a doctor
dissected my heart, separated it
and pulled it apart.

you wanted to see all its functions
and how it would relate to you
and if i would leave you
lonely, sad and blue.

once you saw that my heart was true
and that there was nothing inside
that would want to hurt you.
you accepted my love and untied my chains
for you had so much to gain.

you gave into me as the day
gives in to the night.
so i took your heart and
we soared into flight

our hearts was on the wings of a dove
showing the world how true our love.

louis rams

Purpose To Life

dear lord! you know that i don't often pray.
but! i have so much to say.
i thank you for all that you have done for me.
that you have set my heart free.

you give a purpose in this life-and a desire to help others.
friend, family, sister and brothers.
   help me to search my own heart and to know what
i must do. to get even closer to you.

it seems that when we sit and write
everything is in plain sight.
we can put in words-what people want to hear
  if you are willing to share.

all your dreams, hopes and prayers
that can take you to a place beyond compare.

louis rams

Restoration Of Faith

the restoration of faith and undying love
was given to us from the lord above.
this restoration will be everlasting.

jesus then said: the same way that god has given it to me
i will give it to thee.
i will restore in you-the father, the son, the holy ghost
this is the gift you will treasure thr most.

for if you are pure in mind and deed
whatever you do you will succeed.
faith in me and faith in god
is the restoration from the start
and it begins with your heart.

so open up your mind and hear what i say
you had this from the very first day
of when you was baptized with water
to erase mortal sin
and over the devil you would win.

this is the restoration that i give to you
hold it dear- hold it true.

12/14/08

louis rams

Rewarding Time

the most rewarding time in life
is when i could sit and write
i write about things that were and things that can be
if i let my mind run free
and this is what came to me.

looking for someone who really cares
deceit and corruption is every where
it can be found from the highest
hill to the lowest ground.
at every turn-just look around.

when you look at the news every day
another politician has gone astray
they go with people who can line their pockets
and when they're hooked
they pull out their eyesockets.

families are torn apart
and thats just the start.
because the loved ones did not
fill their hearts with greed
it was just an implanted seed.

the seed of corruption and despair
.is spreading out everywhere.

you'll see it in politics, sports, buisnesses.
and even in the churches, and schools
for this is becoming the golden rule.

this is what comes to me, and this is what i see.
all of them are living in pure hypocrisy.

louis rams

Rights Of Mankind

sometimes we run across things in life
that we don't understand.
that is when we ask for GODS hand.

like what is the purpose of war?
and what are we dying for?
  we see people dying every day.
some by accident, and many become prey.
prey to the gangs, the criminals, the predators too.
so what in the world, are we supposed to do?

we put our faith in the laws that we have created
but! most of these laws are a bit belated.
this is when we ask the LORD for his guiding hand
to make us strong, and to take a stand.

we gain knowledge in every way
with each and every passing day.
little bits of information, here and there.
that we pass along for others to share.

the young people say that they have no life
how could they, when they always fight.
  this is the world that we live in
full of crime, full of sin.

we have the opportunity
to change all this, by taking control
of our destiny.

'that is how it's got to be.'

let's open the road to communication
and talk with friends, family, relations.
    let us become a family of one
fighting for the right of all mankind.

'don't you think that it is time?

louis rams

Saint Or Death?

i see him coming down the road
in his hand a sickle he holds.
he is dressed in a long black robe
torn and tattered and mighty old.
he is coming with a smile upon his face
his arms outstretched in an unfriendly embrace.
there is blood dripping from his sickle
and for your life, it's not worth a plumb nickel.

she started to scream in horror and dismay.
why are you here? please go away!

HE SAID: i can not leave for i have come for you
to GOD and life, you was untrue.
you turned your back on your family
when they tried to help you the most.
you went to church and denied the HOST.
you claimed that everything in your life was taken away
and to GOD you would not pray.
you stormed out of church with bitterness in your heart
grabbed your bible and tore it apart.
you said that GOD had taken your child
and living was not worth while.
YOU TOLD GOD:
this child of mine was of young age
you took, and put him into his final stage.
WHAT DID MY CHILD DO? WHY DID YOU TAKE HIM AWAY?
he left the house to go and play.
why did'nt you stop the car that ran him down?
the man did'nt live here, he was from out of town.

a hit and run driver is what they said
they still have'nt caught him, of which i dread.
they say he left the country that very day
changed his passport and ran away.

SHE TURNED TO THE GRIM REAPER AND SAID!
so if you come to take me away, with my child i will stay.

HE SAID: the child is in heaven now, sitting up
there with a golden crown.
he is playing with all the boys and girls
who have left this earthly world.
you will not see him, for you have 'DENIED GOD'
and lost the faith that you had
which makes your child very sad.

your heart was once full of compassion
helping others and taking action.
now your heart is as cold as can be.
you won't see your son until you're set free.
look at all the family and friends here on earth

you're still young and you could give birth.
accept the fact that your son is gone
but his memory will linger on.
he is with you every step of the way
and there's a message that he wants to say:
mother! i am happy here! there is no sickness, no hate,
no time, just faith.
all of us children are here with wings
and to us, that's a good thing.
become the person that you was meant to be.
living in peace and harmony.
as the vision of her son dissappeared
a warmth filled her every pore
and the bitterness she had no more.
she told him:
i do not want to go with you.
there are so many things that i have to do.
the LORD is giving me another chance
to bring another life into this world
and that it'll be a baby girl.
so preparations i must make, for i have so much at stake.
are you really the shadow of death?
or just a spirit that was sent for a test.?

he smiled and turned and walked away
but in her mind, he will stay.

louis rams

Save The Children

Save the children

Look around you and what do you see
Death, destruction, and misery.
It is not much that they ask
It is gods will and part of our task.
Save the children and let them be free
To live their lives as we.
Give them hope- don’t let them despair
Give them a helping hand and show them that we care.
As their elders we are supposed to teach them what’s right.
Give up your arms- give up the fight.
For when we are gone the problems will still be there
Affection and love is still very dear.
Save the children and let them see
That they no longer have to live in the worlds misery.
Hungry for food and hungry for love
The bird of peace is the snow white dove.
They are hiding in mountaintops and trembling with fear
Not seeing love and showing no tears.
They learn to live in this country torn apart
And in the process they lose their heart.
Is this the way we want our children to be
Grownups fighting and butchering one another
Mother, wife, sister, and brother.
Save the children is all god asks

louis rams

Searching Deep

she put motion in my heart
and poetry in my soul
and through her love,
life began to unfold.

  she showed me the
beauty that can lie ahead.
if you only clear your head.

clear your head to things that can be
if you set your heart and soul free.
so i searched deep into myself
for all that was locked up inside.
feelings and emotions that i wanted to hide.

what i found was a surprise in me
a love as deep as the ocean
and as wide as the sky.
enough to spread to everyones eyes.

and now with your eyes wide open
i know now that this is your time.
    so open up yourself the same as me
and let all your emotions fly free.

this will only happen when you're searching deep
and in the process your soul you reach.

louis rams

Searching For Religion

searching for religion that i lost when i was young
searching for religion when i thought i did'nt have none.
the LORD came to me in a special way
i could'nt fight it and did'nt have much to say.

it came slowly like a caterpillar climbing a tree
and was instilled in the heart of me.
i felt the beauty in me start to grow
like the sunshine of the day.touching me in such a way.

just like the sun which fills the sky
my heart was joyous and full of pride.
i felt such a warm glow inside
something which i could not hide.

like a geyser coming out of the ground
this was the religion that i finally found.
now i know it will forever stay
for i found a better way.

seeing the strength of the LORDS might
keeping it always in my sight.
following the path which i know will be
leading me to my destiny.

so this i say to my fellow man
keep the faith, it's in your hand.

louis rams

Set Me Free

i saw you and i gasped for air
you turned your back, you did not care.

it did not matter that i was like a fish
out of the water,
 gasping to be back where it belonged
for i was weak, and you was strong.

is this the way love is meant to be?
then if it is, set me free.

louis rams

Snow Flakes

as i look out of my window i see snow flakes
blowing all around landing gently on the ground.
the falling flakes set my heart all aglow.
as it makes a blanket of pure white snow.
creating such a beautiful sight.

the snow just like a heart can be gentle to the touch
yet! cold as ice.
if you plan on playing with it you better think twice.
the heart is the most complex part of the human body
it controls the entire anatomy.

so as the snow trickles down and creates a picture of purity.
and its coldness touches my bones
in my heart grows the warmth of a fire
with all of its desire.
to melt the coldness in your heart
just so you could see.
even the coldest of hearts can belong to me.

but when you want true beauty look up to the sky.
it is not the snow flakes coming down
but the love of god which is all around.

louis rams

Space In The Workplace

i gave up my space in the workplace.
economic struggles and despair
are being seen everywhere.
retirement used to be somthing seen
and with this economy it's just a dream.

you work hard all your life
and go through the struggles and strife.
just to see your dreams shattered
and to the politicians it does'nt matter.
they've already lined their pockets
with corruption and graft
and thought forever it would last
and now that will be part of the past.

there is a new sheriff in town
and he won't let his guard down
he has seen enough from people he met
and now he is out to get
all those who have accepted bribes and kickbacks
and he won't ease up the slack.

this space in the workplace that we have lost.
to the politicians will be an expensive loss.

now that the people have gotten up and spoken
this chain of corruption will be broken.

so to these politicians i say 'beware'
you better run and hide in fear.

the economy will get better, this i know
but! it will be going very slow.

so till then we'll have to tighten the belt
for this is something we all have felt.

louis rams

Spiders Web

my friends all told me to take care
for my heart you would tear.
but i was so infatuated with you
that i just did'nt see it through.

all i saw was the beauty in your face
and the depth in your eyes.
i did not think it was a disguise.
just like a spider, you caught me in your web
and you got deep inside my head.

you made me believe all your lies
and took me in like a fool, i can't deny.

just like a spider you drained me
and left me weak. to the point i could'nt speak

for you it's a treat, this web of deceit
you hid your lies all so well
you put me in a living hell.
all the dreams i had of you
they seem to have fallen thru.

and now that i have gained my strength
i am all HELL BENT.
i will see you fall from the web that you built.
and of all the hearts you killed.

you will fall to the floor
and i will have settled the score.

louis rams

Strength Within

i felt the LORDS power within the first hour
with a strength that swelled up in me.
i broke those chains and set myself free.
those chains that seem to drag you down
and it becomes a heavy crown.

HE gave me the will and a strong desire
to fight the problems that affect all men
and women in this world.
to try to save all the boys and girls.

we instill strength or weakness into our children
and then we watch them grow.
'reap what you sow'.

is what comes into my mind.
but! it stays with them for the longest of time.

we are the elders, we are the caretakers
of all the children that come into this world.
they are our oysters, they are our pearls.

as the sea protects all that is in their waters
we have to create this same order.
surround them with all the love that we have
to give, for in this world that's all there is.

i have a thought that always comes into my mind.
the same way that a womans pregnancy protects
this child in a womb filled with water
and the seas protect all life in its womb
why then do we create a tomb?

why are we letting our children die?
and we don't even get up to try
to save all that god has created
they are not like a card which is sent belated.

(they are us, and we are them)
we were the children who have been protected
from all the harm and misery.
is'nt that the way life should be? .

we are the strength within each child
let us sit and teach them for a while.
our lives are numbered, that much i know
is selfishness the way to go? .

louis rams

Sweet Revenge

all alone i have cried
wiping teardrops from my eyes.
hiding the pain that i'm in
wondering if in love, i'll ever win.

i fell in love with you from the start
then you went and broke my heart.
  they say that you took me for a ride
it seems on that, i can't deny.

my question to you would be 'why me'?
what have i done for you to treat me this way?
what did i do? what did i say?

you know the feelings that i had locked up inside.
  for my heart was an open book
and inside it, you took a look.
you found my weaknesses, my heartaches, and despairs
hurting me 'you did not care'.

now there's a thought brewing in my mind.
  i could play this game the same as you
but i'm going to carry it all the way through.
you hurt me, without me knowing why
now it'll be your turn to cry.

it was six months ago this very day
that with my heart, you did play.
  they tell me that you're engaged to wed
but with him, you will not bed.

for i had set him up with a date
and you will lose him, it is your fate.
you will catch him with another
while you're shopping with your mother.

he will go with her to a hotel room
and you'll bust him really soon.
   you will feel the pain that i had felt.
this is the hand to you i dealt.

(revenge can be sweet, or a misguided feat)

louis rams

Teach

softly we walk this earth
when we die, we become the dirt.
so while we live, we must learn to share.
and show others that we care.

we must live our lives and take control.
before we begin to lose our soul.
when we go to church to pray
we must ask the LORD for another day.

to try to get our lives on track
and on evil 'turn our back'
   the children are our future
'is this all we have to give '?

if we don't teach them
how are they going to live?

teach! as the apostles taught all others
teach! as if there was no others
teach! so that our children could see
that there is a future beyond you and me.

louis rams

Teen Dream Come True

it was a summer nights dream, not a cloud to be seen
the sky a beautiful orange red
i saw you and i thought that i was dead.

then a vision came into my eyes
the vision was of you and i.
and the tears came down like the rain from the sky
not even thinking or knowing why.
i was attracted to you like bees to honey
it seemed strange- it seemed funny.

then i recalled the first time that i saw you:
i was walking to school with my friends that day
you was with your friends walking the opposite way.
our eyes met and neither one of us
could pull our gaze away.
i wanted to chase and talk to you
but i did'nt know what to say.

it's five years later and we are young adults now
and i still could'nt make a sound.
so you walked over to me with a smile so wide
that i became hypnotized.

hi! my name is venus, and i remember you from school.
you walked by and i played the fool.
i could'nt speak, i stood transfixed at the way our eyes met
and it still haunts me yet.
there was so many things that i wanted to say
but you continued to walk away.
now i'm older and no longer shy.
would you like to sit with me and have a glass of wine?

still speechless- i shook my head.
then the words rose to my throat.
'i always thought of you' i started to boast.
you captured my heart on that very first day
and there was so many things that i wanted to say.

your eyes had pulled me in like
a whirlpool in the ocean, and set all my feelings in motion.
i thought of you night and day
but did'nt know from where you came.
i searched every hallway and each classroom
but you was gone much too soon.

she said: i was tranferred from school that very day
but to the LORD i did pray.
that i would see you again, and that we'd be more than friends.
if we could just sit and talk, and learn about each other
for in my heart there was no other.

we reached across the table and our hands touched
for the first time, and our bodies started to
shake and quiver, and chills running up and
down our spines.
she knew i was hers, and she was mine.

embarassed, because we thought that people had saw
the way that we reacted.
we grabbed hands and ran out the door.
to once again face the beautiful orange red sky
and knew this was a love sublime.

louis rams

Teenage Love

two teenagers so in love.
their hearts beating in
unison, one with the other.
and would not listen to their father or mother.

they felt that their love would conquer all.
and tear down any wall.

it did not matter what anyone
would say, and their minds they could not sway.

they had repeatedly heard that ' love could be blind'
but their love was one of a kind.
now in school they taught the golden rule
but to her ' she was no fool'.

she knew what could lie ahead
and that she could not sit back
or lie in bed.

so determined for their love to succeed
that they pushed themselves to get a degree
they both studied day and night
and would not give up this relentless fight.

three years later they had acheived their goal
and from then life started to unfold.

he became a doctor, and she a teacher
and now, no one could reach her.

a year later a child came
and they knew that life would never be the same.

but she proved that teenage love can survive
if you just give it a try.

and if you was to ask them, if they
would do it again.
their reply would be ' you betcha friend'.

louis rams

Tender

tender is the heart, that tosses and turns
tender is the heart that wants to learn
tender is the heart that you see
tender are the hearts of you and me
tenderly i look in your eyes
tenderly i see the fire rise
tenderly i touch your face
tenderly i feel your embrace

your love has fallen into a tender touch
and that is the reason i love you so much.
now with all the tenderness i give
i know that our love will live.

louis rams

Tender Elders

the sky was a beautiful aqua blue
i was happy just to sit next to you.
we watched the birds in the trees
whistling their tunes in harmony
we felt the sun beating on our faces
and the sound of the ocean waves
beating against the shore.
as if in tune with the birds melody
it was a sight to see.
we decided to walk along the beach
and hold hands as lovers often do
when a thought came to you.
'we're not as young as we used to be
so let's see if you can catch me.'
you kicked off your shoes and started to run
but the sand was hot from the sun.
you could not run as fast as you used to.
so it was easy to catch up to you.
we fell to the sand in laughter.
this is what we was after.
reflections and thoughts of the past.
something we knew would not last.
we got back up and walked again.
i was her lover and she was my friend.

louis rams

The Abuser

it does not matter if you're male or female
in the mind of a abuser
they will always prevail.
   when you allow the abuse from the start
in you life, it becomes a part.

whether it's verbal or physical, it matters not
you let it start, and it won't stop.
the verbal can be more damaging than the physical
because it becomes daily.

like a sculptor chipping away at its mold
until it becomes the way that they want it to be.
and if you don't stop it
you will never be free.

they do it because of their own inadequacy.
which is something that their mind won't see.
        how much abuse should you take
before it becomes much to late?

the verbal abuser will always put you to the ground
and expect you to not make a sound.
they will tell you that you was put here to serve.
and to make a move, you have no nerve.

that you must obey their every command
and that you are the scum of the land.
   if you have no - or low self esteem
it is something which will be seen.

and when an abuser has you in their sight
no matter what you do, it won't be right.
STOP the abuse, before it's too late.
for this can not be your destined fate.

the verbal abuse will always start first
then from there, it will get worse.
    YOU must walk away, so that they can see
a victim you will not be.

(abuse is like a broken tool, it could damage whatever is good)

louis rams

The Almighty Pen

the pen is mightier than the sword
and stronger than the mightiest men.
   with the pen petitions can be signed
it can be accepted, or it can be declined.

the people on death row with no where to go.
they know that the pen can set them free
or put them to death instantly.

you can write your name
or get the autograph of someone of fame.
there are so many things that the pen can do
it all depends on you.

the declaration was written with a pen
the signatures of all those famous men.

for centuries the pen has been used and abused.
it's been used for good and for bad
for happy times, and for sad.
  it's been used for letters of love
hate, bitterness, and faith.

the pen and all its glory
always telling the perfect story.

for such a little thing that fits in your hand
it is known through out all lands.
   all my poetry is written with a pen
and to me he is the perfect friend.

louis rams

The Angels Came Calling

the angels came calling on this
beautiful and glorious day.
as i turned my face to look the other way.
to see the reflections of my life gone by.

i saw every second of every minute of every day
all the words i had spoken
and things i had to say.

(this was the moment of truth and consequence)

the angels came calling
to show me what my life had been.
how i broke so many rules
and harbored so many sins.

i tried to convince myself
that my life was very good.
but! i stand by myself
as most sinners should.

i closed off my heart to all
the voices that surrounded me.
telling me of their aches and pains.
now i sit here crying
holding my head in shame

the angels are here to show me
that' i still have a chance you see'
to turn my life around
and follow the word of GOD.
he is willing to help me
and get a brand new start.

the angels are the lords messengers
and they carry his word to us
so if you want to survive
in HIM you put your trust.

louis rams

The Bond

i was laying on the beach
feeling the rays of the sun.
children all around me
dancing and having fun.

when the sun was blocked from view
i opened my eyes so that i could see.
and there was the shadow of someone
staring down at me.

as my eyes started to focus
on the person blocking the sun
i saw a figure like i had never seen before.
nor will i ever more.

the hour glass shape
and her hair so dark
this was love at the start
.
from that moment on
i knew that she was the one for me.
she turned me around and sent me
to the height of ecstacy.

i stood up and searched for words to say
but all my thoughts just slipped away.

she was the one to break the ice.
and told me that she was a family friend
and that to my wishes she would tend.

she said that she was attracted
to me from the start
and of my life she wanted a part.

now every night that i pray
i thank the lord for that day
for love is the bond
love is the key
it is what sets us free.

louis rams

The Climber -MAREA JOHNSON

i ran across a poet who has a style just like me.
her first five poems that you read
 will show you what i mean.

she has a talent which will touch everyones
mind and soul.
she is the one, that in my dreams i was told.

she has a unique talent, and a flair all her own
she puts words together that will touch the coldest soul.
she will write stories that will be beyond compare
that is when- her poems she will share.

keep your eyes open and listen to what
she has to say.
for her poetry will definitly blow you away.

louis rams

The Creator

He made the universe with the wave of his hand
then decided to change the plan.
he made this planet of dirt and stone
but it could not be left alone.

He needed something to quench his thirst
from the ground water did burst.
he made this planet two thirds water
and put in creatures to complete the order.

He felt all that he created was a great plan.
then he decided to make man.
man was the most difficult challenge
of all his creations
for it had to be of great sensation.

man would live on all the creatures
that he created, in land, air, or sea.
to be able to think, with the brain
that they was given,
and control all life forms that was living.

He decided to give man a heart of gold
and then added a thing called soul.

he gave the heart a two fold purpose
one to live, and the other to feel
all sorts of different sensations.
then he added all the other spices
love, sorrow, jealousy, bitterness and hate.

but the strongest two was LOVE AND FAITH.
now that the heart was complete
he took the soul, and he did treat.
he treated it with all that he had put into
the mind and heart.
this is how we got our start.

now that all this was done
in the future he would give his SON.
His son may have many different names
but he is GOD just the same.

louis rams

The Cross

praise him in all his glory
for behind this is a story.
a story for all the world to see.
and how He set mankind free.

HE gave up his life so that we may live
and freed us of mortal sin.

nailed to the cross with just a loin cloth.
and how they gambled for his garments
with his blood and everything on it.

and when the sky turned completly black
everyone ran and turned their backs.

they did not have any idea
the power that this man possessed
until they put their faith to the test.

when he came back on the third day
you could hear everyone say
HE is truely the son of GOD
and i'll keep him in my heart.

he kept his word that he'd return
and to his words we would forever learn.
after the sighting of his reincarnation
believers gathered for a celebration.
and on that day the number of apostles grew
to better serve me and you.

now there are holy men in every nation
praying for our salvation.
    the cross that he was nailed to, still exists
but now it lives in our hearts
and has become a very big part
of the daily lives we live.
for the cross that we carry
is much different than his.

for we all have burdens and pains
that we must go through.
for that is the cross that we must bear,
and to the world our faith we share.

so carry this cross and hold your head up high
for he is looking down from the sky.

louis rams

The Final Word

while looking up at the stars in the sky
i saw a light flicker by.
i jumped up startled as to what it could be
so i searched the sky very slowly.
than high in the sky i saw that light
coming down slowly and getting bright.
it appeared to be a flight of steps coming down
and someone at the top not making a sound.
he slowly descended until i could see
that it was an angel with wings so large and white.
my-oh-my! what a sight.

and as he got to the bottom he said to me
  the lord sees so much suffering and aches and pains
and he is not the one to blame.
man has created this hell on earth
there are so many wars in different nations
this is only mans creations.
why can''t humanity see all it has done
that global warming is blocking the sun.
i have given you everything that you need to survive
but you choose to live a lie.
i gave you fruits and vegetables and grain and wheat
everything you need to eat.
i gave you water for thirst
sea creatures and land animals to feed your hunger
      did i make a blunder?
why can't you enjoy the fruits of life
and stop destroying the world i created.
with all your technology you still fail to see.
that this is not what was meant to be.
this world was created to give you all that you
could possibly want or need
but you choose your selfish greed
so before my angels start to depart
i tell you this'take heart'.
accept all that i have given you
before it destroys you.

louis rams

The Greatest Love

the greatest love this world has known
is a love that can't be shown.
it is the love from our GOD above.
   he created man and all that you see
gave us a heart and soul, and set us free.

unlike any other creatures of the earth
he gave us feelings and all its worth.
he put a universe above our heads
and the earth below our feet.
   gave us fruits and plants that we may eat.

he gave us water so that we could live
and other animals so that they could give.
give us the nourishment that we need
so on this world we could feed.

this is the greatest love that he could give.
you could feel his powers, it filled the air
 a sensation so great, it was beyond compare.

where ever he walked people followed
trying to fill their hearts, that were empty and hollow.
many walked like empty shells
while others walked with their
bodies, battered and broken
but with a love and faith in them
of which is still spoken.

his love for all mankind
will live throughout all time.

everything is possible if you BELIEVE
it is something that is daily seen.

louis rams

The Heart Is A Chapel

(the heart is a chapel, and the words, feelings
thoughts, ' are the people'
   you don't know what will come in
or leave thru those doors.
but! you are the pastor of this chapel
and you see only the goodness
that the LORD has given you.)

so you open those doors wide
for no one will be denied.

you hear and see the hurt and pain
and you know that it's a shame
that people can not see the beauties
but! just the misery.

this chapel will overcome anything
that comes its way.
   for it cannot be torn down, burned down
or layed to the ground.

for your LORD made it strong from the start
this is why he calls it the 'heart'.
  there will be a light so strong
and so bright
that it will brighten even the darkess night.

this chapel is a chapel of dreams
of things seen and unseen.

for the more that you have
hopes and aspirations

this will strengten the foundation.

it will make it stronger than its ever been
and repel all the sins.
   this is the chapel that the
LORD gave to us.
and in him, we put our trust.

a strong heart will always heal
for it is something that you cannot steal
or shape to your desire.

it is a growing fire, that will spread
to everything in its way
and get stronger day by day.

louis rams

The Heart Within

the sound of the heart
does it go thump, thump, or pitter patter?
i guess it really does'nt matter.

for a broken or crying heart
can not be heard beating in your chest
it tries to hide everything
to its very best.

it does not want the world to see
    ' its vulnerbility '.
but when you look into that persons eyes
you know that it does not tell a lie.

the pain is etched on their face, and the emotions
in the movement of their body
they know they can not hide it.

and as GOD will have it be
love sets the soul free.
so when you have a broken or crying heart
then it's time that you part.

part from the things that got you
to this point
and start your life anew
and forget the pain and solitude.

love is the key to all of life
it frees you from daily struggles and strife.
look at the moon beams covering this earth
showing the beauties and all its worth.

now picture the man who gave all
this to you.
HE had an aura, a glow around his frame
and HE held his heart, outside his chest
this heart beating without rest.

the heart was seperate from him
relieving us of the pains and sins.

so if the sound is thump, thump or pitter patter
it does'nt really matter.
HE gave his heart to you
just so you'll know what to do.

louis rams

The House Of The Lord

this is the house of the lord
where people come to pray
the house of the lord
where your problems are washed away

so i enter the doors, and there in plain sight
is my lord jesus
then i know everything is alright.
he makes me choke up with emotions
that i never felt before.
yet i know deep in my heart
it will be there forever more.

he comes into our hearts and makes the gloom disappear
and takes away our worries, and all our foolish fears.
so i give myself to him with every ounce
of strenght, knowing that when i walk out
i'll see a better day, and the joy will
fullfill me in a much better way.

now when i'm lonely and my mind seems to stray
i look at all the homeless children
who try to run away,
with no one to turn to and nowhere
for them to go, they turn to the church
because of the faith that had been bestowed.

this is the things that you find in the
house of the lord.
so i say to you with my head held high
he has the power of that there is no lie.

louis rams

The Letters

i had a problem on my mind,
the answer to which was hard to find.
i tossed and turned throughout the night
and a knot in my stomach, which i could not fight.
i layed in bed, just abiding my time
waiting for daylight to arrive.
morning finally did come, sleep i had gotten some.
  i got up out of bed, picked up the letter
that yesterday i had read.
there it was plain as day.
   'sweetheart i love you, but i can't stay.
i must find what i am destined to do.
even if i must hurt my family and you.
i do not want to have a regret on my mind
because i did'nt get up to try.
so i leave you with my heart in hand
it was'nt something that i had planned.
i know that it will hurt my family and you
for i am going through the same hurt too.
   you showed me all the beauties in the world
and i grew just like a pearl, but just like a pearl
i have to be shown and admired, and other
hearts, to be set on fire.
so i leave with tears in my eyes, and i must abide my time.
                'this is the letter that i had read.'
and my heart was torn and bled.
weeks went by without a word, and to her family
she was not heard.
     then i received a letter today, and in it she did say:

i searched the big cities and the towns
but the love i had gotten from all of you, was not to be found.
   i did find something that touched my heart
and in me, has become a big part.
the love of a blind child, who was born without sight
who touched my heart with so much might.
he touched my face with his hands, and pulled them back right away
and with that he did say:
i am blind and i can not see, but i feel so much
pain etched in your face, and you left loved
ones without a trace.
you left loved ones with your heart in your hands
and it's something that they can not understand.
  you left in search of something that you had all along
and that was a place that you could belong.
   i survive because of the love that is shown
and eyes i do not need to see, something that may be hurting me.
if you are searching for something more
then go help the NEEDY AND POOR.
they need love and comfort too, and they belong to me and you.
i turned from the child and AGAIN ran away.
then that night to the LORD i cried and prayed.

when i fell asleep that night, in my dream
all of you were in plain sight.
all of you were beckoning me home, and your broken
hearts were shown.
so i ask you on bended knees, help me with what i've seen.
help me to help the poor, for this is my destiny
of which i'm sure.

she came home and we did marry, and now my baby she carries.
we are helping all in need, for in her
GOD did plant the seed.

louis rams

The Lie

sitting and looking out at the cold night rain.
listening to it 'hit against my window pane'.
thinking about days gone by.
and how people choose to live a lie.
they claim to things they've never done
as if they were the only ones.
they fill their heads with all these lies.
what are they trying to hide?

all these thoughts go thru my mind
as i sit and wonder why.
why is it that some choose to live a lie
and not get up to even try.
at least try to achieve all that you dream
put it into your plans-put it into your scheme.
even if you don't achieve your goal.
you will have a clear mind and soul.
for the only one that you're lying to
look in the mirror-'it is you'.
even if

louis rams

THE LORDS WORDS

my words have been written for you to read
in my apostles i've planted the seeds..
read all the words they have to say
don't let anything make you sway.
for tommorrow may be your ' judgement day'.

i was sent to the world by my father
but! not to make man's life any harder.
 so that the world could confide in me
and their souls i could set free.

centuries from now this world will be a mess
and your beliefs will then be put to the test.
search your hearts and search your minds
for my words will last untill the end of time.

in the bible my life and words will be found
you just have to turn and look around.
people are turning to me every day
and on their knees they begin to pray.

so when you go to chuch to pray
there should be much for you to say.

pray for peace in this world
and to help the sick and poor
 pray for health and jobs
.and then pray for more.

all of this you could ask of me
and of this i shall set you free.

louis rams

The Lords Path

there is a choice that i must make
of which path that i should take.
i was shown the path that leads
to my death and destruction.

but! i must teach my fellow man
the life of a new construction.

the life of following the LORDS word
so it can be taught and heard.

seeing the path which ahead lies.
do i continue and give it a try?

is my faith strong enough
for this path is mighty tough.
so here i stand with choice in hand.
do i help my fellow man?

do i give up my life so that the
world could be free and follow this destiny?

or do i forget my fellow mans needs
of which my LORD had planted this seed.

this is the choice that HE has given to me.
to follow him so that other men could lead.

to lead mankind to the path of light
and be able to see all the LORDS might.

and now this question i propose to you
if you was me what would you do?

(we all know the choice he made, for our salvation)

louis rams

The Love

to kiss your lips-to touch your hair
to always feel your presence near
to see the smile upon your face
to hold you in a warm embrace
to sense the presence of your love
to feel you within me-giving me a start
and putting a glow in my heart.
to feel your breath upon my face
never leaving a sign or trace
of the feelings bottled up inside
and let it go before its time
this is what love should be
touching each other in perfect harmony.

louis rams

The Poets Pride **12/06/08**

you have put pride in my heart and love in my soul
letting out emotions that i can't control
  if my poems have inspired you to be the very best
then my poems have been put to the test.

for deep inside everyone-there is a voice that
   wants to be heard.
just like the singing of a mocking bird.
this voice comes from deep within
  and like the bird it wants to sing.

if people were to listen to the feelings locked up inside
  they would not have anything to hide.
for through our words we are set free.
  of all our worries and despairs
and wipes away all our cares.

even if it is for a short while, we become like the
bird flying high in the sky.
  we leave the aches and pains on the ground below
and release all emotions that we know.

as we come back to the realities that we left behind
  the burdens have dissappeared and a sense
of well being fills our hearts.
  to give us a brand new start.

this is the poets pride-and i am happy to say
  it has affected people in many a way.

louis rams

The Resurection

the resurection of JESUS has come into my life.
yet! what i see is different from what you might see.
  he made the ultimate sacrifice for his GOD up above.

but while on this earth, he showed us his love.
  look upon his face while on the cross
he was crying for humanity.

his arms outstretched to tell us the LORDS word
must be spread from one corner of the earth
to the other.
HIS feet nailed together to tell us
that we must unite as one.

the holes in his hands and feet
is the depth of his love for us.
  HE showed us to believe in something
that we could not see.

that belief has come with our baptism.
and when i see CHRIST on the cross
my love deepens even more.

to see the sacrifice that he made for you and me
and through his love, he set us free.

  as he was taken down from the cross
and put into the tomb.
GOD began to heal his wounds.

just as GOD took seven days to make the earth
he took three days to bring CHRIST back to us.
so we could see the love he has for you and me.

he showed the apostles and the people
who did'nt believe
that his son would live through eternity.

louis rams

The Rose

the rose is a beauty to behold
it is loved by most women on this earth
is it because the rose is like a woman?
when it opens up and spreads its petals
it shows the beauty within and the softness to the touch.
yet just like a woman it has its thorns to protect its beauty.
so is the woman who has been betrayed-she will never be the same
she will protect the beauty like a spider protects its web.

so this is what i see.

the beauty of a woman which is locked up inside
will bloom like a rose with nothing to hide.
her beauty will be admired by men of all nations
they'll try to get to her to feel the sensation.
the sensation of knowing she is the one
    who could raise the setting sun.
so as men we have to take care
for once we get into their hair
they'll be no way of turning back
until she combs her hair and loosens up the slack.
she will have us like a spider has its web
and suck us dry until we're dead.
but! what a wonderful death it will be
as long as we live in harmony.

louis rams

The Sacrifice

i deamt that i was on top of a hill.
but this hill was just floating in space
it had no begining and no end
i was without family or friends-just loneliness surrounding me.
the pain i felt was so great-that i decided to jump off into space.
and as i was falling i was looking up.
when i saw what appeared to be-a long rubber hand
reaching out to me.-and when i felt myself falling far
he grabbed me like a little toy car.
i started to think-what can this be?
is it an alien reaching for me
or is this just gods outstretched hand
letting me know where i stand.
then the thought came to me-this is just like a baby
floating in its mothers womb.
waiting for it to be set free-and to give us all the love
it can-and live in this promised land..
this land of human sacrifice between a husband and his wife.
to sacrifice all that they can give-just so that
this child could live.
this sacrifice has to be great-for in god they put their faith.
so from this womb out i came
a child born with no name.
but thru their love i arrived-just in the nick of time.

louis rams

The Seductress

all her life, by men she had been put down
she tried so much to smile, but could only frown.
she was beautiful, but men could not see
'that she had a rare quality'.

they took advantage, because she was soft spoken
and her heart was always broken.
she decided that a profession she must seek
and that she must reach the highest peak.

she decided a teacher she would become.
in her mind: ' better than her, there was none'.

she graduated with the highest marks
and in the best school she got her start.
and at the age of twenty two
she had done all that she could do.

then when the new term started,
she became open hearted.
she started to teach her students
one on one, and found herself under the gun.

in her class, a fourteen year old arrived
and she started to visualize
his eyes so blue, his hair so black
from her teaching, it did distract.

the more she taught, the more she fought
all the pent up feelings inside
to the point that she did'nt hide.
she started to get closer to him
knowing that she was commiting a sin.

he responded like any young teenage boy would do
and told her: i want to get closer to you.
she let him touch her pounding breast
and from there you could imagine the rest.

soon it spread throughout the school
that she had broken the golden rule.

then the school board found it out
and the public became aware
that with a minor she could not share
all the things that she learned in life.
she got pregnant and became his wife.

his parents she did know
but to jail she did go.
now that she's out, and has child number two
he does' nt know just what to do.

but he had gotten his education
and that may be his salvation

louis rams

The Servant

here i am LORD, a servant in your hand
please help me LORD, to make me understand.
my heart is crying out to you
with all my aches and pains
will it continue, will i ever be the same.

i feel your presence all around, and i know
that there are angels to be found.

but when i'm feeling lonely
and full of despair, will my angels be there
to wipe away my fears?

we are all your children, and like a child
i have to feel the warmth of your embrace
to look into your eyes, and see your smiling face.

HE SAID: i will always love and protect you
and never turn you away
for you are in my heart, and forever you will stay.
    i am the one who gave you life
and there's a journey that you must take.

there are hungry children and many lives are at stake.
but this is a decision- that in your heart you must make.

there will be dangers, and many mountains
that you must climb.
spreading the word of the gospel
and you have'nt got much time.

people are not only hungry for food to eat
or even water to bathe their feet.
they are looking for hope.
and i have chosen you.
will you help me? the choice is up to you.

here i was thinking of myself, and what i was going through.
with so much suffering, i knew what i had to do.
i gathered myself up, and looked up to the sky, and said:

i don't even have part of your strength
but i will surely try, i will spread
your word, and that there is no lie.

here i am LORD, a servant in your hand
and i will spread your word LORD
the only way i can.

your teachings are in my poetry
for you have inspired me
this is how i could spread your word

it's the only way i see.

SO NOW I ASK ALL OF YOU.
IF YOU WAS IN MY SHOES
 WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

louis rams

The Ship Of Hearts

what is the ship of hearts you ask me!
it is a ship where the hearts roam free.

where all the hearts gather to tell what's the matter.
to speak of loves lost and loves found
and of loves on the rebound.

they will have their conferences of each heart
and how it got its start.
each will speak of what they've gone through
and how to stop it from happening to you.

each heart will have a tale, and how it did fail.
every heart had suffered pain
and the experiences that they had gained.

they will talk of how they gave their heart
and it was torn apart.
so now they gather on this ship
and try to save the hearts thats ripped.

ripped and torn and thrown to the side
and how 'out of this hole, they did climb'.
for no matter what they go through
there will always be someone to
fall in love with you.

so these hearts gather their strength
and learn to fight till the very end.
and on this ship, they now gather as one
and with all this power combined
these tattered heart will all be fine.

(power to the heart of man)

louis rams

The Soul

the beauty of the day
washes my troubles away
seeing the sun up above
and the sky clear blue

always' reminds me of you'

the smile on your face
radiating the beauty within
and the depth in your eyes
just pulling me, like a rip current..
   deeper and deeper i go
until i reach your very soul.

then your soul absorbs my entireity
shoots me out and sets me free.

sets me free to see all the
beauty that you have inside
a beauty which i can't deny.

there is nothing in this world
with which your beauty to compare

now that i found you i will not share.

you have taught my soul to fly
of that there is no lie.

   now i am high above the ground
my heart hears all the sounds.

the sound of broken hearts, and lost souls
and tears that fall to the floor.

never to be heard evermore.

for teardrops dry up like the rain
and you lose all your pain.

because of you i have found
the beauty of a soul.

and in love you lose control.

louis rams

The Stalker

first came the obsession stage
then their mind became full of rage.
it does not matter if they're man or woman
for it is the same, their obsession becomes a game.

it usually starts off as admiration or a desire
to be with a person who has sparked their fire.
they start to fantasize every day
and how in their lives, the role they'll play.

it starts off simply as becoming their mate
and when that fails it turns to hate.
but in their minds all they could see
is that it's a love 'between her/he and me.

they feel that it's their heart, thats in control
and that it will touch the others soul.
they can not see that they are obsessed
with an inner desire, and that they are
not a knight in shining armour.

soon their mind and actions become as one
then they may reach for a gun.
for in their mind they belong together
and that their lives will be much better.
but when they realize that they've been rejected
than their minds become more infected.

from here on they no longer become a talker
instead they change their hat to a STALKER.
they will follow the person all around
in hopes that they will have a chance
to be their savior, and then looked upon in favor.

they have no concept of the hurt that they create
and the fears that they put a person through.
but in their minds, thats not what they do.

they were put here to enter that persons life
to become their husbands or their wives.
in their minds, they can do no wrong
for their love is much too strong.

fear the STALKERS- for they know not what they do
don't let them get close to you.

louis rams

The Sun Will Rise

The sun will rise

As sure as the sun will rise, and the moon will set
The faith in the LORD will get better yet.
You will see things that you may have seen before.
And in your mind, will live forever more.
A smile from a child, with whom you sat and spoke.
The money that you gave to a homeless person
Who said they was hungry and broke.
A family at a fun park taking in the sights
And their child screaming, and holding their daddy tight.
These little insignificant things, that we
Normally don't think about.
But when we see them, we start to jump and shout.
We see a rocket that is shot out into space.
Supposedly! To help the human race.
We see a flower open up, and its petals all aglow
Reaching for the sun, and putting on a show.
As sure as "the sun will rise", and bring in a brand new day
You will see the smiles of the children
Who all run out to play.
Think about the feelings, and what you feel inside
And if it's a feeling that you really want to hide.
Don't you feel a sense of joy and contentment, when you
Look at all that GOD has made, and if you turn your back
You will forever live in shame.

louis rams

The Task

all my life i searched for my true love
god chose you.
he knew that it would not take long
for our love to grow strong.

he knew that just like a fish needs water
and a flower needs rain.
you would be here to take away my pain.
he knew that you would melt my heart
and give love a brand new start.

so he gathered the stars from the skies
the brightness of a full moon.
the beauty of a cloudless sky
to love from here until i die.

and to complete his beautiful task
he showed us that a love could last.
by taking bits of your heart and not letting it tear apart.
but spread those bits far and wide
so that it could live until the end of time
he knew once the seed was planted
true love would be granted.

louis rams

The Test

as sure as the sun rises in the east-and sets in the west
my love for you is just a test.
a test to see if my heart is true
a test to see if i deserve you.
a test to see if my love will rise to the occassion.
and feel the sensation.
the sensation of being with you-is all i want to do.
for true love is hard to find.
it is classified as 'devine.'

louis rams

The Thoughts Of Mary

there is a joy deep inside
a feeling that i just can't hide
a child that is inside of me
yearning to be free.

i know this child will be big and strong
for it is here where he belongs
  he will touch every heart
and give people a brand new start.

in those eyes we will see
everything that is meant to be
for he is the one that will set man free.

he will go through aches and pains
just so that we can gain
a faith that we all have deep inside
a faith that wants to make us cry.

he will teach the world you see
not to live in hypocrisy.
  to show your feelings to one another
and not to be ashamed
for' no one feeling' is the same.
  we are all individuals you see
that's the way it was meant to be.

louis rams

The Uprising

throughout the world there is civil war and unrest.
peoples patience being put to the test.
how much more can they take
before it becomes much too late.

when will these countries open up their eyes
and listen to the peoples battle cry.
what will it take for these countries to see
that they need unity.

clean up your own home, before it's too late
and let the people gain your faith.

don't destroy all their dreams
show a spark of light, that can be seen.

feed the hungry and help the poor
listen to their voices and hear their shouts
this is what humanity should be about.

eighty percent of the populations
is low to middle class
and if this continues, that number will not last.

people are tired, and they gather in crowds
hear the whispers, fear the sounds.
as politicians and leaders of nations
hear the rumbles, feel their sensations.

they are tired of being pushed around
and are willing to tear your lives to the ground.

so open your eyes, before it's too late
and help save the human race.

louis rams

The Vision

getting ready to go to bed
a vision came into my head
the vision was quite blurry
so i tried to hurry.

fearful that i might fall
to my wife i did call
as she came running to me
the vision became clear as can be

it was the face of MOTHER MARY
telling me that her son was in pain
seeing all the suffering and all the shame.
the shame that mankinds faith is dwinderling.

and the economy is creating so many doubts
and now is the time to put the doubt out.
so he is coming to rekindle the faith
that seems to be lost
by opening their hearts to a new beginning.
and to show you that through him you are winning.

he has never given up on you
and that's what we should do.
and as this vision started to fade
in me- a new heart was made.

and now that he has rekindled my life
i'll go to bed with my wife
and sleep as comfortable as can be
for i know he's always with me.

i praise the LORD up above
for he has eternal love.
he will never let me down
for he has turned my life around.

louis rams

This Ring

this ring is a token of my love, sent from heaven above.
you came into my life when things were going wrong
and everything in my life seemed bleak.
you lifted up my spirit higher than its ever been before
and with this you opened up my door.
the door to my heart had been closed tight
always with darkness and never with light.
you reminded me that there are two sides to every coin
and that everything can not be one sided.
and with my heart i tried to hide it.
just like a ring which is round-love can always be found.
like a ring - life has a starting point and an end
if mistreated it will bend.
so i give you this ring of love
forged and strenghtened by gods hand from above.
this ring will not tarnish or fade, but will glow more every passing day.
until it fills your heart ever so bright
and this i promise will be your guiding light.
so keep this ring as a token of my love
for just like a star in the sky
my love for you will never die.

louis rams

Thread sofetly

thread softly my love.
thread softly my sweet
for you have made my life complete.

in you i can see all the love that is meant to be.
you have captured my heart and soul.
you have captured everything that i hold.

in you i finally see-that our love is meant to be.
so thread softly my sweet
for my heart is beneath your feet.

louis rams

Thru His Eyes

thru his eyes i see the light
thru his eyes i feel his might
thru his eyes we feel his love
coming from the lord above
thru his eyes i can see
the life that was meant to be.
full of joy and ecstacy
i open up my heart and mind
just to see his love divine.
thru his eyes i see the world the way that it should be
the trees, the sky, the ocean blue
these were given to me and you
he shows us the love thats in our hearts.
don't let bitterness tear us apart.
when things don't seem to go your way
this is when we tend to stray.
thru his eyes i know i can
give my neighbor a helping hand.
thru his eyes everything is clear
thru his eyes i have no fear.

louis rams

Time

it seems that 'time'catches up to us quick
we can't fight it or beat it with a stick
so we will accept the fact that we are getting older
and with the age -we're getting bolder.
at times we tend to say things that we do not mean
nor do we think about the hurt it can create.
  we must make up for it before it's too late.
the younger generation will always have a different view
their decisions are not up to me or you.
so let us step aside so they can try
to change the things that we did not complete
for their time will come within 'a heartbeat'
they will see just as we-that time waits for no man
nor will it take a stand-'untill we're in the promised land'.

louis rams

Time Clock

we all have a time clock ticking every moment
of every day.
until the last gasp of breath
which slowly slips away.

so while here on this earth
use every second that goes by.
for we pass through this world but once
no matter how we try.

we will be remembered by friends and family
for the goodness when we care.
for that is something that they'll always share.

when you share the joys and sorrows
the heartaches and the pain
the warmth and tenderness that you feel
for them is still the same.

open up your heart for all the world to see
that what you have locked up inside
has finally been set free.

enjoy life to the fullest
for there is no turning back
the time clock keeps on ticking
and does'nt ease up the slack.

louis rams

To Dream

to dream-and see the light of day.
to dream-and wash all the worries away
to dream-and see your love rise
to dream-until it reaches the sky
to dream-and feel the beat in your heart
to dream-and know that this is the start
the start of something thats beyond compare
a feeling that will take you there.
then you realize that this could never be
for this is just a 'dream'to me.

louis rams

To Dream #2

to dream-and have my life fullfilled
to dream-and change everything at will
to dream-and see your life changed around
to dream-and find hath torn down
to dream-and see freedom ring
to dream-and hear the angels sing
to dream-and see all the possibilities
to dream-and to know that there is a silver lining behind every cloud.
to dream-and to know that you've been found.

louis rams

Torn And Tattered Heart

my heart is torn and tattered
it seems like nothing else matters
i gave my heart, soul, and mind
and thought it would last for a long time.

you find someone which you grow to love and
it gets deeper and higher than the stars above.
   you feel that this love will forever last
but it becomes part of the past.
when you see this person change their points of view
but! not to satisfy you.

just to satisfy their blown egos and their conceit
and your love they could never meet.
   and now your heart is a divided road with
nowheres to go.
   you pick up the pieces of your torn heart
and look for another place to start.

this torn and tattered heart knows it must
pick itself up again-and start the search all anew
in hopes that it'll find someone better than you.

someone who will appreciate all the love
that you have to give.
for in the long run they will win.
  they'll win a heart which has gotten strong
and with you it will belong.

this is my heart which i give to you- which will
no longer be sad or blue.

louis rams

Tree Of Life

tree of life
tree of love
tree from god up above
this tree was implanted in our hearts at birth
to enjoy life and all its worth.

this tree posses all the love we hold
and controls our very soul.
the tree branches spread wide
to touch all of mankind

filling your bodies from hunger and quenching
the thirst within your soul
a wonderous beauty to behold.
the tree of life
gods sight
gods might

i give you my love
you give me your prayers
eternal life we will share
you in me-and me in you
this is what we have to do.

spreading the fruits of the tree
to all mankind, and of love divine.

louis rams

Truth Everlasting

ocean waves beating up against the beach
the cool water against my feet
faces in the rocks looking up to the sky
the ocean waves reaching forever high.
the seagulls flying in to land on the sand
as i reached over with my hand.
gently touching his soft white back
my mind racing faster-never letting up the slack
the reflections of times gone by
when life was young and not full of lies.
the only thing that ever seemed the same
was some faces and some names.
faces and names of a past gone by
as i looked up towards the sky.
trying to figure why the rock faces looked up
and what they could possibly see
as it all seemed very naked to me
when a thought came into my mind
as the ocean reflected off the sky.
the faces were looking up to see
god looking down unhappily.
of him seeing all of his creations
    being all torn down.
of human life laying on the ground.
unhappiness all around and not one voice to be found
to tell the world of its mistakes and the lies we live are all fakes.
and now i see what is to be-his truth everlasting.

louis rams

Twins at birth

we may be the same in face and needs
but! i am different in value and deeds.

while you love to flaunt your looks
i love to sit and read books.

you want to be the center of the crowd.
'i just look at you and frown'

you want to show people that.you are
the better of the twin
because you are happy and carefree.
but this is not what all people see.

there are times in life that
we are alike.
but! we are both seperate individuals
with different personalities.

i believe in the goodness in life
having children and a wife.

while you believe in the party rule.
in my eyes you are such a fool.

when it is time and the lord
calls our name.
will you still feel the same.

we are twins this i can see
but you are not the same as me.
so when you see that it's time for change
i will love you just the same.

louis rams

Under The Gun

most all women love to critcize and complain
but if they did'nt- they'd find themselves in pain.
they say they want this and that done.
but! it's the men that are under the gun.

to hear them talk they are always right
if you disagree you've got a fight.
then they sit on their tail
just to see if you will fail
and when they see that you do it right
it's because you're in their sight.

then you come across a woman with a rare quality
on her loved one she uses psychology.
she then proceeds to say how a good job was done
and uses the 'what if'
if we take this piece and put it there
it will go great with that chair.

she has already learned how to work the man
and that is where she takes her stand
for now she has him in control
and will squeese the blood out
of his very soul.

this is why man is under the gun
and will very rarely see the sun.

so to all the men out there
look and listen and take care.

louis rams

Unwed Mothers Pain

she was so young and mistook infatuation for love
and to her boyfriend she gave herself freely.
to her shock and gloom -a child was in her womb.
  she told her boyfriend of what she discovered.
to hear him say 'it must be from another'
   i am too young to marry
this problem you'll have to carry.

her friends turned their backs in dismay
they did'nt know just what to say.
when she told her family-they responded coldly.
     ' why did you make this mistake-now its far too late.
love is not the opening of your thighs.
now you'll have to hide that baby which you carry inside.'

abandoned by friends and family, when they were needed most.
  she kneeled and prayed to the FATHER, SON, AND HOLY GHOST.
she recalled the words which were told to her.
          'abort or abandon'
    is this what you have to say?
but! my child there is no other way!

in her heart she knew that it 'could not be'
that god wanted her to abandon this baby
   so with determination she began to pack
she would go elsewhere-there was no turning back.

she knew that she did not have enough education
to do what she wanted to do.
but she promised this child that
   'i'll make a life for me and you'

sitting at a bus stop-bags in her hand.
she met this woman all dressed in blue with soft tender eyes.
she told her -her story, and then began to cry.
        this woman put her arm around her and said
'fret not my child-you can stay with me for a while.'
with hope in her heart-she went with this lady.

found a job and continued with school.
and promised herself that no one else would
take her for a fool.

nine months later she did give birth
to a baby girl with beautiful blue eyes, and her skin so white.
   and above her head was a shining bright light.
so she named her after this woman who took her in.
   i'll name you Mary with the beautiful white skin.

time went by quickly and graduate she did.
   she gave this child the love that was always in her heart
and her career became a very big part.

she thanked God for this lady who gave her -her start.
this beautiful lady with a kind tender heart.

the years passed quickly and mary started to grow
more beautiful than you'll ever know'
  she came home from work on a cold snowy day
to find that lady mary had passed away.
she honored this lady the best way she could.

by opening her home to unwed mothers and anyone
in despair'
and named this home 'marys lair'.
and now when she tells the story she says
      'mother mary always dressed in blue
my doors are open because of you'

so always keep faith in your heart and mind.
    God listens! it just takes time.

louis rams

Valentine Cupid

the story of the cupid is strange you see
its always been a mystery to me
was this child with wings of beauty, and bow & arrow in hand
created by my fellow man.

to shoot his arrows in the hearts of all
laughing and having a ball..

or did he really come from the heavens above
to fill our hearts with all this love
has he really reached his goal
to touch our lives young and old.

for if this is true
    then you have put my heart on fire
and filled me with desire
to satisfy your inner most needs.
for deep in me he planted the seed.

for with this, i tell you true
my heart belongs to only you.

HAPPY VALENTINE

louis rams

Valley Of Love

welcome to the valley of love
where there is love above, and love below
love, everywhere you go.

in this valley you will see, all of GODS creations
and see the truth in his revelations.
you will be taught the love of man for each other
and for all that the LORD has provided.
in the seas, the sky, the earth, and all its worth.

this love will fill every part of your being
this is what you'll be seeing.
your heart will feel like it's about to explode
and even fill your entire soul.

the love in your eyes, will even fill the darkness night
and turn everything into light.
anything and everything that you could imagine
love to be, will become your reality.

there will be no such things as sadness, or hate
just hearts full of faith.

take your partners hand and travel down the road
to this 'valley of love' where birds will sing up above.
and where sea creatures will jump out of the water
all in perfect order.
and the land creatures will run ahead.
to make you a warm comfortable bed.

this valley is not a dream, or just imagination
it is a beautiful desired sensation.
which fills your heart to capacity, and opens your eyes
so that you could see, all that is meant to be.

louis rams

Vision Of Love

there is a verse that says: i love you more today
than yesterday, and more tommorrow, than today.

and this is the way 'my love will stay'.
it is growing by the hour, taking away all my will power.

 the vision of you played my mind
and i saw you for the very first time.
love can become so deep
that it plays hide and seek.

it hid so deep in my soul
and of my life it took control.
so i will love you till the end of time
if you promise to be mine.

louis rams

Voice Of The Apostle

while laying in my bed one night, i saw such a beautiful sight
an angel came to me and whispered in my ear ever so gently.
do not be afraid my child, i have been with you for a long while.
deep within you there is a task that must be done.
the lord has chosen you to be the one
to spread the word just like so many have done before
it will be your job forever more.
the lord is tired of seeing death and destruction every where
and not many people who really care.
destroying all the beauties of the earth.
the grass, the trees, the ocean blue
it was given to me and you.
not so it can be destroyed by the hand of man.
now it's time to take a stand.
the cures for all the sicknesses are given to us at birth
it is here on this earth.
cures are found all around, even deep in the ground.
we cannot continue destroying what the lord has given us.
this is the reason that he sent his son.
so that in our mind we could see
what he has done for humanity.

louis rams

We Hear-We Care

some times women think that a man does'nt hear or care.
what a woman or child is going through.
i'll tell you this-'thats not true'
  man can feel the inner most need
once they plant their fertile seed.

they see the pain etched on their face-
and the sweat on their brow.
this is when they ask 'how'.
how can the women take the pain?
and yet still be the same.

they say' the meak shall inherit the earth'.
it is the woman-when she gives birth.

to all the women -i can say.
we do hear and care what you're going thru.
  we just don't know 'what to do'.

louis rams

Wedding Vows of a husband

i will love, cherish, and take care of you
all the days of my life.
for you have consented to be my wife.
    i will honor and respect all your
beliefs and thoughts, for which you stood and fought.

you did not let anything distract or sway you
from your beliefs, which gave me a sense of relief.
   because if anyone was able to sway you
in your younger years, we would not
find happiness and cheer.

you are strong, just like me
and you captured my heart and set me free.
   and now that we are united as one
under the eyes of GOD.
i vow that we will never part.

and this will be the beginning
of our brand new start.

louis rams

Wedding Vows of a wife

i give you my heart as a token of my love
for JESUS filled it from above.

i searched my whole life through
for a man such as you.
i saw in you all that i desired
and you set my heart on fire.

i see that you are a caring and a non violent man
and praised me when i took a stand.
  on all that i believe and feel to be true.
that's the reason i have fallen in love with you.

so on this beautiful day in my life
i consent to be your wife.

louis rams

Welcome Home

i lied in bed next to her, as her life
drained from her body
 she was not wishing me goodbye
but was welcoming me home.

home into her heart, where i was
such a big part.
we shared hopes, dreams, memories
and joys beyond compare.
for alongside me she was always there.

together we smelled the roses
and looked up to the skies
seeing clouds forming shapes
and asking ourselves why?

a letter, a note, little things you wrote
a smile, a laughter, little things we did after.

i feel the warmth of your love
filling my every being
 touching my soul
and giving me meaning.

now i know just what you meant
that we would never part.
for the truest gift in life is love
which stays within the heart.

louis rams

What A Man Can Do (in reply to what a woman can do)

a man can take the heart of a woman and
 mold it to the way it should be
a man can take a woman and set all her emotions free.

a man can love a woman like she's
never been loved before.
a love and passion so deep
that it will go from shore to shore.

a man can bring forth a child
to fill the void in her heart.
and if she wants more
than let this be the start.

a man can try to protect her from
all the miseries of the world.
just like an oyster that protects its beautiful pearl.

 in this mans mind and heart
she completes both their souls.
and the love that he has
is worth much richer than gold.

a mans love can stretch across infinity
to show how wide his love
for it is instilled in him from the lord from above.

louis rams

What Is A Mother

What is a mother? 10/11/07

What is a mother? You ask me!
It is something which is hard to explain.
Because no two mothers are the same.
They can be gentle as a breeze on
A mid-summers nights dream.
Or as hard as a rock which you can not stop.

They can love you one minute-and spank you the next.
If you put them to a test.
They will feed you and clothe you
And put a roof over your head-and give you
A warm, soft comfortable bed.
They will dry your tears, and heal your cuts.
They will show you the rights from wrong
So you can grow big and strong.

If you're a girl-they'll teach you about satin and lace.
And if you're a boy-you must "wash your face".

A mother is first a woman, then a wife.
Then she creates a brand new life.
She has to put her priorities in line.
Then she has to find the time.
She will first take care of her husbands needs
And feed the baby in between.
Then wash the clothes-and make the beds
Sweep, mop and wash the dishes
And in between -feed the fishes.
She becomes a juggler of many hats.
Does not get a thank you or even a pat
She will continue this throughout her life
In hopes that maybe one day-she will hear her husband and
Children say.-we love you each and every day.
And no one can take that away.
This is what a mother is to me
And I will be thankful eternally.

louis rams

What Went Wrong?

living life! it's as hard as can be
don't know whats come over me.
    trying desperatly to expand my mind
seem to be running out of time.

you showed me what paradise can be
then you set my heart free
to wander endlessly.

so i roamed this world in search of true love
as the love from above.

can we figure out what went wrong
when our love was growing strong.
   what made it get so weak
when i thought, it was at its peak.

i looked in your eyes and saw
the love that you had inside
and the excitement when you saw my face
bubbling up in a frenzied pace.

now all i see is a silent stare
and it looks as if you no longer care.

what went wrong? i have to ask!
was it that i was too busy trying to make a life.
and forgot to show my feelings to my wife.
   and if that is the case!
everything else i will push away
just so that you will stay.

'so please' help me to find the way.

louis rams

What You See Is The Inner Me

i have lived and i have died
i have loved and i have cried
i have done all that the human heart desires
i have set my inner soul on fire

i have done all these things
and now i know i'm free.

freedom to go outside of my shell
and search this world over
for we are all getting older.

we have looked all our lives
to fulfill our wants and desires

but what i failed to see is the beauty within me.
it is not what is outside of the shell
that we really need.

that is just what humanity wanted
when they planted that tiny seed.

our wants, desires, loves, have been rolled into one
ball of rubber bands, and we have
to take it apart band by band
but! we do it with the LORDS helping hand.

i have found such a profound abundance of love
growing deeper and stronger within me
that it can not compare, but of something
that should be shared.

you have to look into your inner being
so you could see what i am seeing.

you have to sit and look deep into
your soul and be true to yourself,
because there is no one else.

and when you have searched so deep
that you can not search any further
then everything falls in order.

everything that you have searched for
all of your life, and all of your struggles and strife
was laying inside of your shell
and it is doing very well.

louis rams

When Heaven And Earth

when heaven and earth i can no longer see
my GOD will be in front of me.

and when my GOD says it's time to die
i know that he'll be by my side.

and when the sun ceases to shine
i know that i will feel his love divine.

and when this earth no longer exists
i will feel his heavenly bliss.

heaven from earth is just a step away
either we do it right
or we come back to pay.

they say that heaven is here on earth.
and mankind takes it for all its worth.

it was heaven during ADAM and EVE
but they decided on the apple to feed.

now it's where you prove your worth
from the beginning of your birth.

so heed the words that i say
follow the LORD, for there is no better way.

louis rams

Which Comes First

when two people get married
is it a marriage of Body and Mind?
or is it a marriage of Heart and Soul?
and which one comes first?
SOMETHING TO PONDER!
what did i feel when i proposed?

my Body: told me that i ached for
the joining together, and sexual fulfillment.
my Mind: told me that i wanted to be
with her for the rest of my life.
my Heart: felt empty without her.
my Soul: soared to the highest height
to see all that could be given and achieved.

when i first saw you my Heart stood still
like on a roller coaster going down
and feeling the thrill.
and as that thrill rose, my Soul climbed high above
to show me this beautiful love.
this love so strong that it consumed my Body and Mind.
that it took me to 'the end of time'.

so for me which came first, as you can
plainly see, Heart and Soul was the one for me.

i give you my Heart- and all it contains
for without you, my life will never be the same.
i give you my Soul-for that is the other part
that i have to give
for without a Soul we can not live.
i give you my Mind- for your love to control
for it protects my Heart and Soul.
i give you my Body-
which is an empty shell
for without your love, i'm in living hell.

these are the four parts of this mere man
and i give it to you, for that's my plan.
i would take the human sufferings of
torture, pain and defeat
as long as i know your love i'll keep.

'YOU ARE LIFE' and all that it holds
Body, Mind, Heart and Soul.
take me as you would a breath of air
and my life with you i will share.

I THINK THE ANSWER THAT I HAVE GIVEN
SHOWS THAT LIFE IS WORTH LIVING.

louis rams

Who Is To Say

who is to say if our love lives or our love dies
it is not up to you or i.
who is to say what a heart truely feels-is it fake or is it real?
when youfeel like your insides are being torn apart
and you try to hold your heart.
when you think that this life has passed you by
and your heart wants to cry.
when you think that nothing else could go wrong
and your heart feels big and strong
this is when you will know-there is no other place to go.
your heart will then start to break
with heartache there is no mistake.
will it live or will it die?
    who is to say!

louis rams

Window Panes

life is full of window panes.
it shows you things lost-and things gained.
it is a camera that takes pictures-of all that you do in this life.
if you're a husband or a wife.
it will show how you have treated others.
and if you did it for 'spite or gain'.
life goes on just the same.
it does not matter what you do-for these pictures follow you.
and when it is time to leave this earth.
the window will show everything from birth.
so think of what you do in life my friend
it could be a bitter end.

louis rams

Woman In Control

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To all the woman who enjoy poetry
My words are here to set you free.
I can climb into your heart and soul
And release all the emotions that you hold.

Feelings that have been locked up inside
Feelings that you try to hide.
All the words that you want to say.
Yet! Never find the way.

Always relish the thought that you are like mother earth.
Brought into this world to show the beauty
And love that you posses
And for you it’s an endless test.

Your beauty is deep within your soul
It is a beauty in which you learned to control.
You can make the bad look good
And the good look bad.
You can be happy or you can be sad.
You have learned to control emotions
And to show man what they want to see
And turn around their hypocrisy.

Now when I look at your face-
I no longer see the satin and lace.
I no longer see a woman who they say is born to lose
But! An intelligent woman who can choose

louis rams

Woman's Skepticism

love, desire, passion, fire, is all the qualities that you seek
for this is what will make you complete.

the man will normally have the passion and desire
while the woman has the love and the fire.
his desires could light a stack of timber
and leave your body totally limber.

it will grow so strong, that it turns into passion
and not caring about which feelings is in fashion.
he has to quench this irresistible urge
burning every part of his being
and this is all that he is seeing.

the fire spreads throughout his brain
leaving him totally insane.
he finally realizes that this ' must be love'.

and these feelings were all brought on by you
and to his heart, he must be true.

when you finally find a man who has all these qualities
you have become so skeptical
that these qualities you do not see.

open your eyes for i am here.
let me take away that fear.
my love has become embedded so deep in my soul
that my heart it did take hold.

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Women* What Can I Say**

women-what can i say about them!
there is so much to say that it can't be written in a day.

they are the foundation of this earth
giving everything in life some worth.
  they are the soul and inspiration of all men.
it is very rare that we will admit that we are wrong
but! we'll agree-just so we can get along.

in all relationships we must learn to live together.
   so things will start to get better.
but to hear a woman it is one sided
  'and we have to buy it'.

they know that without the female- life as we know it will cease to exist, and we will surely die.
this is the reason we continue to try.

they know that they are the ones who give birth
and as children we suckle their breasts so that
we can get stronger.
  and when we are older we try to do the same if we can.
but they tend to slap our hand.

women will always argue with men
and the battle we lose in the end.
so if man wants to be loved and caressed
he has to keep his mouth shut.

   'so her mouth could have a rest'.

louis rams

Words

we open the doors to worlds unknown
   when we sit and read.
words help us to travel
this earth far and wide
even makes us soar high into the sky.

words can tell us of the past
the present, and even the future.
   if we only look
inside a book.

words to make a contract
words to make a vow
all these words
we can use right now.

words tell your feelings, your thoughts, desires, passions
likes, dislikes, fears, joys
but most of all, love can express the love you have within.

    for a mother, father, sister, brother
for a man or a woman.
your chest becomes overwhelmed
with the feeling that you have inside.
a love that you can not hide.

a love so strong that it consumes your soul
 a beautiful wonder to behold.
for it rises higher than the highest mountain
and deeper than the deepest sea.
when you say those special words
      'you belong to me'.

words sharpen the mind to all that is done
like the rising of the sun.

if we could not see or hear words,
it would be like living in darkness.
and never learning to appreciate
what we was given.

so these words i write today
expresses what i want to say.
     without words we could not live
and that my friend
would be a down right sin.

louis rams

You Are Everything

you are everything the sun, the sky, the stars above
you have given me an eternal love.

because of you i have been able to see
all the things in life that can be.
you've shown me that true love starts from the heart
and spreads throughout your soul
it is a wonder to behold.

i love you now more than words can say
and in my heart forever you will stay.

you are everything that a person could want.
and i thank the lord up above
for this precious love.

and when i go to bed at night
a vision of you will be in plain sight.
(and to me thats perfectly alright)

you are everything to me
and from your love
i don't care to be set free.

louis rams

You Are Love

like the wind blown rain beating against your face
cooling you, soothing you, without leaving a trace.
so is the love that i have for you
and to you my heart will be true.

love is like a rose and it must be planted
carefully, nurtured, and constantly checked
for anything that can eat away at, or destroy it.
it is spoken to and constantly cleansed
so that it can grow strong and beautiful.

so is this love that i have for you.
'i will'- like the rose, nurture, cleanse
and always check to ensure that it can not
be touched by anything that can destroy its beauty.

just like the rain strenghtens the foundations
of all living plants.
my love grows with every fiber of my being
for this is what i'm seeing.

you are my foundation and the reason that i exist
every time i touch you, and every passionate kiss.
you are ' love' in every shape and form
and that's how you belong.

louis rams

You Are Not Alone

you are not alone: for he is by your side
you are not alone: no matter how hard you try.
  and for what it's worth,
He has been with you since your date of birth.

and HE was there when you was baptized with water
  and taught you the LORDS order

some have called him JESUS
some have called him CHRIST
but no matter what you called him
   you are not alone.
for he watches from his throne.

in his heart you have always been
since the day, that he wiped away your sins.

as long as you show your fellow man that you care
he will always be there.
  as long as you believe in GOD up above
he will always give you his love.
  and when you walk the road that's shown
you will never walk alone.

you are not alone
when life dishes you a wrong hand
that is all part of his plan.
 to see if you have the faith in him
to take away your aches and pains
for with him you will never be the same.

as long as you have him in your heart and mind
he'll be there throughout all time.
He is there every step of every day
to show you the righteous way.

so do not stop, do not falter
for he is there at the altar.
give him thanks, and give him praise
that you're here another day.

'FOR YOU ARE NOT ALONE'.

louis rams

You Do Not Walk Alone

you do not walk alone-for the lord is always with us.
you may travel a lonely dark road, and he is always there to guide you.
when we travel a path full of hatred and fear.
' he is always near'.
when we travel the highways and the skys above
' he is there with his love'.
when you find yourself falling and stumbling to the ground.
'turn and look around'.
he is there every step of the way-guiding and showing
us the light of day.
don't ever give up on the journey you take
for your journey may be thousands of steps
till you reach that goal-it's a wonder to behold.
the journey that i speak of-although you may not see.
is the heavenly journey' to eternity'.

louis rams

Young Couples First Kiss

a young couple walking the darkness at night
wanting to experience their first kiss of delight.
  he had a knot in his stomach which he could
not explain, and she like him felt the same.

anticipation growing to an extreme height
not letting one another, out of their sight.
  they grasped each others hand and continued the walk
she became hesitant, and started to balk.

he squeezed her hand a little tight
and told her it was alright.
  they found a secluded spot where no one could see
then they held each other and kissed passionatly.

a kiss so passionate, that it could
not be explained, and their lives
would never be the same.
  they pulled apart and looked into each others eyes
a feeling so strong that it could not be denied.

they learned about the first kiss, and thought
about other things, that they must have missed.
  so they decided to go a little further
and experiment a little more
and found themselves on the floor.

the passion started to rise faster than
a flaming fire, filling them with desire.
they knew in their hearts that it could not be
they would hurt themselves, and their families.

so they stopped at a point of no return
and just let their fires burn.
they had finally experienced their first kiss
and knew that it was something that they
would forever miss.

they walked away hand in hand
and a smile on their face
and their hearts, beating in a rapid pace.

the rememberance of that fist kiss
will always stay, it is a memory
that will never go away.

louis rams

Young Poets Society

to all the young poets in this worlds society.
as a father and grand father as well.
you have made me as proud as can be.
you take the depths of the ocean-and set peoples lives in motion.
for when someone as young as you -can see what we've
gone through.
and feel the elders aches and pains, it will never be the same.
so i stand here proud as can be
through your poetry you have been set free
and i thank you for those memories.
    (pain and love have no boundaries)
so continue to write and tell what you see and feel-
and let others know that this is real.

louis rams

Your Eyes

looking into your eyes i can see
just what your love can do to me.
it can carry me to the highest peak
turn me around and leave me weak.

your eyes take me into the depths of your inner soul.
it is a wonder to behold.
the bright light that radiates from within
leaving my thoughts to push away my sin.
the sin of wanting you all to myself
taking me from heaven and pushing me to hell.

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