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2009 A.D

A page mark of time, the year 2009
people do not rhyme, yet remain fine.

They'd rather listen to music for hours
walk for a mile talking through towers.

Sitting before screen they'd rather chat
for hours they'd gossip once they'd start.

Someone would like to watch only T.V
Sports, soaps and news whatever may be.

Electronic age has made people smart
living in an era of science and living art.

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A Big Handkerchief

Be sure of tears in her eyes
if you wish to become
a big handkerchief
or this will be one of those mistakes
I made to regret.

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A Birthday Poem

I had no idea about too many things
But I thought I knew them so well!

I never knew when I became a stranger
To too many persons forever but Alas!

I had really no idea about that.
If this is not a death I wonder what is death?

I’m trying to convince myself again.
Again and again I’m trying to convince myself I’m dead.

Yet, I’m convinced I’m living and I've got to live.
I've got to live to witness more death.

I've got to die again and again.
I've got to live dying.dying. I've got to die living.

Every time when you will forget me I’ll die.
Every time I’ll come alive when you will remember me.

This is a blessing and this is a curse.
You too have no idea about too many things.
But you thought you knew them so well!

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A Boar In A Farm

The way the boar looked at me
I felt I was very known to him.
Nearing a few steps closer
when I looked at him eye to eye
grunting he said something to me.

I did not understand what he said.
May be he told how boring it was
living a life behind the bars.
May be he told how boring it was
to become a boar in real life.

Suddenly a thought visited my mind
If fables of Jataka were all true
this boar could have been anyone
who were once a human like us
now reincarnated as a swine.

Closely examining his face
I discovered some similarities
with an aged human face also.
I did not tell it to anyone else.
Such thoughts are better not told.

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A Busy Barber And The Cloud

Cloudy but no cloud's seen.
It's winter.
No chance of raining.
Such a day comes
only to make me feel sad
for no tangible reason
and depressed.
I walk with a mirror in my hand
which reflects
my cloudy face.
The toggle key of my mood
seems heavily pressed.

Sat with a cup of tea
for a while in a balcony
beside the window of a shop
catering snacks.
A lady sitting with her son
talked of Darjeeling and Ootty
short name of Otkamond
both are hill cities
but he looked bored
somewhat like me.

In between
his father reporting
next is his chance
when the barber is just free
but I know for me
there's no chance of shredding
clouds from my face
and the boredom until
the cloud in the sky
evaporates
or escapes.

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A Common Boy

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plays, paints or sings
wanders here and there
all without grammar
a self made gypsy

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A Confession

You are no one to me now.
True to say you were never someone.
Our relationship never matured that deep.
Wish I could
tell this to myself.

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A Cup Of Tea

I myself, will move into the kitchen now.
A cup of tea seems a must for cooking.
I'll join my thoughts again in between.
Poetry or tea, let see, which I cook better.

I thought of coming back once or twice
while the water is boiled.
While the tea is brewed.
But No. It did not happen so.

For last two or three hours
thoughts cooking in my mind caused headache.
I felt a cup of tea was a priority.
I took more time searching ginger.

My wife is a good girl up to two cups in a day.
She is not happy or unhappy to serve tea
once in my morning (a different one)
and other in the evening (this is normal) .

Generally she agrees for a third cup too
but she does not want it become a routine.
Her annoyance is generally false
but today, she was not in a mood to do it.

I did not get ginger. We used it all
day before yesterday for cooking hotchpotch.
It became very tasty. No, not tea. The hotchpotch.
We jointly cooked it and it was a blue moon.

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A Damn Cool Chap

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what he needs
bypassing
all advertisements
a damn cool chap.

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A Dangerous Intention

Sometime as now
I wish to erase
everyone.

So can I.

In fact it will make
no difference anywhere.

Neither it made
any difference
to anyone.

It will only
make them distant
who were truly
never too close.

A few of them
may be for a moment
will think
what might have
happened to me.

Many of them
will almost not know
who went.

As a result
net profit or loss
will be this much
that I shall be erased.

The game
that we exist, we exist
will end in a moment.

Presently, however
this is not my wish
that the game ends.

Let them stay.
Let me also stay.
Let there live
this much of living.

In spite of it
let this
dangerous intention die.

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A Demon Within

A demon
peacefully lives in me
who sleeps with me
wakes with me
and smokes with me.

I don't dare to disturb
this peaceful beast
lest it disturbs my peace.

Regrets are past stories
Fear is something
I've forgotten.

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A Female Heart

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my best possession
God's best gift
to a male
always crying.

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A Few Mistakes

I've made a few mistakes in my Life
And what is the worst, I continue to make
such mistakes till now which better knows my wife
but I'm just going indifferent.
Mistakes I just can’t forsake.

What you call it I don't know but for me
I'm quite comfortable with my mistakes
And I don't even fear that they'll end up with me
Only I fear, if I forsake,
I'll fall in another set of mistakes.

They are after all my known set of mistakes.
By now I'm getting quite handy with them.
The time of changing friends I've left behind.
Mistakes anew I fear I'll not be able to digest.
So I rear them.

Which mistakes I live up with do you wish to know?
Please restrain. I’m very sorry. I can't let them fly
from eye to eye, ear to ear, mind to mind, because if I do
You'll surely laugh. You’ll say lol and I'll get angry.
So I defy.

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A Frog On Your Foot

What do you do
when a frog
jumps on your foot?

I have seen it today
that I jump
mainly for two reasons.

I don't want it to be killed.
I don't want it to cause me
a kind of discomfort.

I'm not going to anywhere
with this frog. Jumping
we went in our ways.

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A Grave Mistake

My fault
I felt love in your eyes
but your smile
told me you did not.
I felt it cruel

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A Grave Sorrow

Beneath this mansion
in a grave
lonely boy swims
in a pond
angles fish, eats berries.

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A Healthy Desire

If a dollar can be doubled in a year
in ten years it will become $1000.

I'm rather tempted for getting $1000
everyday after ten years for years.

I fear I have also known that secret
art of doubling a dollar within a year.

But I have no dollar to spare except one
which I everyday spend for cigarettes.

This seems to be a very valid reason
for quitting smoking now for ten years.

I wish to travel this narrow distance
between my dream and ugly reality.

Chasing a dream now I'm convinced
got to be a very healthy desire indeed.

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A House And A Home

For me I need a house, one that necessarily be a home
Else I'm not very sure that I need one for me at all.
A house is necessary to shelter my body but it seems
By and large I have somehow grown into a personality
more concerned about well being of mind than body.

A house as I have repeatedly seen failing to provide
Comfort to your soul that you most earnestly deserve
A home in contrast shelters you, your mind and soul
Where you can lovingly dwell for achieving your goal.
For me I need a house, one that necessarily be a home

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A Journey To Reality

I felt no pressure on my eyes
no heaviness on my chest
no nausea or heartache.
It was very easy this time
reducing them in hundred
to make my friend list look more real.

Then I felt the headache.
This time I made no mistake
took the balm and rubbed it well
on my forehead.
Slowly relieved
I went to sleep for hours.
That is what you should demand.
A sleep with no dream to disturb.

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A Lengthy Episode.

What's life but chasing dreams
Swallowing simultaneous stimulation
of hope and despair knowing
the fragility of desiring
the end of despairing?

What's life but passing days
in monotonous rhythm boring
known long before in worrying
droop-by-droop sipping
bitterness pouring?

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A Living Confusion

Life I live and the life I wish to live are often not the same.
I remain confused which one I wish to live and which one I live.

More I climb the stairs upward more I am pulled to the ground.
Peace of mind, rest and satisfaction seemingly nowhere they are found.

Life remains there either behind or in front but never with me
Alas! I pass my days said living but crossing a mirthless sea.

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A Milestone

Another milestone
of meaningless journey crossed.
Forty-two years passed!

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A Monologue

Sinking into the abyss of thoughts
leaving no murky corner of the past
revisiting the graves of frozen days
forgotten words and forfeited lusts
who you there throwing lights
not afraid of the blues you may reap?

what are you but a particle of dust
in the shore of petrified time I ask
drawing in vain your face on space
forgetting the rules of living and the race
sincerely trying to paint with the brush?
What do you wish? Living beyond trust?

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A Perfect Plan Next Time

Twice this year I became very happy.
Once when I opened two accounts
in a bank for small monthly savings.
Once again today when I could close
both the accounts without much hassles.

A plan of saving extra money is sweet
but money in hand tastes sweeter.
Bitterness is postponed till next year.
Sadness is digested for once more.
I will make a perfect plan next time.

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A Piece Of Advice

King’s men are the ears to the King.
King as usual sees through them.

You are as good or as bad to the King
As King’s men narrate you to the King.

Don’t confuse today
there is neither any Kingdom
nor there any King.

There are too many Kings’ men
there are too many Kings.

If you are not stupid
Please the kings’ men to please the King.

Or they hold the power
to destroy you in a blink.

You need not worry how are the Kings’ men
Or how is the king.

For saving your soul first
sing to please kings' men, sing.

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A Poet Is Yet To Born

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I'm done,
thought a lot of whole.
lived a life of prose and fight,
let poetry be my Goal.
friends are here,
hope they cheer
as I make a piece,
hope they write
on every byte
hope they laugh and tease.
I love them all,
who read my book
who raise me little high,
who praise my work
or breaks my heart
by telling little lie.
Hope I share,
Oh, my dear,
All that I can't
alone bear.
All that I kept locked in my heart,
All that I can write in spurt.
I bow to all,
who raise me or fall
or gives me little thorn,
I bow to all,
I bow to all,
A poet's yet to born.

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A Poet's Obligation

Day before yesterday
First
then yesterday
then today

The thought which came
jumping
overtaking
breaking

all the barricades
of my refusals
to announce it open
I am a very boring person.

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A Poor Chap

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from a Doctor
with a load of diseases
in his mind
and medicines in bags.

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A Resolution

Now I have become
adamant that I should not
go on changing my ways anymore.
A myself in me is simply lost somewhere
I must find.

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A River In My Heart

I carry a river
who sings
bhatiyali songs to me.
I carry her in my heart.

She carries chip, pansi, dingi, sampan
and all other kinds of boats-
of fishermen's pride.

Also she carries chital, boyal, haair
puti, khalisa, meni, pangus and all other
tasty fishes,
fishermen's secret riches.

She carries brides shy
going first time to her new home
in a bojra or gaina with tearful eyes.

She carries besides
all those nimbus clouds of the sky
to their home to the sea nearby.

But this river I carry in my heart
also carries memory of a frightening
war trodden night.

I carry this river in my heart
singing bhatiyali songs to me
far far away who carries my mind.

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A Sandy Day Out

Something just happens
for once in a life
like a trip to a desert
a day into the sand
with sandy people
singing and dancing
colorful desert girls
with the elderly man
who plays a charming bin.

A delightful camel ride
too far, too far.
If luck permits
a pleasant sun set.

Walking on dunes
falling on it
and trying again.

An evening in a camp
sitting in a mehafil
leaning on pillow
with hot cup of tea
enjoying exotic song
eating spicy food
enjoying exotic dance.

and all of a sudden
a light desert storm.
all you can witness
just in a day
just like me.

So don't ask me
what's there to see
into the sea of the sand.
Just make a plan
as quick as you can
a trip to that land
of great Jaisalmer.

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A Secret

The test was a bitch-
refusing to be obedient
I lost in the game of love.

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A Serious Affair

We don't wish
accidents to happen in our lives
but they happen.

We wish
lots of love to happen and sometime
they also happen.

But when they do happen
the consequences are often the same.

There are doctors
hospitals
nurses
and medicines
to cure
accidental wounds
at home and abroad.

But.....
when the cause is love
everyone becomes very puzzled
and Google fails to find any answer.

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A Shadow Game

I should not write about you.
This is not wise, not decent.
Not yet illegal, though.

I don't want to impress you.
There is no point in it.
The end of our story is already old.

Maybe I am practicing bowling.
Maybe I am checking
the ground reality of the pitch.

Does the ball bounce?
Does it spin? Or it just sleeps
when it reaches to you?

They would say, this is a shame
but no one is there around.
Not even you.

Only me and my heart, a police man
who always hunts you out
to play this shadow game.

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A Smile That Changed The World

It haunts me,
a smile.

It could mean
a yes also
but I took it
for a no.

Now I hear them
saying
meaning
believing
it's never a no
when a girl smiles.

What do I do now?
Time is left
eons behind!

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A Song Of Time

Didn't you say to me
to keep some time in my hand?
I held them so tightly in my fist
but you didn't turn up
before they all slipped
out of my reach.

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A Special Cup Of Tea

In a busy market place
he sells tea.
Tea and biscuits,
but he knows
I take only tea.

A special cup of tea
once in a week
every sun day
at the end of fish
meat and vegetable
marketing.

I prefer sugar
he knows
I like high flavor
he knows
I like strong liqueur
he knows.

He sells tea
to the shop keepers
all around
but I deeply feel
he loves to entertain me
with a special cup of tea
full of care and respect.

His father
very old and feeble
prepares breakfast
for a few regular customer inside
and adding
such nowhere found
family flavor
he caters tea.

l like strong liqueur
he knows
I like high flavor
he knows
I prefer sugar
he knows
and also he knows
his old and feeble father
loves to work.

Every other day
his old father lives
only because
he is allowed to work
with honor and respect

he knows.

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A Suspect

Unknown people
Places unknown
no more pleasure
safety no more.

Unknown parcel
object unknown
now a suspect
surprise no more.

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A Time To Remember

You know Julie
(I know this is not your name)
there was also a time

when people was yet to learn
how to divide
brotherhood

when people was yet to learn
how to ignore
friendship

when people was yet to learn
how to fight
with neighbors

when people was yet to learn
how to weigh someone's value
in terms of money.

You know Julie
(I know this is not your name)
I was very happy at that time.

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A Top Secret

Although I have wife
children, age and fear
I'm allowing
dangerous and romantic
biker's dream syndrome in me

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A True Story

Dear friend Needy,

I have come to know you aren't keeping well these days.May be I have something to tell you.I hope my experiences may help you gain courage to overcome sadness.

Once I thought I reached too closed to heaven or hell. I thought soon after a brief course of painful treatment I'd reach there. By now all routine investigations were completed and reports finally confirmed doctor's initial diagnosis of diseases.Trying to inject courage doctor concluded saying the disease was not fatal if treated in time but could be very serious if I ignored. Such ifs and buts helped me very well to understand that my life now hanged between them. I found genuine reasons to be serious about possible consequences. Soon I started thinking about my priorities of life. It was now very important for me to decide my priorities in both the possible cases of life and death. I thought about my life-insurance plans, about my savings and possible expenditure of treatment.

I was not afraid but I was surely very upset. Sitting in my balcony I watched busy people moving down the street.They all appeared very healthy to me. The air inside my home was very gloomy. Now my wife did not shout at me as usual. Children started behaving much obedient than ever before. My relatives were now frequenting my home to show sympathy.Few friends now became suddenly very busy. They could not manage time to visit me.By now I knew they were my intelligent friends. I did not listen whispering what they discussed about my fate. But I knew they did something. I was now left alone on my way to walk up to my heaven or hell.

Now having not to go to my office on medical leave I started passing more time in Internet. The process of receiving treatment followed in a sequential manner. My body received treatment but mind was searching a support to hold on. Then it happened that accidentally I came to know about existence of poetry website where I could read poems to pass time.Now I had only time to pass. Till then I never wrote a poem and never thought of writing any. Soon, I felt writing and I wrote one. I submitted it and found it was highly applauded.
I wrote more. Now I got people to share my loneliness. I started getting treatment for my wounded soul, which was due, for period much longer than my physical illness. This is the true story how I'm here. I'll be very happy if my story somehow inspires you to be rejuvenated.

Lots of Love and kind regards

A poet born out of illness

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A Very Confusing Wish

I wish never to walk, never again to pass through
a few lanes in my life before it is time for me to die.
Time and again, to and fro, I crossed them with you
a different man with a different soul years ago.

I wish never to revisit those places where you killed
my innocent love for you strangling day after day.
I wish never to go there before I come to know
this is finally time for me to actually die.

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A Very Simple Ladder

Maybe you were
to them
a son or a brother.

But maybe they were
to you
a very simple ladder.

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A Window And A Wall

I saw the window but I saw no wall.
The open window greeted me to look through.
I saw promises and hopes waiting for me there.
I was very glad receiving such invitation of life.
I was in a hurry to hug life waiting for me.
Eagerly searching for a door now I walked
all along a concrete wall but found no door.

Wanting to comeback to the open window
I realized, I had already lost the window also.
Now you stood before me; a silent wall
as I continued to run to and fro impatiently
searching the lost window, searching a door;
while hiding it’s open window the wall elongated.

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A Wonder For Ages

It makes me wonder
how
every woman gets
a wrong man
how
every man gets
a wrong woman too.

It makes me wonder
how
every marriage
goes wrong
despite
many of them
are products of love.

From love
or
not from love
it makes me wonder
how
they yield equal
dissatisfaction.

Mathematicians
may think, may work
to find out
possibilities
how
all wrongs
can reach to all rights.

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Abandoned

I thought I alone knew the path
I thought I won’t share my secrets
I thought I was lucky than the rest
Oh-My-God
I’m left alone in the base!

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Addiction

Acute dependence on falsehood.

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Address Of Hope

Womb of acute hopelessness homes hopes.
She, a mother surrogate rears hopes in tears
who will desert her in time as always she fears.

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After 'They Lived Happily Thereafter'

Tell me what happens
after many years
when your story is already old

and people surrounding
your youthful days
rejoicing your moments
of victory in love
are all dispersed

in different directions
and you don't know where
they are all gone!

Do you search
for a shoulder to cry on?

Do you feel yourself
unsafe in a cage
once made up of love?

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Again As Always

Such is life, you never know
When you get the call to go.
Only the thing certain you get
the call coming unwarranted.

A moment, exactly I don’t know
How tiny is this particle of time.
Always heard but never visualized.
But realized its power immense.

Like this contest again Cherry
Life often stimulates you to move
For gold, silver, bronze or at least
For an HM within time called a moment.

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Aims In Life

Repeatedly they are lost.
Boring and tasteless
but needs arise to search
for finding them back
again and again.

Searching is must
and finding is also a must.
And whom you get back
are often not the same.

Still we must find
and finding we must stick to them.

Aims in life are very peculiar.

You feel something's missing
if they are not there
and they stay away from you
when they are there!

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Alchemy Of Life

I was very surprised
how naturally I managed
to answer your call
showing no sign
how boggled I was
hearing your voice
from a forgotten time.

So perfect it was
a stage for this act
that thereafter
contemplating for hours
I found no answer
if you or I
was a better artist.

Ah! change! Julie, change.
Change I believed
had sweetened your tongue!
I was very cautious
for receiving your stones
as I was not unaware
of bitterness in your life.

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All Is Mine

Oh! God!
everybody
in this crazy big world
trying to transfer their faults
all is mine!

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All Stars

I did not want
new toys
new games
new garments
for I knew they were
all stars
always to remain
beyond my reach.

I was rather happy
playing with my heart
which was not yet missing
at that time
when you came to play
an angel with a smile
and happily I shared
my heart.

Looking at the stars
now I try to remember
what actually happened?
Did you forgetfully fly
there with my heart
or flied just alone
throwing it broken
a junk in the sky?

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Aloof

How sad! friends,
who would be
there in my bosom
no more
there in my mind.

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Always A Fool

My daughter exclaimed
“Spider! ”
I looked aback.
Now she laughed saying
“April fool.”
Laughing I said
“ I’m always a fool dear”.

Promptly she replied
“Everyone knows that.”

Embarrassed I thought
if I were a fool always.

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Always Escaping

Life lives in future or past
Depending where you are
at present.

One too young
greedily looking to the top
of a time tree
for grabbing life fruit

or one too old
looking below
Where it had fallen.

You spend or you
just waste time
aspiring to taste
the Fruit forbidden.

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An Ancient Lungs Story

Doctors knew
all about my ailing lungs
so they were assuring me of
my quick recovery in a few months.

Beautiful nurses too
unaware of my mind
sang with the doctors
as I blankly looked through the window.

In this ancient lungs story
they were all trying in vain
to bring back a smile on my face
unaware of my seventeen sleepless nights.

In the darkness of those never ending nights
I wrote a sad ending for my love
on pieces of a badly broken heart
but they were telling me all about my lungs!

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An Erratic

This could be a great fun
if we could really describe
exactly what we are.

Is this really possible
that I let you know
what I am to many others?

Am I ever complete
a man without my images
drawn in many others mind?

So friend, I am telling you
this is me
always putting question marks.

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An Important List

My 'don't want'
list contains
your cell number
unknown person
different world.

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An Important Matter

In a higher plane of life
a simple life style
and a plain appearance
is food too good
for cameras
coverage too good
for newsprint.

When your profile
is not that high
of a celebrity
this would be wise
adding little make up
to make one feel
good of your presence.

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An Investor

With the patience
of an angler he angles
no fish
in a stock market he waits
to grow them bigger.

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An Offer For You

Ladies and Gentleman
Listen to me.

I forgot to affix
a signboard saying

entertainment for bored
isn't available here
right before your nose.

What maximum I can do
only for you
is to carry your boredom
while you read my poems.

I don't however
guarantee to return
your loads forever.

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And I Became A Child Again

Recently when I got a week full
having no hurry to carry
my children for tuition
or to carry my self to the office
I thought it would be all better
to take leave from
the all poetry too.

My prayer sincere I found
was sanctioned
as I did not feel
much pressure from my pen to write
more and more poems
like a sales person dying
for achieving sales target.

The ring tone of my poetry is
basically sad
and I know that
my poems are lava of
my erupting unhappiness.
So, I had no pressure to write means
I was feeling happy.

That's the secret
I am trying to share with you
that searching readable in book self
I explored stories of Birbal
a courtier both wise and witty
of the Mughal Emperor, Akbar
and read it enjoying almost like a child
once again.

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And I heeded Myself

My sleep was a pretension
and before that, saying 'Goodnight, '
was a wish for leaving me alone.
Now that they were all gone I felt
comfort and peace in utter loneliness.

Free from lights and free from din
I dipped into the deep darkness
soft, silky and comfortable
I swam in my memoirs and thoughts
deep in my heart and obscure mind.

'This place's very cozy, so nice! '
I said to him, Myself.
'Yes, Let's discuss' he said
'No, we should wait for 'She' to come
I uttered. 'Go to hell, ' he replied.

Myself didn't like She anymore,
I knew and I didn't like him much.
But Myself loved me and I loved 'She'.
disgust-fully he glared at me,
anxious I, awaited She to come.

Waited long and She came at last
along with her also came Herself.
She looked unhappy, disturbed,
also embarrassed, but Herself looked sad.
She wished Myself and I wished Herself.

It was not a pleasant meet for me
I tried but could not convince She.
but She could convince Myself very well
Herself I saw hiding pain and tear
She went saying 'Forget me, please dear'

She deserted me, my heart, wretched
a gloomy Herself only followed her
and glaring at me Myself did utter,
'Look, She has killed yourself in her,
you must kill Herself in you, or die.'

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Answer

Both yes and no are the right answers
considering who you exactly are.

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Apsara- The Celestial Nymph

Don't forget you said
'I am closer than all distances'

Don't forget you said
'I am not leaving for a bit anyway'

Don't forget you said
'I have known you for ages and ages'

'Come back, my Urvashi, come back'
Your Pururava cries.

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Arrival Of Two Cute Sentries

First comes those thieves
who breaks into the shops and lifts valuable goods.
Then comes those police personnel
who takes reports and photographs
of losses and damages so caused.

Now comes two puppies
one cute red and white
and other pure black with red eyes
to ensure shopkeepers peace of sleep
in cold winter nights.

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Art Of Doing Things

Guess, they did it very well
to ensure excellent result
but thoroughly I have been
very inapt in waxing in time.

That mine did not work well
is not surprising to me but
how can they do it so aptly
I've always been wondering.

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As If We Must Prove

Almost once upon a time
I would be the little boy
in a large family.

Every large family the then time
would have large number of people
parents, brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts and cousins.

Brothers, sisters and cousins
we ourselves would be the friends
guide and philosophers.

We would stay together, sing together, eat together.
We would also fight together and play together.
We would grow together.

Then there came the wind.
The selfish wind of making small families.
The wind shattered large families everywhere.

The wind became a storm and till now it blows for decades.
No one can say when or if at all it will stop.
We are still trying to prove division is very advantageous.

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Asmaa Mahfouj

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the clear sky
erupting like a cloudburst
flash floods million souls
with na-mubaraks

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Awkward Moments.

I forgot you and also what I actually told
I felt uneasy as you went on saying'Behold!
a few words from you these are
I've kept them as my precious treasure
I've saved them from time's cruel seizure.'

Memories drizzled while eyes blurred.
I blushed in shame and felt awkward.
Searching your name in vain till last
which I lost somewhere in my past
'You are., You are..' I mused clearing dust.

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Back To Darkness

we is not dead.
(sorry)
I am just tired
telling myself
'I should not say
anything about we'.
This we never existed
except in my thoughts.
This we has been
my illusion
my obsession
my weakness.
A very ugly we.
Half of this we
is better in grave
even if
it breathes somewhere.
I'm very sorry
I killed it slowly
to say
I'm not dead.

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Bad Time Is Sure To Come

In your life, in your home, you don’t solicit
You don’t wish, but I come, I pay my visit.

None I forget or forebode, rich or poor
None I forgive or forgo, I knock the door.

You pave my way, or I make my own
But I come, I don’t care you frown.

You don’t like my presence, you say “No”
But I can’t delay or defer, I go

Wherever I wish, whenever I like
Your anguish I don’t care, I strike.

I rob your belongings, shatter your hope
I laugh as you sob, I leave you mope.

I destroy your dream, your peace of mind
I tear your joy, I'm cruel, I’m unkind.

I’m destined, sure to come, I’m merciless
I’ll come. I’ll take my dues, leave you helpless.

I’ll give you deep sorrow, pain and grief
Friends will desert you, or pretend to be deaf.

Fear me, beware me of, know me very well
I’m your bad time, certain to come, very near I dwell.

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Balance

Thinking about a different kind of balance.
This will be used for measuring happiness.

My mind will hang like a tinkle from a thread.
One end of the thread will be tied at the top of happiness tree.
The other end will remain tied with the skeleton of unhappiness.

When happiness will increase at a rapid rate all around
the mind-tinkle will roll towards unhappiness.

When there will be a rise of unhappiness all around
the mind-tinkle shall move toward the happiness end.

Thinking about the efficacy of this balance
Thinking about its acceptance.

Will everybody agree that feeling happy or unhappy
is the relative effect of situations in our surrounding?

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Basic Confusion

Do the basics change every year?
Every month week or day
Every hour, minute or second?

Do they change as I cross
The boundary of a land
Or boundary of age?

Now a day I often confuse
If basics are all alterable!
befitting the size of users!

I often ask myself if
My basics are different than yours!
If I need to replenish my old sets!

Often I also think, keep thinking
If I should fight for my basics
Or give them up for yours.

Because I'm but compelled
very hard for changing my sets,
To sustain, to breath freely!

Now I nearly agree with you
Almost on every issue that
They are not ever the same for all.

Basics are often changed I see
Agreeing with I get changed I see
Drifting, floating, sinking my soul I see.

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Beautiful Killing

It kills time.
Time has to be killed somehow.
I have to move forward killing.
It's a must.

Killing is beautiful here.
Besides time
it also kills
pain of lonely hearts.

I can leave this here
asking you to find
what is it?
But no, this is not a puzzle.

I hate puzzles.
I had enough of them.
I was thinking of internet
and poetry as a tool.

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Begins To End

You didn't know but I
knew that I did lie.
I didn't tell but You
felt it, smelt it, knew.

Knew not what I lied
but that I did hide.
Felt not what not said
smelt but that I tried.

I didn't know but You
knew that You said 'Friend
You are not you I know
I feel a few things end.'

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Big, Bigger, Small, Smaller

I am not the biggest
there is someone
bigger than me.

I am not the smallest
there is someone
smaller than me.

I am always there
between two extremes
I tell myself I need be happy.

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Bites Of Memories

That place was too similar to this place.
Long cozy roads, plantations all around,
distant building blocks, play grounds,
beautiful gardens, demonstration plots
classrooms, hostels, canteen, students
walking together friends, side by side.
blowing air, hair; covering faces, smiles.
books in hands, speeding bi-cycles, words;
some spoken, unspoken, understood.

I was damn afraid of coming here;
to such a similar place where I once lost
my valuable days, my dreams
I was not very sure if I could survive
bites of painful memories
because I lost my faith in love
somewhere there on a similar path.
But soon I realized now I had grown
capacity to bear more pain and shame as well.

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Blind

I'm not blind because I can see your faults.

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Boneless

Time is often a domesticated dog
Mind frightened hide behind fog
Faces in mirrors look like frog
Going boneless is now in vogue

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Brooming

Unknown face
crowded Facebook
required grooming
for my friends
I had to do
little brooming

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Business Minded

Please come in changing your mind
Let there be spells for friendship too

I don’t solicit business minded people
Taking control of soft business of life

Come to a friend with a friendly mind
which is not laden with hidden agenda

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Business Plan

There are people
who will have reasons
to ignore me.

There are also people
who will have no reason.

While I plan my business
I keep note of this reality.
I am not unhappy for that.

More people than time
is something left in my hand.

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Care

Soon after I had thought I would die
I hurried to pay my insurance premiums.

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<! - Death death death death death death death death - >

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Castles Of Words

There I live in my castles of words
on the beach of life which are built
with the sand of sorrowful thoughts
filling those tombs with sadness silt.

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Catch

Got to catch
Fishes
So I wait
Not impatient
To net.

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Cause Of Irritation

Long before knowing
love can also irritate
I know, I irritated you!

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<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >

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Changing Of Direction

Willing or unwilling I had to change it often.
Towards you or just opposit in direction I had to move.
Life has been for me only changing of direction.

Gladly or sadly I had to accept it often
to east, to west, to north and back to east
Life has been for me only changing of direction.

Saying it or by not saying, what you had told me often
I had to ignore, overlook and move in rytham with destiny
Life has been for me only changing of direction.

Agreeing or disagreeing you had to live with or leave me alone
but from east to west, west to north, back to east and far east
Life has been for me only changing of direction.

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Clown

My love had no value
though
I failed to accept it.

More I tried to sell
(haha)
more you declined
to buy
(hehe) .

This was surely a funny thing
going around
though
it was not fun for me
(he he) .

In life’s real episode
I was the clown
but
I failed to act
otherwise
(haha)

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<! - Life life life life life life life life life life life life life- >
<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
<! - Funny funny funny funny funny funny funny- >

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Color Of My Pain

It hurts me
makes me insane.
Asks me
who have I left
where?

Not the barbed wire,
Bougainvillea color
tries to
remind me
a forgotten world.

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Colour

: What's your colour?

: Colour!

: Yes, I mean it.

: Why ask? You can see it!

: Shut up. You know what I mean.

: What do you mean, Sir?

: Shut up.You know I don't mean black or white.

I mean what you are?

Blue, green, red, saffron or a tri?

: None, Sir.

: Shut up.

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Combo

Now I’m no more in limbo
thought a lot so long akimbo

Heaven and Hell are on earth!
They come in a pack combo.

<! - heaven heaven heaven heaven heaven heaven- >
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Come On, Flow

O, my Tears, come on flow
deluging my eyes, come on blow.

Come on tears, flow at ease.
Need not you fear any tease.

Now I have withdrawn every bar
Eyes are not limited by gender.

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Coming Back To Home Earlier

If you come back to your home
regularly earlier
and if you never get out of home later
not necessary that your wife and children
become very happy.

Who wants
to share a television screen
in prime hours?
who wants
a detective father in study matters?

But this is not the case here.
I feel my family isn't unhappy with me
although very regularly
I come back to home earlier
and do not get out of home later.

Here are my two important keys of peace
regularly I keep distance from the television screen
which keeps my wife cool
and I keep no extra vigilance in study matters
which keeps my children fool.

The third is the most important key
I do not disturb any of them requesting
to read my every new poem and to enjoy
and I am also not unhappy that
people from three worlds we live in a home.

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Coming Back To Life Again

Yesterday and today
I thought very differently.
I thought I was
becoming too wise.
I thought I was
becoming almost unwise.

I thought I was trapped
in a labyrinth of calculations.
Everyday weighing everyone
With a measuring stick
of past deeds, misdeeds
I found no one was perfect.

Everyone I found defective
Undependable, selfish.
Thinking this way everyday
I found I was becoming lifeless.

I thought I needed people to talk,
People to have a chat.
They need not be very perfect
They need only be people.
I felt an urge to meet a friend,
a relative or just anyone
Just someone to talk to me.

So keeping away all reasons aside
day before yesterday
I visited a friend
To day again visited a relative.
Now I'm feeling comfortable
now I feel I'm
coming back to my life again.

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Common Sense.

Everyone knew why baby must cry
Everyone knew when one must lie.

Saying 'I'm fine' and saying 'I'm sorry'
needed not be so but general courtesy.

Playing little foul and telling little lie
not a big crime, nothing to shy.

Practicing to say 'I love you dear'
needed not be often a serious affair.

'You are my friend' is just a common saying
necessary not that you are believing.

Promising a treat for doing better job
forgetting it later not a matter you sob.

When one sure will close his open eyes
needed not be worried why someone defies.

Why She got changed and becoming so busy
needed you know why behaving uneasy.

These are few lessons never taught in any school
who learned them are wise, rest are known as very fool.

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Conclusion

Lost the game which I never played
Lost you who never belonged to me
From A to Z it was an old my story
I accept this interpretation happily

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Conscious

By and large I know why
people do not like me much
but I'm helpless
because I dislike
grooming myself to their tastes

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Consequence

Not that I was not aware
of rule of the road
but accidents just happen.

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Conversion

Be careful, when you deal with me.
Things are not at all happening
the way they should, they would.

A converting machine is working
somewhere! A force pulling
everything in its stomach twirling.
As if, finding more meanings
except one it means, is its only job.

I am afraid, really afraid
things will never be the same again.

I am afraid, you'll soon
dislike this person who cannot say
yes to your yes
and no to no, anymore.

Friends, I am afraid, I'll
lose you more who are already lost.

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Cornered

I have reached to a corner.
Here I’m self-forced to live
all alone.
The alphabets of language
I know
are not the same you speak.
They are outdated,
not in vogue any more.
In your modern outlook
I’m an alien
waiting all alone to board
my last breath to fly away
to my known ancient planet.

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Cost Of A Life And The Conflict

Oops!
The puppy yelled in pain till it went out of all senses.
Hardly it could stagger up to the roadside wailing in severe pains
before it succumbed to a state of unconsciousness for now or forever.
You, an unknown offender drove the car away not even caring to look back.
I walked up to my home musing on the cost of a life and conflicting rights.

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Critiques

It's not unexpected
if you are silently criticized
for your unaccomplished
goals.

Everyday you may ignore
critics in the crowd
but every night you fight
the worst within yourself.

One poem or many
or thousands of them
can not substitute
ownership of a house.

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Crowd

Crowd is changing its face very fast.
Everyday I'm meeting new crowd.
Everywhere I find them moving.
Never and none saying a hello to me.
As if I'm entering into an unknown
very deep concrete jungle, unforeseen.

Am I an alien or the crowd?
Is it the same planet where I belong to?
Then where are the people known?
Where from this new crowd coming?
What has happened to the old ones?
Have they all hidden behind old days?

Why am I still walking with this crowd?
Is it my destiny that makes me walk?
Why do this crowd ignore my presence?
Do I look like a different animal to them?
Do they speak same dialect, which I'd speak?
Is there someone to answer my questions?

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Dandelion (Cinquain)

Tiny
Dandelions
blossoming in the hill.
Each one is lost in the millions.
It’s me.

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Darkness Within

Darkness of mind that I witnessed
darker than a witching night it was
Ugly heart mine filled with hatred
for no one else but mine, alas! Alas!
Living in dungeon of sorrows within
I drank my wine of tears and yelled.

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Date Palm Trees Where Weaver-Birds Built Their Nests.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

They were there waiting to be killed
for committing no crime to mankind.
but for meeting It's starvation for space.
They bore tasty little fruits,
I loved them a lot to eat
and gave my friends as treat.
In winter they gave us juice, so sweet! so warm!
and I would keep waiting for winter to come.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

Though they didn't Vex
those three men with axe.
they came and fell them down
one by one.
They axed them into pieces
when other pieces dried.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

No one did cry
no plants, no human, not even I
only a few weaver birds chirped,
whirling over our heads
encircling their nests
fallen on the ground
which rested there on top of the tree
little while ago.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

I wished, I get the nest
which was intact than the rest,
rested beyond my reach
at the tip of the fallen tree.
It was so beautiful to look!
I wanted to decorate my room.
I tried, but soon I cried 'ouch! '
a pointed leaf of date tree
pierced my leg, I restrained.
But a man of those three
soon came with a knife
chopped and punished those leaves
and fetched me the nest.
I rewarded him with a smile.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

The weaver birds chirped
whirling above, perhaps cried
as I was carrying the nest.
How nicely they've woven the nest!
I was thinking and 'wow! 'I exclaimed,
there were nestlings inside!

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

Nestlings were so lovely,
so cute, I touched them softly,
took them on my palm with care,
much care, lest they fall and die.
'Death? ' I feared 'No I must save them'
I thought myself 'I must help thee'.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

Soon I rushed to the man
sought for his help again.
I wanted him hang the nest there
in the branch of a coconut tree near.
'It won't be that easy to save them dear '
he said as he thought for a while.
But lastly he did what I wished.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

He climbed the coconut tree, I knew for me,
threw the other end of a rope
where I tightly tied the nest.
Gently, carefully he took it to the top
he tied the nest there in the rib of a coconut leaf.
the weaver birds still whirled
chirping, I thought now they laughed.

There they were three
Date Palm tree.

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Daydream

Let there be only one temple
where all people shall meet
with the supreme God.

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Dearth Of Happiness

Every flower resembles your face.
They do not make me happy rather
they speak to me of those days

when we would have dearth of food
clothing and accessories to make
a living together united a modest life

in a much bigger cell called family
other than one I am now in expecting
better days of fulfillment to come.

Every flower reminds me of promises
which I never made literally but
always understood having been made.

Now I have dearth of happiness which
in dearth of food I surely didn't have.

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Death Of An Evening

I will probably write a poem
to hang this evening till death.

No hope that it will survive
the harassment of time unkind.

Else, I kept this evening for you
but you have lost the reason to take it.

Wish those days did not change
and I had no reason to interpret

what you say and what you mean
and what you mean but never speak out.

Wish I did not buy that instrument
which only increases the distance.

I could then arrive to your door by walking
to give you no chance of saying any excuse.

But most of our wishes are not fulfilled
so I'll not move and allow this evening to perish.

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Debts And Weights

Do you know dear one
how every time your weight reduces
when every time you stand
seeking help at our doors?

Don't you really know
how every time you kill
your trustworthiness
when every time you fail to keep your words?

Don't you also know
that we do not forget
your promises of returning debts
when good time returns to you?

Then why did you allow yourself
to act with us this way
that we don't anymore
solicit your presence from our heart?

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Defeated

Oh Plant, I'm defeated,
Defeated to you,
Me Human.

When I look at you,
I find myself
so small! so mean! so selfish!

Your life and that of mine
When I compare, I see
The contrast of Good and Evil.

You are the God, I believe
And I ask myself,
Am I not the Devil?

Oh Plant, I'm defeated,
Defeated to you,
Me Human.

You give us breath to live
And food to eat and grow.
Give us rain, relief from pain
in our sufferings and woe.

Oh Plant, I'm defeated,
Defeated to you,
Me Human.

Glaring at me,
I feel shame to thee,
I've nothing to give.

I'm a thief, I'm a Demon
I put off your life,
I live on your flesh.
Yet I cut off your throat
build castles with your bones.

Oh Plant, I'm defeated,
Defeated to you,
Me Human.

My civilization of motion,
My search into the space.
Also fueled by you,
Your ancestors' remains.

So I hide my pride,
Oh Plant, on shame
I'm defeated to thee.

I beg for your mercy,
I'm Worthless Human.

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Departure

Years ago, cold night
in a hospital, you laid
in the dawn
a chariot came
to carry you forever

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Destined

Today I think of you
but not as I would
think years ago.

Today I think of you
but how different are
my thoughts now!

Today I think of you
but alas! we don't remain
the same you, same me!

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Devil Rules

Devil reigns, reigning,
mind, heart and soul.

In his extended Kingdom
Rules implied

don't Be Honest
don't Be Kind
don't Give up lust.

Love
Faith
Trust
should cease
To Exist.

Or be penalized.
Penalty of pain
poverty and shame
prolonged despair
grief and sorrow
will be imposed

to teach you
a lesson
to be borne
in your mind
heart and soul
Devil Rules.

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Did Not Match

Looking with a 20: 20 hindsight through
the rear window of my life vehicle
Now I understand I fell too short to become
your beloved by your love measuring stick.

You loved love, which is not spoken out.
As I opened my mouth about my love
My eligibility for your love decreased.

You believed in love, which is only rewarded.
You wanted me to run fast to win your love.
But what you wanted was your trade secret.

On the contrary love to me wasn't a trade
To me love was an wonderful imagination
a free flow of desire and passion.

Hence your never spoken terms and conditions
did not match with my imaginations of love.
So you smiled and walked out of my life.

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Difficult To Say

Who's your friend, who's your foe
difficult to say, difficult to know.
Whom you do love, whom you do care,
whom you do trust, with whom you do share
your hope and despair, your happiness and woe,
is perhaps your friend, perhaps not a foe,
but difficult to say, difficult to know
who's your friend, who's not so.

It may not be true but beware
he doesn't love you, she doesn't care
he doesn't trust you, she doesn't share
his happiness and woe, her hope and despair
is perhaps not a friend, perhaps a foe
perhaps you're shocked, afraid but true
difficult to say, difficult to know
who's your friend, who's not so.

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Digestion

Like many other problems
as I grow older
I witness
digestion problem comes.
This should be equally true
if you think of delicious food too
though I'm not telling you so.

Proper digestion is a must
or it will not allow you to sleep
and sleepless nights
shall make you sick.
When eating is a must
the art of digesting too
should we slowly learn.

But who there not knows
that we have always shown
deterrence in learning
important lessons of life?
No surprise that we suffer
from heartburn.
Day by day I learn. I learn.

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Digital Deluge

When the world was yet to turn into a global village
When we were yet to start living at our fingertips

When we were yet to cede to our digital identities
we'd live much closer in our in-erasable memories.

Forgetting was not easier and we'd need decades
for erasing memories of togetherness from minds.

Love and hatred would not grow in haste but slowly
being irrigated with the flow of care and negligence

We would be allowed pretty long time to regret
our less wise acts and for getting prim redress.

Every moment would be weighed with much wisdom
before we could conclude saying we needed an end.

But then there suddenly came a digital storm to blow
away us from our own selves and a digital deluge flow

To rob us of our patience and to tell us about time
escaping too fast and about our need to hasten up

We found ourselves all equipped needing only to press
a few button to delete memories to bring up a digital end.

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Dirt, Everywhere!

Everywhere dirt!
Dirt in my eyes, dirt in my mind,
dirt is also in my soul
there is dirt in my heart!

Am I a poet?
Does a poet look like me?
Am I a merchant in the mart?
Am I not a politician smart?
I ask myself. I die.
Is it the time for saying goodbye?

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<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - Smart smart smart smart smart smart smart smart- >
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Disagreement

Selling a piece of land
for peace and prosperity
now I pretend
I have lost none
but I don't agree with me.

<! - Agree agree agree agree agree agree - >
<! - Agree agree agree agree agree agree - >

<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >
<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >

<! - lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost - >
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Dislike

I know someone
who wants to live with everyone

I also know someone else
who wants to live aloof from everyone

and I do realize
everyone loves none of them too much.

Everyone feel pity for someone.
Everyone feel jealous of someone else.

I feel I dislike
someone, someone else and everyone.

and I also feel
They dislike me.

<! - someone someone someone someone - >
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<! - live live live live live live live live live live live- >
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<! - everyone everyone everyone everyone- >
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<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
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Disobedient Eyes

My eyes reflected my lust
I abashed mixed up in dust

A pair of glasses at last
I ashamed got for a must.

My eyes now at a very ease
looked at whatever they please

Free from a deadly disease
my eyes now greatly appease.

<! - Lust lust lust lust lust lust lust lust lust lust lust lust - >
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<! - Eye eye eye eye eye eye eye eye eye eye - >
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<! - Eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes eyes - >

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Disposition

Be the ruler or be ruled.
I promise you peace.
Anyone falling in between
Witnesses a chaotic hitch.

<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >
<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >

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Distance

What to say about distance
They are always in your mind
Away is close to bosom for instance
Near is all away you may find.

What is more about distance to say
They are all illusive relative lies
Closing your eyes you may see them away
see them so close with open eyes.

Length of the same distance often do change
As changes come there in your age.
You grow and distances away comes in your range
Ranges again go away with your passing days.

The distance of one you love seem so very close
Someone else's close to you but seem so apart.
Whom you don’t love you can’t see before the nose
Whom you love do come away from close to your heart.

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<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >

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Distant Call

In a distant call more and more you wish to know
about more and more people closed in a frame old
of forgotten time and place where we together lived.
My replies as if instead reaching to your ears
come back to hit my mind soon loudly resonating.
Now I hear you speak less about certainty of changes
occurring in life as I visualize those days rushing
right before my eyes for a moment flashing alive.

Politely narrating my limitations and constraints as if
I'm trying to convince not you but my own inner self
that I’m the last person to be blamed for the breach
realizing my words constantly pinning my conscience.
Instantly I visualize numerous rifts in the relation plane
which I could easily refill with little efforts in time.
Trying to fill those gaps with clever words now I feel
There are more cracks in my heart filled with sadness.

<! —time time time time time time time time time time time time time time time time time time time - >
<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >

<! - People people people people people - >
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<! - mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind- >
<! - mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind- >
<! - Old old old old old old old - >
<! - Old old old old old old old - >
<! - Old old old old old old old - >
<! - Day day day day day day- >
<! - Day day day day day day- >
<! - live live live live live live live live live live live- >
<! - Speak speak speak speak speak speak- >
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Distant Reality

What has a poet got to do except suffering
If a child grieved tries to immolate herself
for reasons that varies from place to place
time to time here in reality zone near-hand?

What has a poet not to do except suffering?

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<! - Reason reason reason reason reason reason - >
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Doing Right Tonight

I'll revise my way of doing things
right tonight.
Some ways are already too old
to feel comfortable with.

The age is not that old anymore.
Everyone is now very tactful.
If I misunderstand their language
chance is open I'm ridiculed.

So, I'll have to revise my thoughts
controlling my all emotions
I'll have to agree with the changes
in attitudes of people.
Everyone does, everyone accepts
who am I to resist the wind?

<! - Night night night night night night night - >
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<! - People people people people people - >
<! - People people people people people - >
<! - age age age age age age age age age age age age age - >
<! - Old old old old old old old - >
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<! - Comfortable comfortable comfortable - >
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Don't Lend Me Your Eyes

Don't lend me your eyes
to look at me
or they will hit heavy
on my heart.

I don't want to see
what I already know
Let there be a layer of mist
untouched.

Don't lend me your eyes
to disturb a dream
Let there be some notions
unseen.

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<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
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Doors

Doors open and closed are all virtually seen.

If I'm not an idiot what is written there on it
a welcome note or a statement forbidding
by smelling wood I can feel before I get in.

Doors are not only doors but also faces behind.

Closing my eyes I can visualize them very well.
What's waiting for me inside I need not be told
While approaching a door but I know it for certain.

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Dreamless

Time has already slipped
away from my hand.
Now in fact
I've nothing to lose
nothing much to gain from life.
Now I am aware of my limitations.

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<! - Life life life life life life life life life life- >
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Dyeing

I don't believe
I'm going to dye soon.
Actually I don't wish to dye now.
In fact I don't have any reason to dye.
I don't, don't, don't.
I hate dyeing.
my hairs are still black enough.

But this is a crazy world.
People are dyeing everywhere.
No age bar for dyeing
Red, yellow, black and white
everyone dyes.
Any one dyeing any time.
Dyeing has become a fun almost.

N: B-There is no typo in this poem
Please read this poem once again
after reading it as it is, please read it again replacing the words
dye=die and dyeing=dying

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<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
<! - People people people people people - >
<! - People people people people people - >

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Equations

Broken relations
Shattered dreams.

Crude Emotions.
Ups and downs

Brimless mind
Ebbs and flows.

Imbalance balance
Renewed relations.

New equations.
Perfect shows.

<! - Break breaking broken break breaking broken - >
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<! - Break breaking broken break breaking broken - >
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<! - mind mind mind mind mind mind mind - >
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<! - Perfect perfect perfect perfect perfect - >
<! - Perfect perfect perfect perfect perfect - >

<! - dream dream dream dream- >
<! - dream dream dream dream- >

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Erosion

Now onward for an hour and a half
From this pillar to that post I'll walk.
For this hour and a half I'll talk to me.
I'll talk to me and no one will hear.

Now for this hour and a half
Very minutely I'll examine
the balance sheet of our dying relation.
I'll think twice rethink thrice if I should
Make a phone call to you.
Or should I restrain for now and forever.

Friend, I know if I make the call you will
Talk to me with your famous friendly tune
But now I also believe that you'll never
Make a first phone call to me.
This makes a difference to me.
But I'm afraid you'll never know it.

Walking from this pillar to that post
Now for and hour and a half
Again next week and few weeks thereafter
Same day, same time here I'll slowly kill
my wishes to talk to you always first.
May be someday I'll also be killing
my wishes to talk to you altogether.

May be very soon sadly I'll
Wash out your existence from my memory
May be very soon (though I don't wish)
Yours will be an unknown number
in my phone book.
This will be very sad I know but
I'm undone, friend I'm undone.

Now onward for an hour and a half
from this pillar to that post I'll walk.
Walking from this pillar to that post
now for and hour and a half I'll think.
Thinking again and again I'll uproot
the reminiscence of our wilted friendship.
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Even If Everyone Is Happy

Every one of everyone is happy
but this does not bring happiness
to someone.
One of someone never agrees
this is any reason
not to be unhappy.

Some thing of something
is always wrong
only with the one of someone.
Anyone may think
just anything about him
like wise or fool but who cares!

One of someone shall always think
only the way he likes to think.
He may also be a She
for your convenience.
You have to deal with him
or maybe with her
sometime or some other time.

Maybe then you do not lose
your patience precious
and take the chance to learn
how is it not to cry
when you should laugh
and how is it not to laugh
maybe when you should cry.

<! - everyone everyone everyone everyone- >
<! - everyone everyone everyone everyone- >

<! - happy happy happy happy happy happy - >
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<! - someone someone someone someone - >
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<! - Agree agree agree agree agree agree - >
<! - Agree agree agree agree agree agree - >

<! - Unhappy unhappy unhappy unhappy - >
<! - Unhappy unhappy unhappy unhappy - >

<! - something something something - >
<! - something something something - >

<! - Wrong wrong wrong wrong wrong wrong - >
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<! - Think think think think think think - >
<! - Think think think think think think - >

<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >
<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >

<! —Deal dealing deal dealt deal dealing dealt- >

<! - time time time time time time time - >
<! - time time time time time time time - >

<! - Fool foolish fool foolish fool foolish- >

<! —lose lose lose lose lose lose- >

<! - Patience impatience patient impatient - >

<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >

<! - Cry cry cry cry cry cry cry cry - >

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Every Rabbit Sleeps

It was not the rabbit but a tortoise
who won the race in the story.

May be I believed it was
a lazy rabbit who reached after tortoise.

May be I thought to rewrite my story
where rabbit won't sleep on the way.

But I am fed up that my story finished
with a sad lesson 'every rabbit sleeps'.

<! - Story story story story story- >
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<! - Thought thought thought thought thought - >
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<! - Sleep sleep sleep sleep sleep- >
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Everybody Vs.My Money

Insurance agents, investment promoters,
Sellers of everything on earth including my future
Everybody is hankering after my money

Everybody means everybody.
My money means my money.
There should not be any confusion.

I'm very worried about everybody.
I'm very worried about my money.
Everybody is very worried about me.

They have a lot of attractive plans for my money.
They are very worried about my future well being.
Everybody has seen future except me.

I can only see their present.
I can only see how disappointed they become
When I fail to put my money in their schemes.

<! - confuse confusion confusing confused - >

<! - Worry worried worry worried worry worried - >

<! - Present present present present present present present - >

<! - Future future future future future future future - >

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Everyday I, Pass You By.

Everyday I pass them by
motion takes me away.
I do not like to go,
I do not like to move,
but motion takes me away.

Everyday I pass them by
motion takes me away.

I wish,
I go there with them
in the playground, I play game.
I do not like to go,
I do not like to move,
But motion takes me away.

Everyday I pass them by
motion takes me away.

I wish
I go there with them
in the pool I also swim
also catch fish and crabs
in the mud and clay.
I do not like to go,
I do not like to move,
But motion takes me away.

Everyday I pass them by
motion takes me away.

I wish,
I go there with them
in the field, I also roam
also run to catch the kite
throughout the day.
I do not like to go,
I do not like to move,
But motion takes me away.

Oh, my life,
Everyday I, pass you by
I do not like to go
I do not like to move
But motion takes me away.

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Everything Isn't Fair In Love And War.

Deceived and denounced in love, defeated in war
the soul, the nation, are derided, unheeded, forlorn.

The scream, agony, pain, disgrace and the tear
of them, the victims, the tools, secluded are borne
by them unheard.

Secretly they bleed, they fear to plead the truth
they bear, they suffer, they scorn
They know everything isn't fair, in love and war.'

<! - Truth truth truth truth truth truth truth truth- >
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<! - War war war war war war war war war war - >
<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
<! - Truth truth truth truth truth truth truth truth- >
<! - soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul - >

<! - Fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear - >
<! - Pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain - >

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Expectation

I haven’t said here anything.
I haven’t written here anything.
I haven’t indicated here anything.
Yet you believe I've surely kept
something hidden for you here
in this blank page and I've must.

This is called expectation.

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Eyes And Mind

They can see
how small is your problem
and how big is mine.
Eyes are made like this.

Even if I claim, my eyes
have tried to look otherwise
you won't believe!
Mind is also made like this.

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Fair

Always logged in
you can see a mad man here
you are also there
sad man and woman crowding
in a unique poetry fair.

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False

You need not believe this is true
'Everything I do, I do it for you'

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Farewell To A Tree

Dear coconut tree
don't be sad
my new building
just can't co-exist
with you.

I will miss you
especially in summer
however
synthetic drinks
shall rescue.

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Fate Of A Birthday Resolution

In less than two months from now
I'll be crossing my 47 the milestone of age.
This is again a time for me to make
an old birthday resolution again anew.

I contemplate if this year I can
breakthrough the repeating of failures
in keeping my promises made to myself.
I wish this time I don't forget it later soon.

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Fate Of A Conversation

Every time our conversation
reaches to a dead end
very soon
as you begin it with a no.

It acts like a sudden break
causing heat
and depreciation
to this sensitive mechanism.

You are not one
keen to learn smooth driving.
I'm also one adamant and keen
not to proceed further.

I dream of a yes situation
when deadlock doesn't exist
in our conversation
like a routine phenomenon.

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Fear

I fear not the fear itself but O, my dear
Losing your love is my only greatest fear.

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Five Vertices For A Triangle.

It's a silly point, afloat
within a triangle
my mind these days.

An ethereal affair
I don't know
love or war, goes on
in between three vertices.

More I come closer
to a vertex, it shows
more real to me
when others look faded.

Now it seems
the time has ripened
for a vertex destined
to come and join hands
to shape it to a rectangle.

Maybe at last, a pentagon
shall finally work to bring
peace in chaotic hearts.

Getting converted
into the fifth vertex
maybe, my fate, I guess.

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Follow The Rain

Follow the rain or
follow the path
and you reach
to the wonderland
we had been.

curiosity kills
and I want you be killed
for then only we survive.
It's our choice in a kill-
or be killed situation.

Did I say you something
about Julie
who enjoys speed
more speed
and no sudden breaks?

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Folly Of A Lover Boy

The boy had something else to tell
about some other girl
as if he was in a hurry to show
an honesty certificate must
to win over her heart.

So directly and indirectly he tried
to say his prelude to the girl.
But where on earth was a girl ever
ready to listen such a song
monotonous?

The boy was dying for the girl
as much as he died once earlier.
If never loved someone in childhood
you won't understand how
the boy wasn't doing everything wrong.

Rest is his fate that he loses
his soul mate to a monster called time
and also the girl he loved now
to other monster called common sense
for she had also an illiterate heart.

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Food

I will fail to explain how but I know by now
Poetry is food for many others like me.
Like every other food everyday in my dish
Pieces of delicious Poetry need be served.

Mostly I like to intake poetry self made.
Repeatedly I intake the same poetry dish
Which everyday tastes different, day after day.

I don't know how good or bad this food is
But it works well to keep me fresh everyday.
I'm not insomniac but hardly I get to sleep
only few hours as poetry keeps me awake.

Poetry keeps me awake even when I sleep.
Poetry keeps me asleep when I'm awake.
And I also know this also happens to you.
But people in general will not understand.

I also live with those people who do not
understand what I fail to explain But
they are the beautiful people I think about.

You must be living with many of them
who have mindsets differently molded.
They need no food as such and therefore
I feel no urge to share my food with them.

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For A Beautiful Face

For a beautiful face all that I could do
Give all my pleasures and take all her woe.

For a beautiful face all that I could do
Leave all my friends or make them my foe.

For a beautiful face all that I could do
make myself a pauper and let all my esteems go.

For a beautiful face all that I could do
Let my wishes perish to make her wishes flow.

For a beautiful face all that I could do
to make her a peahen could look like a crow.

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For Ashraful

Dear Ashraful,
You have inspired me
to write my first poem in Bengali;
our mother tongue.
So this poem is for you.

This ugly barbed wire fences of border
have spoiled
our possible meet and gossips at noon
long ago.

Or before that when (1971) an war broke out
between east and west
scattering confused people away from home
into different directions,
possibility of our meeting at noon ended.

Or long before that
possibility of this meeting diminished
when (1947) boundaries of new born countries
were clearly demarcated.

Or even before that
when you and me jointly killed this possibility
long long ago (1905) being affected by
the mockery of partition of Bengal.

Otherwise in this holiday today
as one of your neighbor
I would have been dining in your courtyard
as a self-declared guest
just like our forgotten ancestors.

My love for you. Stay well.

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Forbidden Love

Before the clock was set to count our smile
Together we traveled. We traveled for a mile.

Before the clock was set to count our tear
We traveled for a mile before no one could hear.

Before one could even stare, we could only see
through each other's eyes beneath the lonely tree.

Face to face we sat, eye to eye would state
hand to hand would walk, soul to soul would mate.

Back to back we sat, far afar would stare
ear to ear would sing, song to song would fare

What we would not say, we could only hear
We could only feel, what we would not fear.

Before the clock was set to count our bygone day
We would travel in morrow, we would together play.

Before the clock was set to count our unheard prayer
We would together pray, we would together share.

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Foresight (Epigram)

What people say, can not be over ruled
I was a poet, thirty years ago they told

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Forever Blind

This world must be a very big place, else,
how is this possible that we do not meet?
Is this a mere coincidence or intentional?
Is this a solid proof of our unproven love?
Is this a proof of our mutual solid hatred?
Either way I explain, it indicates your love.

Well, you need not be serious about this.
I am still blind is a bad news only for me.

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Forever Gone

She went.
Because I wanted her to go.
Wanted her to go being hurt.
For hurting her I plotted the show
Just alike a smart director would do.

She went.
She came, as used to come as friend.
But either God or Devil played in my mind.
I wished her to go and not to come back again
For I knew, a new life I was about to begin.

She went.
I knew she would come to stay this time.
She would come to gift me my heart back.
She knew I longed so long for it so cared
She came to heal but returned her eyes blurred.

She went.
She came unaware of the fact going wrong.
She didn't know when I got changed.
She came with her smile as she would come.
Not aware that I decided her to dump.

She went.
As friend she came to meet me but you see
I received her as honorable guest.
so courteous I never used to be.
As perfect host I served her food and tea.

She went.
Before going she tried to find me in me
hiding behind the mask, not seen.
behaving like a stranger to a friend
very well could I enact till the end.

She went.
Her smiling face had gloom before she went
I knew I could make it get her trapped
in thoughts that would not let her feel
Back to see what made me make such deal.

She went.
Not having my heart returned to me.
Knowing but it lost it's worth be born,
somewhere she might have thrown it away.
Since then Heartless I'm happy going in my way.

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Forgetting

Flowers in my garden
I can't see for rain
So difficult, so difficult,
giving up your pain.

Words are all gone
Yet I stare at their wraith.
So difficult, so difficult,
giving up your faith.

God is now not worshiped
idol rolled down the slope
So difficult, so difficult,
Giving up your hope.

Distance now being measured
by the length of time
So difficult, so difficult,
with the life to rhyme.

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Forgive Me, My Enemy

Forgive me. my enemy I have caused you such a harm
You could not protect yourself by using any of your arm.

Forgive me, my enemy that you could not measure my strength
Of bearing and enduring your tyranny by breadth or by length.

Forgive me, my enemy for allowing you to go on undisturbed
In your mission of harassing and suppressing not encountered.

Forgive me, my enemy for showing tolerance to your devilish deeds and
Forgive me for not showing opposition or deterrence till the end.

Forgive me that by allowing you the liberty to do anything you liked
I have allowed you to become a devil and my silence have now striked.

Forgive me that now your name is defamed and now you are ruined
Look East or West, North or South blowing against you the wind.

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Forsaken Dream

Related to you somewhere afar in a forsaken dream
I find myself in a frame of forgotten time and place.
In a dungeon there remains a part of me imprisoned
I reach there often to have a glimpse of our existence.

There you live with me always afresh with a smile
Which never droops apart from your face engraved
You walk with me there in a vista of forgotten past
Sit beside me and hold my hands in yours beloved.

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Foul With The Fowls

Every Sunday one fowl dies for me.
A killed and dressed fowl goes to my home
weekly to meet my family ration of meat.

It takes only a moment for the bird to be slain
when I pretend to look at the crowd
to prevent my eyes from falling on bloodshed.

My heart falls little weak at that time
but mind helps me overcome uneasiness.
It says I just can not be too good to every fowls.

I am going steady with this weekly program.
I have no idea if I am playing any foul with the fowls.
I have also not heard of fowls having any complaint.

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Four

My Nine is just
not comfortable with Four.
But it recurs in life
not bothering
what I wish not to recur.

There were also numbers
between one to nine
other than four
but to my great surprise
the registration number
of my new bike came
which numerologically counts
Four.

Can I really blame myself
if I start worrying
a bit More! ! !

The number Four
greatly recurred
when my daughter was born
on 13th the four
and since then
my Nine must have been
matching with the four
in love and friendship.

So, I don't fear
if four recurs
even in my insurance
policy number.

Four just pulls the breaks
of my mind only for once
when I tend to accelerate
the speed of my motorbike.

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Friends Should Have No Problem

If they are not comfortable in my heart
I'll shift them to my brain.

I'll take care of them like they are my guests
within my limitations I'll also do my best
and a curtain for certain also shall I hang
covering my pain.

Friends should have no problem with me.
I'll allow them to leave me whenever they want
and allow them to join me again.

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Friends!

Do they hear footsteps fast?
How I wonder they better forecast
Spring or Winter, how they come to know
before they come and before they go?

How I wonder they could foresee fate?
In coming and going I never see them late!
Friends! I do fear, both of them are true!
They come and go or just come to go.

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Fun-E-Poet (Clerihew)

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A poet fond of joy
His world is but very sad
He runs for butter and bread.

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Gains

You think of gains and so you talk.
Nothing need be done if they do not
bring you gains of some sort or kind.

I wonder if we aren't in all respect
growing business minded too often!

I wonder who may be left there at all
ready to book losses if gains fall short!

Is there a business where all will gain?
Or we’re heading to a time when we will
fearing great losses shall delete our own?

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Gaps

Gaps remain.Alas! In gaps
Flying wishes forgetting to fly fall.
Desires soldering dreams suddenly stall.

Gaps remain.Alas! In gaps
Mind recoiling goes to slumber deep
Virtue's traded for vice always cheap.

Gaps remain.Alas! In gaps
denied Justice wisdom helplessly wilts.
Flag upholding the faith on truth alas! tilts.

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Geet- The Song

'Aaja tujhko pukare mere geet re
O mere mitoya.....mere meet re'
Seventies.
My age of adolescence.
' Come on, my song calls you
my dear, come on'.
Heart wrenching
famous hindi song in celluloid.
Mala Sinha, my first Love!
Rajendra kumar, my hero
or myself?

'Chand Suraj ki yeh prem kahani
prem jagat main hain sabse nirali'

'The Love story
of the Sun and the moon
Oldest in the world of Love'

'Naam na jane tera ghar na jane
reet na jane sangeet na jane'

' don't know your name, nor home
neither your customs nor music'

The boy from the remote village
Rajendra kumar, me, cries
for his lost love Mala Sinha.
Everyone cried for the innocent boy
in a dark room, cinema hall.
Everyone thought
it was not fair that each time
a rich girl should break
a poor boy's heart.
Wet handkerchief
Red eyes
Empty hearts.
Show break.
Me too cried
for my lost love
Nostalgia.

And thereafter
came more heroes
more heroines
to make me cry.

'O sathi re tere bina bhi kya jina
Tere bina bhi kya jina'
'O my soul mate
what's the use of living without you
what's the use of living without you'

Now it was not Bacchan, me
the poor boy.
Not Rakhi, my lost love.
A real one, fading.

B R E A K.

She came.On screen
Rekha
and one in my life
not at all Rekha.
Now there was gossips
in Bollywood
and there was gossips
in my life too.
There is no truth
in gossips.
The world knows.
Now I know.

Raj Kapur warned

'Jaane kahaan gaye woh din
kehte the teri raah meein
najaron ko hum bichhayenge'

'where did those days are gone
when you said that in my path
you will lay down your eyes.'

But I didn't listen for a while.
Mukesh became my favorite singer.
Those days, I would sing Mukesh a lot.

You have arrived
pretty late you know.
My charming days are almost all gone.
Else, I was the best match for you
unlike those pansies
who can not even sing.

Courtesy: - The lyrics of hindi film songs contained in my poem is not my work.They are taken from three hindi films 'Geet' 'Mukaddar ka Sikandar' and 'Mera naam Joker

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Get lost

Get a new sim for you almost free of cost
Let the world know that now you are lost

Losing one’s self had never been so easy
Every now and then people are going crazy

They are getting lost whenever they're feeling
to get lost for ever before closing any dealing

Choice remains open before you and me too
Why to sit rooted not fleeing but in situ?

Why to lose a chance of getting lost in a maze
If losing is the game Let us join into the craze.

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Get Your Peace Back.

Your existence, Your pride, is a wish fulfilled.
Your body, Your mind n soul, were nourished.
Your merit, Your intelligence, were nurtured.
Your wishes, Your dreams, were supported.

Your existence, Your pride, not your alone.
Your body, mind n soul, are in deep debt.
Your merit, Your intelligence, are payable loan.
Your wishes n dreams fulfilled, are committed.

Awake, from head to foot, You are indebted.
Your glory, Your fame, Your wisdom, are at stake.
Your riches, Your fortune, are being laughed at.
Your glitter, Your shine, are waning black.

Go fast and act, protect Your soul, be wise.
Fulfill the commitments not kept, repay Your debts.
Don't be a miser, don't hesitate, Your heart cries.
Laugh with them, Get your peace back, Long awaited.

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Ghosts

I’m a ghost and you are a ghost
We all are ghosts.
Now we talk with the ghosts.
Ghosts are our friends and they are not at all ghostly.

We also live with and work with some living people.
But they are all ghosts and they are all very ghastly ghosts.

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Give Your Child A Heart.

Give your child a heart, Oh, Mother
Give your child a heart.
Heart that makes them kind
Oh, Mother, heart that rules the mind.

Give your child a heart, Oh, Mother
Give your child a heart.
Heart that makes them wise
Oh, Mother, heart that fights the vice.

Give your child a heart, Oh, Mother
Give your child a heart.
Heart that tells them to care
Oh, Mother, heart that tells them to share.

Give your child a heart, Oh, Mother
Give your child a heart.
Heart that nourishes the hurt
Oh, Mother, heart that consoles the heart.

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God Is Sorrow

If you had reasons to be
too good to others in life
you must have once felt
His sorrows in your heart
and in tears of your eyes.
You must have felt
God is sorrow.

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Going Through The Hell

My perception about hell
has much similarity
with this world today.
Also there is a difference.
I'm not expected to be alive in a hell
but here I'm not dead.

People are burning
inside, outside.
Closing eyes and ears you can't say
I don't see
I don't hear
I don't know.

You must see
You must hear
You must know.
This is the voice of this time.

No escape for you.
mighty tsunami waves of information
shall blow you must
into the deeper pain.
The moving television screen
repeatedly invite you to know more.
Knowing more
increase your digestibility
to know more.

The time to happily live
not seeing
not knowing everything
is long left behind my friend.
You should not even ask
if you have any right
not to know.

You must know everything.
You must know
the sweetness of your blood
during fasting and after having food.
You must know
when your heart may stop.
You must accurately note down
your daily ration of oil and salt.
You must know
even if everything going alright
when your heart may ask for a by-pass
or when at least a pacemaker
would be required to satisfy it.

Totally forgetting

how much can it take
all information
must be pushed into your brain.
You must know
who have done
what mischief
and where.
You must know
how many are dying
in the fire of greed.
You must know
how many have died
in bombing.
You must know
how many have been killed
in politics.
Besides, you must think of your fate
calculating all possibilities.

This is not important to ask today
what's the use of such information?
You must devour
this infinite information bank.

In this compulsory journey through this hell
keeping your eyes and ears always open
you must fill up your brain
with all such information wastes.
Everyday you should know
new information
Everyday you must get
a feast of indigestible information.

You must read these profane news in detail
and feel as if
you are the one of the news.
You must take the taste of all horrible incidents
and feel as if
you yourself have been murdered
and cut into pieces as the assassin stroked.
You must feel as if
this is your corpse
which have just been drifted away
with the mighty tsunami waves.

Who have actually died
shall never come to know
how unfortunate is you who have survived
to burn in nuclear radiation again.

At the end of this continuous journey
there should come a day

when your tired and devastated soul
shall surrender to a peaceful death.
You can surely expect
infinite happiness is waiting for you
there in the darkness
where information can not reach.

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Good days

Everyday I believed
the next day would be a good day.
Every week I thought
the next week would be a good week.

Not only even every month and year;
Believe me, I thought the same
for four long decades and a half.

I found no such good day, good week,
good month and good decade coming
as I imagined.

Rather, looking behind I found
they were remaining there in my past
and I could not go back to them.

Then I felt, such things
could not be tolerated further.
A life span almost
could not be wasted anymore.

So I started implementing a plan.
I changed my way of thinking.
Now I started thinking just opposite.

The next day would be a bad day
The next week would be a bad week.
The next month and year would also be bad ones.

The result was amazing.
The next day wasn't that bad,
neither next week or month nor the next year.

Looking behind again now I find
my recent past days,
weeks, months and years
weren't better than my today.

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Good Man Confusion

Pen is my enemy and also this keyboard
which works as good or better than a pen.
If they did not exist could exist my secrets.

Their existence but creates all confusions.
I am forced to say what I have just discovered
I could be a good man if I were not a poet.

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Good Of It

Anticipating death
quickly I cleared
all due premiums
is the good part of it.

Otherwise, the rest
of my anticipation
was more dreadful
than the disease
or it's pain
or even a real death
that did not happen.

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Goodbye

Tears were to dry and they dried
They also dried in time and in time
I learned to ignore my nasty scars
and besides I also learned to live
with everyone and alone myself
except you my forgotten ex-love
Wishing you goodbye.

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Greens And Carrots

You know Julie
(I know this is not your name)
there are only two places
in my world
just 10.5 Kilometer away.
One is my home.
Other is my office.

I know this distance so exact
because six days in a week
I travel this way to and fro
in a motorbike
to fetch my rotten carrots
at the end of every month.

I walk the line daily
so exactly I know
when the cattle herd returns
to their night shelters
at the end of everyday
after grazing in nearby fields.

You know Julie
(I know this is not your name)
I find me so similar
to each cattle of that herd
who walks in search of greens
while I run to get my rotten carrots.

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Palas kumar Ray

Groups

Always at least
two groups.
A group may be
of one or two.

One will like
for no reason as such
Other will dislike
for every reason.

Wind up your thoughts.
You need not to
go too far.
Look into your heart.

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Guestbooks

No guestbook
no guest.
This should be
the arrangement.

Else, they may visit
your heart for once
and break it forever.
Who wants it for once?

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Guitar

I had a guitar.
My daughters have heard of it
but they haven't seen it.
Their mother have seen it
but she hasn't probably heard me playing it.

I mean, when I would play this guitar
none of them had entered into my life.
This would be little wrong
saying I would play that guitar.
It would rather play by itself
when I would privately talk to it.

This guitar, perhaps came to me
through my elder sister
who was learning guitar
later who became a guitar-teacher.
She now lives at distance.
As far as my knowledge goes
still she teaches.

I have always been too impatient
to go with the grammar.
So, I could not learn playing guitar that well.
But I don't remember if I had much trouble
in playing guitar by using only two strings.
Sister taught me how to tune up guitar
so I had no problem in playing in tune.

When everyone would go for sleep
defusing the lamp I would sit with my guitar.
I don't even remember if anyone raised any objection.
So, now I think my hand in guitar was not that bad.
Neither my neighbors shouted at me.
Simple inference, my music wasn't surely souring to their ears.

I remember, when I would feel something clogging in my throat
and despite several try which would never come out
I would feel great satisfaction playing guitar that day.

Now I don't play guitar.
Someone close to me have taken that guitar to learn.
Neither he has learned nor has returned the guitar.
I don't even remember if I had asked for my guitar back.

I think that guitar was definitely a magical one.
As if it could play in it's own.
I was also a very different person.
I could play guitar by my own.

Even if I try to play guitar, now
I fear, It will not be in tune.

People will surely shout at me.
Or they'll make fun of it.

May not be so.
But I won't play guitar again.
A different mind set is required to play guitar.
In fact, I have lost that mind set.
Neither I have tried to get it back, since long.

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Crash

bucketful of water
washing away my mood
a computer crash

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Lost Paths

a buyers' paradise-
pedestrians' nightmare
kolkata footpath

sole proprietors-
the king of all roads
hawkers.

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ A Break

the laborers dine
together in shades
spades and baskets bask

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Acquitted

Monsoon refusing
to bring ample shower
why to blame summer

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Cats And Dogs

no cats no dogs
are seen around
it rains

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Certainty

Leaving behind
everyone goes-
time

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Contrast

a black and white child
a colored middle aged man
two photographs mine

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Dark Shades

dark shades
in the corners of my mind
your portrait

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Deepavali Night

thousands of candles
illuminating all homes
festival of light

crackers and fireworks
decorating dark sky
deepavali night

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ End Of A Dream

the train takes you
away from me forever
dream departs

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ End Of A Month

on the table lying
empty purse, passbook, a list-
on the bed lying father

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Fortune

the palmist narrates
his bright fortune to the boy
a dark face glowing

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Goodnight

Early to sleep
too early to rise-
work in mind

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Gossip

lailā majnū
breaking apart
talk of the town

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ In Love

a letter
she never wrote but
I read it often

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Information

last night
she got married-
the end

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Life

a woman crying
crossing busy street
a public hospital near

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Market Crash

fear engulfs
as stock market crashes
rich people crying

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ News

bad people are all
very sincerely bad
all channels breaking

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Pearls

tiny water droplets
resting after the rain
don't say they are pearls

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Platform

people hurrying
to occupy place
local train arrives

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Playful

two little birds flying
away from our balcony
a panoramic view

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Regrets

sound of laughter
from all corners
my regrets

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Runners

merry go round
from teacher to teacher
crazy parents touring

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Scared

Pen is scared
opening her mouth
poems are nudes

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Surprise

no bad news
in headlines today
an extraordinary day

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Surrender

again i reach
to this crematorium
surrender to peace

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Time

colorful festoons-
all over the streets
election time

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Time To Happen

I kept my keys here
and my purse on this table
age whispers

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Unspeakable

she is watching movie-
outside a dark theater
a heart badly burns

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Warmth

sun absent today-
coldest day of the season
campfires at roadsides

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Winter Rain

umbrella-raincoats
with sweater-pullovers
winter rain

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Childhood

a few children
riding a long bamboo
a local train going

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Common Story

my old friend tells me
stories of his battlefield
war at every home

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Happiness

mother looking at
baby in her bosom
happiness molded

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Helpless

What do I do
if both are weapons
my silence and my words

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Inspiration

mother from heaven-
helps her son write poems
blessings falling

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Mirror-Man

man in the mirror
never the same
except the name

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Peace

read newspaper
or watch television
peace is going

think of money
or think of inflation
peace is going

think of past
or think of future
peace is going

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Sad Moments

Internet failure
computer off
unhappy father

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Smell Of Rain

clouds black and white
running fast to fill the sky
smells rain in the air

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Soldier

a lonely soldier
in the war field of mind
fights with a pen

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Summer At Home

late night poetry
throughout the year
annoyed wife

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Haiku (Senryu) ~ Summery

market floods with
melon mango pineapples
summer heat in price

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Happens After 40

Thinking;
Not very easy
to write a poem
only for adults
without sex.

Thinking;
Prompt is very clear.
too well I understand
what you want me to write.
But scrolling pages
ups and down
Thinking;

How wise
would it be to write
what I often think.
Thoughts which are
dangerously sexy.

In fact
They are much safe
Off ears and eyes.
Otherwise
I would have written
Everything
happening
to you, to me
only after 40.

Thinking;
They are no secret
to you, to me.
Even if I don't
write anything
but
on a piece of paper
if I ask you to imagine
your thoughts written
I'm very sure
you will relish
an erotic free verse.

If you ask me
and if I do the same
same pleasure I'll
get reading my work.
Thinking;

But neither you nor I
shall write our thoughts
because we are

not old,
not young,
just above 40.

We know how to keep
safe distance
between fantasy
and bitter reality.

I shall not like
to keep any proof
what I think
what I thought.
Thinking;

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Happens In A Life

Ah! music!
I'd listen to them a lot
almost a life time ago,
now stopped!

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Happiness, A Search Within.

Wants are fire
Flames are woe
Happiness is a flower
nourished by a shower
How can they live together do?

Money is honey
which you earn for need.
Which you earn by labor
Gives you happiness flavor
Makes you happy indeed.

Look at the eyes of a mother
As she feeds her kids.
Look at her she nurture!
How pretty the sculpture!
Look, look, how happiness breeds!

No one can make you happy
Happiness is a search within.
as long as you sow
the seeds of grief and woe
you are caught between.

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Happy-Unhappy

How can I make you feel
Always happy with me?
Oh men, women, that man
Without making myself
Unhappy how can I be?

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Hard Work

No harm in aspiring for becoming the best
No harm in dreaming of surpassing all the rest

Only we need understand the realities as well
that results, whatsoever be the field we are in
comes after a long struggle and sincere efforts.

Merit cannot substitute hard labor and sincerity
though later alone can show the road of prosperity.

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Harvest

Situations may beat
our expectations
yet,
we need to fulfill
our duties to aged ones
before we expect the same.

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Heart

My tired and aged heart
than love
more is a doctor’s concern.

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Heaven And Home

Sending their sons to heaven
there abroad
fathers are happily returning to home
there above.

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Help

Uprooted plant
 from its veins
transpires
water droplets
Before it dries
Before it dies

Uprooted plant
tries to sip in vain
water droplets
From the air unkind
Before it dries
Before it dies

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Her Name Is Not Julie

I call her Julie but this is not her name.
She is my anonymous friend.
Her happiness makes me happy
and sorrows make me sad.
But searching you won't
find her anywhere
for she lives in my thoughts.

Trying to reach each other we clean
facade and blind
johari window panes.
She is not one who gives me up
nor one I can give up either
and thus our friendship grows.
I call her Julie but this is not her name.

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Hey, I'm The Genie

My search ends
when at last I come to know
I'm the genie.
Genie in the bottle.

I am deceitfully trapped
this is how I feel about me.
I have immense power
of doing good, doing great
but you fools
you have blocked me here
almost dead.

For such a long time
I am locked in this bottle
helpless, undone!
I am not sleeping
I am not blind, I am genie
always trying to break away
from my prison of glass.

I am very worried
for showing you my miracles.
You fools, I'm waiting
I am waiting to be freed.

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His Kind Presence

God has not always consented to my desires.
He has often approved what I deserved instead.

Not that I have always been happy with Him.
Not that I never thought Him someone unkind.

But later I regretted reasons of my unhappiness.

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Hospital

There is a hospital somewhere.
She does not like to go there.
Scary thoughts fills her mind
even at the slightest possibility
of going back there.

But I insist her to overcome fear.
You would have done the same
if you felt it from her notes...
she was suffering from
multiple physical injuries.

I don't think at all
we poets are good doctors
especially in the matter of
bones and muscles,
of respiratory troubles.

At the best, poets
may give you some suggestions
about heart
but that too
not about the same heart..

Doctors are specializing
worldwide.
Problems
anything physical
go to a physician, a thumb rule

and then you come back to us.
We will try our best
to dress up your wounds
with love and care
that your spirit is well
restored.

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Hot-Spot

In a street corner
teenagers stop to eat pork
stopping cold bikes for a while.
I have left my time behind
bacon is too bad for me.

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How Much Of Money?

How much of money'll quench my thirst?
Where lies the point of satisfying lust?

How much of money'll give me very trust
'Now I'm rich, I shouldn't worry must'?

How much of money'll bring me cherished peace?
Or it shall ever remain, beyond, beyond reach?

How much of money'll give me sure joy
saying 'got it enough ' I'll feel it to enjoy?

How much of money'll gift me sound sleep?
Or shall it ever elude, ever evade, slip?

How much of money'll get me real heart?
Or shall I search it among all dubious flirt?

How much of money'll get me real friend?
Or shall I loose them all before reaching end?

How much of money'll vanish those are foes?
Or they'll breath me before as I become loose?

How much of money'll set me free from fear?
Or they'll seize tomorrow, chase me far and near?

How much of money'll keep me ever sane?
Or I'll find me among who've gone insane?

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How To Feel Unhappy

How to feel unhappy? How to nicely sob?
See I do it often.It’s not a hard job.

Reasons to feel happy always there they are
Comparing your woes, feel it, with those of their.

But I guess it well, like me you too
Love to weigh blessings and detest weighing woe

Like me you ever overlook it rather
Who has lost an eye or who has lost his radar.

Who has lost his job or who has even died
Does not make me worried. Never I have cried.

If it ever happens that I start feeling happy
I look at your riches to find myself unhappy.

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How To Lose A Friend

How to lose a friend if you ask me
'Not a hard task, I'll say, 'how easy come see'.

For losing you need not tell him to go, very straight
Just pretend that you’re busy by looking at the gate.

If it does not work just open little mouth
Tell him you’re tired and just you've come from the South.

Keep your ears closed (only God knows why they remain open)
Pay no heed to his words till such seem to happen

That he gets very bored, little irritated and makes a little fuss
Why instead of listening to his words you are looking through the glass

In the meanwhile even if you feel a thirst for a little cup of tea
Forget it for now till you make him go out beyond see.

If all of them do not work just make a last try
Ask for some money from him telling you have gone very dry.

Yet there’ll be a few who’ll stick to you like glue for ever
Tell them to go now and not to come back till you come out from a fever.

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I Am As I Am

I'm not
as good as
you
as good as
him
as good as
her
as good as
X, Y, Z.
I'm just
as good as
me.
What I'm
is I'm.
I have
please see
my own
very own
flavor.
Not at all
alike
but unlike
him
unlike
her.
Accept me
if you can
as I'm.
If not
please go
somewhere else
please try
someone else.
I wish
to say
you
goodbye.

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I Believe In My Dreams

Believe me, I believe in my dreams.
Many of them have expired though
I dream my dreams shall come true.

They are not my ordinary dreams.
I dream them when I am awaking.
They are all gone when I fall asleep.

You may call them my day-dreams.
I don’t bother how you look at them.
They are my much adored real friends.

I believe my dreams shall come true.
I feel their presence coming closer
while I work to shape them so well.

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I Can Look Into Your Heart.

I can look into your Heart
And also I can See.
How much love and care
there you kept for me.
I can see
How much you do think
for my health, for my need.
And also I can stare
How much you do share
Your pain, your sufferings
And how much you don't plead!

I can look into your Heart
 I can see
The little bit of scorn,
kept hidden in care
Like a pinch of salt
in a tasty soup of corn.
the anguish and fire,
the dependence and fear,
the trust and faith
Which you never spoke to me.
But I can see, I can stare.

I can look into your Heart
Oh my wife, Don't lie
I can stare your heart,
I can see your beats.
I can see your soul
Oh my wife, Don't lie
You can't make me a fool.

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I Dictate

I dictate to my mind, ” Don’t feel bad.”
I dictate to my soul.” Don’t feel sad.”
I insist to go for versions up-to-date.
I dictate to them, “Update, update.”

I dictate to me for getting exchanged
a set of new versions of mind n soul
which will better digest all audiovisual
treats of life without being much upset.

Living in the age of vista with the ’98
not possible, not possible, upgrade
I dictate to my mind, ” update, update.”
I dictate to my soul, ” update, update.”

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I Don't Know

I don't know when such time
comes to you
when you suddenly change
your attitudes
and start doing things opposite
which you have most carefully
tried to avoid doing so far.

How can you start loving
if you have always hated?
How can you start hating
if you have always loved?

The man you are or the woman
is not made in a day.
There we are
where we feel safe and comfortable.
Your happiness and mine
as such, are coming from
different circumstances.
So is about our satisfaction.

Here it becomes difficult
to convince other
why someone is happy
even sharing his fraction
and other in keeping his whole.
Why are you not like me
is as such, a dispute never resolved.

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I Don't Love You

Once I wrote
I love you
I felt happy.

Then I wrote
You love me not
I felt sad.

Again I wrote
I'll love you even if you don't love me
I felt humiliated.

Lastly I wrote in bold
I don't love you.
I felt rejuvenated.

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I FEEL

i'M becoming
Selfish
And
intelligent
Too.

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I Hate You Know This

Problem with me
I am hungry
so, likely to respond
to your call
even if I hate you.

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I Know Only 50% Of Love

I know only 50 % of love.
Very simple.
The boy
and the girl meet
Fall in love.
Either the boy
Or the girl
actually falls.
The other
just agrees
to accept
the fallen ones.

You sense
they are in love
50% of it
But
remains unknown.

Fun, friendship,
advantage, favor
mere compassion

Can be just anything but
pure unconditional love.

This 50% rest
to me
Very complex
Only filler.

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I Laugh At Me

When my black and white hair
and high power lenses
fail to convince you
my wise thoughts
I laugh at me.

I laugh at me
because I tend to forget
that everyone deals in his own way
as I did it in my past
as I do it right now.

I will laugh more
if my wisdom fails to tell me again
what is really not wise doing.
I will laugh more
if I can not convince even myself.

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I Made More Mistakes (Pantoum)

I made more mistakes.I made more mistakes.
While visiting a village I felt it today.
I did not take care of my rural mind.
I made more mistakes than actually I knew.

While visiting a village I felt it today.
I was not aware of my genuine needs.
I made more mistakes than actually I knew.
My eyes were blind with my urban dreams.

I was not aware of my genuine needs.
Else I would have settled in a village.
My eyes were blind with my urban dreams.
Or I forgot my path leading to peace.

Else I would have settled in a village.
I did not take care of my rural mind.
Or I forgot my path leading to peace.
I made more mistakes.I made more mistakes.

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I Remain Thankful

Oh God, listen to me. I remain very thankful to thee
for the blows and woes of life as they come to me.

Comparing those of others before I try to make a cry
saying that my sorrows are weighing more I feel shy.

In showering love and care you have been much kind.
Scope of saying I have not been cared I do not find.

Before putting me into the trials you've always been
careful to give me the courage I have always seen.

Strength enough to bear the stress of life I've seen
You have always poured before the time me within.

Oh God, listen to me. I remain very thankful to thee.
For showering much more love and care upon me.

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I Want To Hate

Oh! God! do you tell me
not to give way to hatred
even for those adult capable children
who treat old father and mother
like orphans? like beggars?

Oh! God! do you tell me
not to scorn those nasty scoundrels
ruining innocence of children
who leaves them to darkness
for crying tears of blood?

Oh! God! do you also tell me
no way to contemn those parents
who kill female embryos
only because
they want males?

Then forgive me my father
I am not that saint.
I am ready to sacrifice
a heaven you promise
but I want to hate.
I want to hate.

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I Wish I Become A Phoenix

I lay scattered before time helplessly
Which I see slipping away very slowly
from my unwilling hand gradually!

What should I call it? My inability?
Ignorance? Irresponsibility?
Weakness? Destiny?

Is that my failure to say my need?
Is that because I didn't greed?
Is that because I didn't plead?

Well, now I shout with my might
IF what I didn't do was alone right
I'll do them now to give a strong fight.

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<! - Fight fight fight fight fight fight fight fight - >
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I Write In First Person Singular Number.

Firstly I feel, writing in first person is safe.
More it is so when used in singular number.
Safety first. So I write using this person
who is not in my opposition, who's easily convincing.
Using this person is taking the chance of not annoying
Anyone other than this humble helpless self.

The second person and singular number is Your home
This has always been the epicenter of tremors
Very sensitive, untrustworthy, touchy and risky
Originating almost all devastating quakes.
So very cautiously I try to avoid using You
also in my writing as cautiously I do in my life.

Third person at any number is relatively safer.
While using such person I enjoy the benefit of doubts.
Such person is like a stranger, persons without face
who has nothing to do with my words and sorrows.
Use him or them at any number, they won’t mind but
I don’t get enough satisfaction writing using any of them.

<! - Write write write write write write write write - >
<! - Writing writing writing writing writing writing - >

<! - home home home home home home home home home home home - >
<! - trust trust trust trust trust trust trust trust- >

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Identity

Not exactly what you may guess
But I often think I'm this and I'm that.
I'm not what I think I'm
Rather an entity confined
Within the outline you've approved.
Sometime I agitate within myself
Try to step out and soon escape
to become free from this monotonous trap.

Sometime I wish to demolish with might
My icon you have so perceived.
I wish I become this and I become that
Not exactly what you may guess.
I wish, I dream and I fantasize
I'm becoming someone, a real someone else.
Till I come back to home defeated
to my comfortable identity approved.

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If Instead!

If instead had you said, how impatiently you waited for me
If instead could I say, very calmly I didn't at all wait for you.

If instead had you said, how earnestly you thought for me
If instead could I say, very smartly I didn't at all think for you.

If instead had you said, how sincerely you cared for me
If instead could I say, very boldly I didn't at all care for you.

If instead had you said, how eagerly you longed for me
If instead could I say, very carelessly I didn't at all long for you.

If instead had you said, how lonely you felt for me
If instead could I say, very indifferently I didn't at all feel for you.

If instead had you said, how every moment you died for me
If instead could I say, very honestly I didn't at all die for you.

If instead had you said, how badly you missed me
If instead could I say, very surely I didn't at all miss you.

If instead had you said, how deeply you loved me
If instead could I say, very thankfully I didn't at all love you.

If instead would you have written this poem for me
If instead would I have not read this poem at all for you.

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >

<! - Die die die die die die die die die die die die die die die - >

<! - Think think think think think think think think - >

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
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<! - Lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely- >
<! - Lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely lonely- >

<! - poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem - >

<! - Miss Miss Miss Miss Miss miss miss miss - >
<! - Missing missing missing missing missing missing - >

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Ifs And Buts In Love

A never ending story
love
leaves you unfit to live
if you love enough
but
forget to care about life.

<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >

<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget - >
<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget - >

<! - Leave leaving left leave leaving left - >
<! - Leave leaving left leave leaving left - >

<! - Story story story story story- >
<! - Story story story story story- >
<! - Story story story story story- >

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >

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I'll Volunteer

Hey man, how smart are you?
Are you apt to escape from family disputes?
Can you ignore when your near ones suffer?
Can you tightly close your eyes
lest you visualize an ugly disturbing episode?
Can you manage to shut your ears well
lest indecent words fall on them?
Can you manage to suppress
voice of your conscience asking you to act?
Can you eventually forget
your role of a helping brother, friend or relative?
Can you manage to accumulate
sufficient reasons and logic to stay away?
If you say yes answering all of them
you are very smart and very intelligent.
May be you have also known
there will always remain some fools around
who will come forward
to resolve a dispute
even if they are not called for.
Next morning,
you will probably wake up little earlier
to gather fresh news.
But believe me, I swear
I don’t wish to be smart and intelligent like you.
I wish to share my all foolishness with them
I wish to sleep in peace next morning.

<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >
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<! - Relative relative relative relative relative - >
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Image Of Emptiness

Stars are stars.
Moon is moon and sun is sun.
Earth is earth.
Plants are plants.
Seasons are seasons.
Everything is everything.

Animals are animals.
Mountains are mountains.
Seas are seas.
Forests are forests.
Sky is sky.
Everything is everything.

Roads are roads.
Cars are cars.
Buildings are buildings.
People are people.
Time is time.
Everything is everything.

Flower is flower.
Love is love.
Tears are tears.
Dreams are dreams.
Imaginations are imaginations.
Everything is everything.

Stories are stories.
Poems are poems.
News is news.
Life is life.
Death is death.
Everything is everything.

<! - Sea sea sea sea sea sea sea sea- >
<! - Sea sea sea sea sea sea sea sea- >

<! - People people people people people - >
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<! - Flower flower flower flower flower flower flower flower- >
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<! - Sea sea sea sea sea sea sea sea- >
<! - Sky sky sky sky sky sky sky sky sky- >
<! - poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem - >

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
<! - Life life life life life life life life life life life life- >
<! - Death death death death death death death death - >
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In Front & Behind

A sad face
behind smiling one
is a cliche.

Discovering
a smiling face
behind sad one
can be a new trend.

Aren't you used to it?
Ask your mind
when last time
you had to take
help of a mask happily.

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In reality

Always trying to become too good
to too many persons for too long now
I have reached to this place where I am
only little better than becoming too bad.

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<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >
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<! —Trial Try tried trying - >
<! —Trial Try tried trying - >
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Incapable

She is not well
that is enough fuel
for me to brood.

I can’t alas cry!
Eyes have become dry
of emotions crude!

Though I am alive, alas!
Yet a man dead
in her troubled nights.

I am no solace for her
though my heart prays
in her troubled days.

**(dedicated to my elder sister)

<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - Night night night night night night night - >
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<! - Man man man man man - >
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Incomplete, Empty And Repaired

Mine is a journey incomplete.
One who walks and walks
looks like a poet.
So is my guessing.

Mine is an empty pocket.
It looks good
if you are a poet.
So is my guessing.

Mine is a heart repaired.
A poet with a heart sewed
looks better.
So is my guessing.

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Instrument

That day I was visiting my friend
with a broken leg in a hospital
who had his mobile phone on.

This instrument hardly allows
anyone else to come close
or talk to you.

The other day when I was at home
my other friend came
and found me busy with internet.

I felt the same at the hospital
what my other friend felt
during his visit to my home.

Later I found some shortage of time
to meet my friend at hospital but
talked to him over phone time to time.

Think my other friend also some day
shall stop visiting my home
and send me frequent emails.

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Internet Mess

Our forefathers missed this nice opportunity
of quarreling with the distant people instantly

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Introduction

How sad! my name
doesn't carry
my old reputations
a stranger in this city
my new introduction.

<! - Old old old old old old old - >
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<! - Old old old old old old old - >

<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >
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<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >

<! —Carry carried carrying carrier- >
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Julie Is A Fun Loving Girl

Julie does not care
what you whisper in the air.

As long as the sky
is clear like her mind

as long as the air
is warm like her heart

and as long as her companion
is a Jolly good fellow

refueling your thoughts
and sprinkling imaginations

Julie will be glad
to ride on a bike.

Julie is a fun loving girl
who loves to keep you busy

but she is also a loving wife
and a caring mother to her child.

<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
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Kalidasa In My Heart

Oh, dear Poet, Great
who you became Kālidāsa
why do you over cast my muse
like a nimbus cloud of pain
coming from your ancient Ujjain
of fifth century A.D to precipitate?

Why do I feel, not of yaksha
exiled in Vindhya Mountains
who conveyed his sorrow to his yakshini
waiting for his return to home
in distant Alka on Mount Kailash
through your poem Meghadūta-
the cloud messenger
but your spirit telling me
the story of your unspoken grief?

Why do I feel like, you too
a yaksha
speaking to my heart
from the prison luxurious
of a King's palace
where Vidyottama, the Princess
now your wife
condemning you
for your ignorance and coarseness
and blaming her ill fate
for marrying you by mistake?

Oh, Great poet,
do you also tell me that
great sorrows of Shakuntala
in your Abhijñānaśākuntalam
is all but your sorrows in disguise
of being humiliated
and abandoned
by your most beloved
Vidyottama, the princes
in your great poetry
using metaphores classical
of puranic stories and verses?

Oh, dear poet, Great
did you tell about secret passion
of the King Agnimitra
for Mālavikā, the servant exiled
in Mālavikāgnimitram
or of your passion for someone
a secret, you've never disclosed?

Why do I feel like you saying to me
the secret alchemy of a poet-

that pain of disapproval
and humiliation,
angst and anguish
are all very essential ingredients
for writing the finest poetry?

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Language

Love is
surely not
something you speak.
Why to yarn poems of words
when love needs no language
to express?

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Leave It To Holmes

I knew nothing about
Jeremy Brett
until yesterday
though
read Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
a lot in my teens.
Hope this is not a sin.

I know Vidya Balan
She is really very cute
I read about her in newspaper
She is now the hot Bengali girl
though she is not.
I have not seen her Kahani
nor the dirty picture before.
Such things happen
because there is no multiplex
in my city yet.
The small screen is too boring
to erstwhile cine goers.
Hope Vidya will not be annoyed.

Be it his appearance or voice
Amitabh is always great.
Be it 'Rango bharose bheege...' or
' Jadi tur dak sune keo na ase
tobe ekla cholo re'.
Am I a purist Tagore fan?
not perhaps
but this song has always been
my favorite.In fact
it injects
courage to your veins
to move alone.

Pansies were absolutely absent
in my dictionary till day before.
Now I know they can not write
good poems.
Me too a pansy I guess.
Presently I have
a turban and a cap
But I'm no Holmes.
He was the only master.
I can only imagine a ship
sailing to African shores.....

<! - Happen happen happen happen happen happen - >
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<! - Courage courage courage courage courage courage - >
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<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
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Let Us Again Be Stranger

Let us forget to expect
anything just in return
of love, care and anger
Let us again be stranger.

Let us break so apart
that we forget our faces,
remember a smile no longer
Let us again be stranger.

<! - Remember remember remember remember- >
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<! - Break break break break break - >
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<! - Forget forget forget forget forget- >
<! - Forget forget forget forget forget- >
<! - Stranger stranger stranger stranger- >
<! - Stranger stranger stranger stranger- >

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Liberty To Go

If you feel you should go, I'll not say no
Even if I become sad I'll not stop you.

Not that if I don't, mean it I love you little less
I'll also be sad as you'll break embrace.

If you feel it wise, I'll agree with you
together we'll break, together we'll go.

Know my love for you, not for a bird in a cage
together we'll fly away, together we'll stage.

Neither I'll blame you nor you'll blame me.
Together we'll claim, we were never meant to be.

Soon we shall go far away, as afar as we can
We will together go, let us together plan.

<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
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Life

Sharp turns ahead

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Life cycle

A stream is but destined to flow
till it reaches to its all time low.

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Life Did Not End With You

Once I believed
You and I were destined to meet here.
Once I strongly believed
There was no life for me beyond you.
Once I very strongly believed
My life starts and ends with you.
Once I strongly believed
Once I believed
Once I
Once.

Now
Now I
Now I believe
You and I were destined to separate.
Now I strongly believe
There was also a life for me beyond you.
Now I very strongly believe
My life didn't start with you who were
only an illusion and wasn't ever meant to end with you.

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Life Ends With A Computer Crash

I have recently survived
a massive heartbreak
working overnight in vain
and lastly by changing
an input drive
and upgrading
my random access memory.

Now I own seven windows
to enter into my world
more effectively.
You can not imagine
how blank I felt
when I went to sleep
with the rising sun elsewhere.

You can rightly call me
an internet addict
to whom most of this world exists
within this rectangular screen.
Whether this is too bad
is a different question but to some
life ends with a computer crash.

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Life Is Also Like That

He said he did it.
Because he had a lot of pain.
Because he wasn't happy in himself.
His voice still resonates in my brain.

He said he did it.
Because it was so necessary to do.
As he did no harm to me but himself,
he did not allow us to stop and wanted we go.

He said he did it.
Though intoxicated, his voice was very clean
eyes were so red and look was so cool!
He stood like a forbidding wall in between.

He said he did it.
We could only stand and helplessly see
an woman was walking inside the cottage,
as calm as He.We could only see.

He said he did it.
Fire was now larking in the sky.
Impatiently awaited for someone to come,
I was only a stranger with fear in my eye.

He said he did it.
Standing like a wall he said, 'Go'.
Everybody else who came near
Pretended if they had nothing to do.

He said he did it.
Fire engulfed the cottage while smokes went high
Nothing could be seen now what happening inside.
no scream, no cry, only deep sighs filled the serene sky.

He said he did it.
burning was now over and ashes were left.
The man disappeared having his wishes fulfilled.
We could only see his wife and three children who wept.

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Likewise A Good Samaritan

If you've been loving someone befallen into deep blues
You may like to listen my words giving you some clues
about how to get rid of those sticking strains and pains
how to restore clear sky from black clouds and rains.

If you've been loving someone broken your heart into pieces.
Fear not it will fix surely and the pain will surely recess.
You may find me of some use if you allow me to come close.
I may help you in learning lessons of Life's dramatic prose.

Don't waste time asking how they'll help you to become high.
You need only to become a learner and you need only to try.
'All I have lost in my life' is what just you have to me said.
Hence you have nothing to lose in hearing what I plead.

Fear not, my fee you need not pay an amount very high.
I'll surely not take a penny from you and I don't surely lie.
If you feel my medicine works, help you laugh at woes
I'll feel you have paid your bills and I have paid my dues.

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Limitations

Limitations are fate but
unbound wishes to rise
backed up by
efforts relentless
may take you to the sky
of shining fortune.

Thus I seem to believe
Though side-by-side
I fail not to remind myself
else I'll have to survive
close to this earth
where wishes myriad
are often miscarried.

Such plan contingent
weakens my wishes
reducing my chance.

More you have plans
more you have chances
to get diverted.

May be a consolation,
a bronze or a silver
will suffice to limit
your journey to the sky.

Likely even you won't
ask for a gold or a diamond
to abandon the path
almost like that child
who weeps for a car
to smile with a toy.

Know this from me
neither you nor I
deserve that ultimate joy.

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Listen To Me

They said
time was precious
I didn't listen.

They said
health was precious
I ignored.

They said
career was precious
I did not like.

I thought
precious was your smile
I lost them all.

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Little More Sky

Monotonous tunes of formula life
fills the mind with boredom
up to it's neck.

One more poem, little more sky
and a few more breaths
I need everyday.

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Living

Shifting
from a belief I'll not die
to a belief I'll also die
is completing a lesson
called growing up.

Now this is time
for choosing a path
which will lead you
either to heaven or to hell
not a destination but an way
which you will pass through
before death.

Walking in this chosen path
Is perhaps called living.

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Lo

Lo, You think me a fool because I'm not like you.
Look, what he thinks of you because you're not like him.

One thing I fear you'll never understand why
We are so different in our thoughts and outlook about life.

You want me learn your techniques of winning the game
while you fail to see my disregards about your achievements.

You remain busy showing me the miracles of your magic wand
while you overlook a piece of smile swiftly flashing over my face.

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Location

In the vast realm of God's billion creations
I have to trace and interpret my exact location

measuring with acute precision I have to know

my horizontal, vertical and angular distances
perfect up to every degree, minute and second,

from them who praise God for gifting a life
from them who refuse to thank Him for this act

from them who say they are blessed with it
from them who say they feel they are cursed.

Once I am done my friend I shall let you know
exactly where I am, how I am and why I am.

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Look

How wonderfully perfect is the Nature, Look.
Look like a poet, look like a scientist, Look.
Look like an artist or look like a child, Look.
If you are none of them yet I will say you, Look
Look like a man as just you yourself but look.

How wonderfully perfect is the Nature, Look.
Look with your eyes and with your ears, Look
Look with your nose and with your skin, Look
Look at the Nature using your tongue, Look.
Look at the Nature using your mind but Look.

How wonderfully perfect is the Nature, Look.
Look when you're awake and sleeping, Look.
Running, walking, sitting, eating, Look.
Look when you're thinking, drinking, Look.
Losing, winning, laughing, crying, Look.

How wonderfully perfect is the Nature, Look.
For getting and forgetting you need Look
For daring, sharing, caring you need Look
For loving and for leaving you need Look.
for refreshing and rejuvenating you need Look

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Lost

I’m lost in a hollow between my yesterday and today.
This is a unique place to live in free from acquaintance.
Between you and me there rests a thin layer of distance
Through which only I can see you and never you can.

From my unique abode I don’t only see your faces but
Through my million times magnified vision I can measure
Your every momentary move. What you perceive and decide
How you think and act is my friend, all seen escaping nothing.

From the confinement of time I have nothing to offer you or take
But silently observing the process of living, changing and aging
having no feeling of aches in heart or patches in mind in a state
of absolute irrelevance and solitude I’m to pretend I’m lost.

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Lots Of Love

Lots of love will give you lots of pain.

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Love And Compassion

I wished you to come
Very ardently I wished
You to come my love,
As pure, adoring, doting,
wholesome, untainted
unconditional Love.

But you came in sham of pity
Compassion and sympathy
 I refused to accept you
 My Love. How could I?
Tell me, how could I
accept you, tell!

You too didn't shy
To leave me alone,
forlorn in my grave.
You too didn't look
back to see if it was
A Paradise or Hell!

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Love Costs Too Much

Life is much real without love.
You can feel it, touch it and decide
what's good and bad for you
unlike when you're in love
from beginning till the end
endlessly.

Love takes you away from you
somewhere to a place
where no friend can
truly reach to help you
to bring you back
to your true orbit of life.

The worst of it is,
it leaves you nowhere
alone in a desert deserted.
only if you can manage
to thrive alike a cactus,
may be there comes a day
when you feel,
love is not bitter alone
may be then you will
write a poem on love
which everyone will
but you appreciate.
And defying
openly regretting
when you're all alone
will say to yourself
“Love costs too much'.

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Love For Death

Death halted
eleven years
for your permission
to cross our door.

Only when you thought
it was your time
not to stay here
anymore

I saw it entering
like an obedient son
to do its duty
of carrying your soul.

Mother, I can not forget
I saw love in your eyes
for death.
I cannot. I cannot.

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Love Is

I don't wonder why Love is the word most hated
I don't wonder why hate is the word most loved.

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Love Is A Moon

Love is a moon.
Sometime a new moon
Sometime a crescent
but always you cry
for a moon full.

Beware! She comes
with an eclipse too
when she comes
on a full moon night
sometimes.

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Love Logic

Even though you mean so
she was really not bad
else how was that
I loved her?

Her heart was made up of gold
surely it was
else how was that
I longed it for?

Her gesture surely told
her heart was cold
but she loved me
else how was that my heart felt so?

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Love N Hatred

When you say you Love
Father n Mother
Brother n Sister
Son n Daughter
Him and Her
I see you lie.
Whom you actually Love
is always ' I '

When you say you Hate
Father n Mother
Brother n Sister
Son n Daughter
Him and Her
I see you lie.
Whom you actually Hate
is always ' I '

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Love Unlove

Probably I wanted to see some tears
but in your eyes
I saw sparks of annoying laughter.

Blame me not if I were hurt.
Blame me not if I felt unloved.
Blame me not if I broke into tears.

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Love, Love, Love

Everywhere you find
Love, Love, Love
Everywhere I also find it
dying, crying screaming.

Everywhere there are
people of two kinds
seekers and exploiters
of Love, Love, Love.

I wish what I see
is not true.
I wish what you mean
comes everywhere true.

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Magic Time

Time and again I come back to time.
More I speak about time more I feel
I have not spoken enough about time.
I have witnessed time in more shapes
than I could have narrated elsewhere.

There are many impressions of time
deeply embedded in abyss of my mind.
I feel the urge for digging much deeper
to explore fossil reminiscences of time.

There came a time when hardly could I
Move anything applying all my forces.
All my efforts would always go in vain.
Nothing would yield positive till end.
Time would laugh at my helplessness.

My logical mind would fail to explain
Why everything went wrong with me.

And in contrast I have also witnessed
time when everything went too easily
things would move almost effortlessly
like a magic show, leaving me surprised.

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Mathematics In Life, Of Life

'You can leave it
but Math will not leave you'
-something like this
I said to my daughter
while choosing her subjects
for higher school studies.

Middle class fathers know
how to feed bitter pills
to obedient daughters.
They do it, because they know
their babies will have to pass
in every Mathematics of life.

She would have chosen
subjects of Arts
and not even Commerce
unless her father
would have
guided her to proper direction.

This is her father who knows
how many hurdles
she will have to cross
to win the shield of a job in life.
Subjects need be aptly chosen
and Arts can be deferred.

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May I Help You

Someone have told it
I don't know who
'adversities do not come alone'
and I have witnessed
in several occasions in my life
how true these words are.

When time is not good
bad news pours in flooding.
I feel I am put into a trial
of my capacity to absorb shocks.
They come like waves
to blow away all my resistance.

Every preparation to tackle them
is lastly proved futile
against mighty blows of misfortunes.
Chain of unfortunate events strike
as if I am an enemy in a war.
All my forts are one by one
destroyed into the dust
til I have nothing to lose.

you never know
where from the next missiles will
come to hit your peace and happiness.
If you are doing economically well
your emotional front may be attacked.
If you are emotionally sound
you may be economically bankrupted
or your health may be at stake.
So and so on.

This is my experience now for decades.
More or less now I am adapted to it.
Now I almost automatically get ready
to receive next blows
when a bad time seems to click.
Reflex? May be.I don't know what
but it happens and sends me an alarm
to do whatever I can do
to check the disaster incoming.

The mechanism seems work.
The only thing I try to save
after trying every other thing
is my courage.
I have taught my mind
nothing is permanent
not even bad time.
Everything comes to go and so will
even adversities.

like happiness and joy
period of sorrows also
do not last for ever.

I don't however agree or mean
they gets evaporated into the air
but one thing I sense surely happens
we get acclimatized to live with them.
So blows, my friends, shall come
and saving our courage we will
continue to fight with them and win
just by learning how to live with them
and this is what I understand
the life is all about.

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Meet The Boy

The boy didn't grow since he had become a boy.
His life was not common one like those full of joy.

The world he feared to him was harsh and very unkind.
The boy remained busy playing with his musing mind.

He didn't play too much with the boys of his equal age
In true sense he feared confronting with his own image.

Rather children below his age made his best playmates,
The boy felt it was cozy living alone than facing the straits.

The boy was roving around the people and tried to live
in a manner as he could best accommodate and contrive.

Between love and war he found the later was always true.
This is how he had to grow halting fearing even to grow.

The boy declined to wish for wishing for him was a crime.
because he was always advised for waiting for the right time.

And the time would surely forget to come to the little boy.
And the boy would surely forget to wish as he was very coy.

Searching tranquility in loneliness he was alone from the rest
What none else have bothered to think he found them the best.

Pondering on why the things didn't come to him as easy
the boy remained too obsessed with his thoughts very busy.

The boy also loved time and again till he was almost told
Love was good but for living it was not useful like the gold.

Love needed be accompanied with perpetual bliss to stay
He was never told but feared people whispering his foul play.

In his empty hand he had only some roses to offer to his max
once he cried in love but soon realizing sheared them with an axe

The boy loved to speak out straight from his heart not brain
had no other endeavor but winning hearts lingering in pain.

Alas! He found them there not too many and none for too long.
Almost all he found them haunting pleasures in desires strong.

Desiring was growing and growing was decaying what he saw
but keeping distance from him, time somehow broke the law!

Though the boy was helpless but to grow in external bind
but I know he remained a boy not agreeing to grow in mind.

What you call it I don’t know if it was all his deliberate will

but seeing everyone else growing but himself he felt a thrill.

The boy still remains young in his mind with a wrinkled face
Don’t fail to greet him whom somewhere you may trace.

Meet the boy who is also very shy who may come to meet
Close to your heart whom you may find awaiting a nice treat.

Slightest blow of negation he may feel becoming very cruel,
else he may like to nest in your heart and love there to dwell.

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Memory Of A Snake Bite

we were three
She, you and me.
Around a table
in a cozy restaurant
silent we sat
sipping soft drinks.
The waiter returned
with order for snacks.
Unlike any other day
in the same place
today we were
searching words
to ease
the atmosphere.
We smiled
very unusual.
Only she knew
what we had
in our minds.
Only she knew
what we were
about to tell
to each other.
She looked
little uneasy.
I could predict
no snake around.
Only I remember
for me it was
very important
to let you know
how important
you were
in my life.
For me it was
a must
to let you know
how badly I was
needing you.
I was restless
worried
nervous.
I was all set
to let you know
I loved you.
I did not apprehend
a snake was
hissing around.
I told you
I was
getting dependent on you
I told you

it would be hard for me
to live without you.
I told this
I told that
but before you smiled
I could not tell
the simple thing
that I loved you.
The snake by now
entangling my throat
took a perfect position
to enter its teeth.
You told
while you smiled
that nothing as such.
happened to you
or going to happen.
The snake poured
venom into my veins
drop by drop.

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Metamorphosis Of Organs

Eyes do not believe what they see.
Nose does not trust what it smells.
Ears do not agree with what they listen to.
Skin refuses to approve love and affection.
Tongue does not endorse sweetness.
Brain betrays to validate corrupt signals.

If such is the effect of growing age on someone
They would have to sail searching peace of mind.

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Midnight Thoughts

It is almost midnight
(I want to say it is past midnight but
why should I lie to add some special effect!)
when I open the door and step outside
in search of a poem.

They say
haiku moments fly in a moonlit sky
but I see none.
The moon and the blinking stars
give me no hint of a poem either.

The shadow tree tells me to draw her portrait
but nay, I'm not an artist.
Last night it was a mouse
which ran to and fro twice
missing tonight.

Then why do I think
again and again,
nature will ignite my muse
when I know myself
I'm a poet of a different kind?

Night gives me no poem
no peace or comfort
instead
it tells me the story of time
how it was lost and never found.

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Miss You Cosera

I miss my friend Cosera.She is missing.
I am worried about her laptop.
It was friendly when she reported last
on this friday morning from
the land of the Humming Bird
'lere' of the Arawaks
The Island of the Trinity
La Isla de la Trinidad
as Christopher Columbus
renamed her.

Though we always remain
at nine and a half hour-hand
distance
though our mornings
never meet each other
though we always look
at the other side of this sky
our ethereal soul would meet
and discuss
the anatomy of hearts.
We would jointly look
into the abyss of the time bygone
and would feel the thrill of exploring
the match in our chromosomal types.

I miss you spicy, I miss you.
I miss the taste of your hand-
made saada roti and choka
I miss the aroma of your tawah and chulha
I miss your peaceful morning
feeding the folks of hungry birds.

Fight Cosera fight.
Fight with the mechanic to deliver
your laptop fast
completely repaired and free from all bugs
for this heart
is too fragile a thing
which breaks too often or at least
gets deleted in a computer crash
accidentally, Julie,
you are someone
I am missing so much.

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Mistake

This time
as before
I did not
want to make
a mistake.

Mistake of
not saying
those three words
I thought you
surely longed
to hear
from me.

I thought
I shouldn't
surely make
a mistake.

This time
instead
I said
in haste
those three words
and I
came to know
I made
a mistake.

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Money And Friends

Money has a power to kill friendship.
Keeping them away from each other
You can save both money and friends.

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Muse

Writing is not enough
reading poem is a must
helpless poet thinks

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My Complaint

My complaint
you are not reading
my poems
best in the world,
missing something.

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My Happiness

Few words
oozing from my heart
few more
dropping from yours-
make me laugh
make me cry
Happiness is found

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My Horns

This is obvious
You cannot
See my Horns.
But you can
See them.
If I have
Money
But
You don’t have.

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My Mother

My mother now lives in heaven.She must be worried for me.

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My Poems Are Too Good

My poems are too good
but they are in search
of right people to go through.
I wait for them to come
and taste.

Someday, I believe
they'll come
and read them with love
as much
as I write them with.

They will go through
every sentence and word
and every letter
leaving not even a comma
or a full stop unexamined.

Everything in it
will speak to them.
Everything in it
will make them smile or cry
and reading my poems
they will wonder how
could I know their truth
so true!

The sad part of this story
is only this much
that when they really do
I may not be found
somewhere
that they can share
their feelings with me.

I don't think this internet
will ever be so powerful
to carry their feelings to me.
But who there again not rear
a child or a dream
proudly to fill his absence?

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My Poems, My Regrets

Even if I want
I can not write poems like yours
as I can not look like you
or smile like you
as I can not cry like you.

I can only cry for my poems
smile like me when I'm done
and look like me little embarrassed
thinking if what I have written
are at all poems!

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My Treasure

What you call garbage is my treasure.
Wish, if you could come back
to your childhood
to play with me.

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Mystery Of Magnetic Love

When I show north you show south.
We can never reach to a consensus.

Our destiny we are united forever.

We are opposite poles of a same magnet
never separated to attract each other.

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Nature Tells Me

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my riches for I am not
richer than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my beauty for I am not more
beautiful than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my kindness for I am not more
kinder than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my generosity for I am not more
generous than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my logicality for I am not more
logical than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my judiciousness for I am not more
judicious than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my poetic mind for I am not more
poetic than her.

Nature tells me not to be proud
of my prides for I am not
prouder than her.

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Nay

True to say
killing day
one by one
reducing the balance in hand
(who knows how many are left!)
is all about life.

Sounds sad
but not really true.
Neither sad nor happy
a machine, cliche
or something like this.

Is this my story alone?
I hear you say 'Nay'.

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Nearly A Monthly Drama

The day begun
with a tint of suspicion.
The happy yellow light
that flickers is missing.

I'm afraid, this time
it might be the hard disk.
Shit.
The month just begins
and an expenditure
seems ready.

No time, no time
The wall clock slowing
indicating, no time.
Hold it till evening.
There they waiting
more things for batting
more players in the crease
called office
No time.

Maybe after the noon
when busyness is recessing
and worries started dozing
I will be managing time
to rethink
how did I do it last time.

Sorry, friends, sorry.
I am really in a hurry
not having a minute time now
for fixing a date
with this dead computer.
Dream
everything will be fixed
when I return
with brilliant ideas
to poke it with
my master screwdriver.

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Need

Fear not the devil and Fear not the God
Fear only yourself who is often a fraud.

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Need Not Say

I can hear what you do because I have ears.
I can see what you whisper because I have eyes.
I can smell what you conceal because I have a nose.
I can taste what you offer because I have a tongue.
I can feel what you pretend because I have skin.

I have also a brain that tells me what is not what.
I have also a heart that loves that hates of it's own.

Why to explain if you are, who you are and how you are?
Look at me I don't explain yet you know who I'm and how I'm.

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Never Regained_Faith

Once lost
never regained-
faith

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New

My words have become very old and cliche.
I am searching a complete set of new words.

Very badly I need them to flow in my brain.
I need them to build my castles of thoughts.
I need them to express how I feel all about.

A set of all new words alone can help me to
explain my feelings in this brand new world.

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New Year

New till it comes,
soon the countdown begins
an old journey performed again
next year.

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Not As Beautiful

Don’t ever forget I’m not as beautiful as my face.

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Not that

Not that I wish
But
Without my notice
Often they get changed

My liking
Disliking
For people

My tastes

<! - People people people people people - >
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<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
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Not Yet Known

Politics and politicians are understood
Inflation and Recession are digested
Tsunami and Destruction are seen

Now Something Deadlier is awaited.

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Nothing Remains Alike

Trust no time.Time is a forgetful friend
Changing very fast is it's perpetual trend
Oblivion is the state we reach at the end
Nothing remains in place alike, friend

No joy, no sorrow, no foe not a friend
No love, no hatred dear adhere till end
Very fast we forget what’d we planned
Nothing remains in place alike, friend

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Nothing Sexy

A man doesn't become a man
by sex alone
neither becomes a woman.

Little less or little more
of an element
makes one unfortunate other.

This little or more I'm not saying
of anything phenotypic
rather of behavior catastrophic.

I say this because I am very sad
seeing an angry mother, an widow
Not at all motherly to her child.

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Of An Ordinary Mother

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.
I was then a child
a little innocent child,
when I would believe
and surely would believe
just anything people would say.

Without you not for a day
but for a moment
I could never alone stay.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

They would try to make me cry
saying you had forever gone.

Not knowing it was all lie
I would often cry
and would sure not ever stop
until you had come
and take me in your arm
to wipe my tears drop.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

Then I started growing
my vigor was now flowing
When I won't believe
and surely won't believe
just anything people would say.

Now without you
not for a day but for a month
I could very well stay.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

With every passing day
a man within me
was molting to be born.

My wishes now flew
and not a stop I knew
but failures I failed often to cope.

Then you would come
in hand yours take my palms
to wipe my tears drop.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

Now that I was grown
the world was a bit known
Now I would pay heed
to everyone who would plead
just everything one would say.

Now I made my home
our sweet home
and together we would stay.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

Now I learned to live
with my tangible hopes and grief
with a lot of dreams torn.

accepted my life as it came
thriving and moving it with non-stop.
Then there you would come
with a smile balm
to wipe my tears drop.

Of an ordinary mother
I was a very ordinary son.

Now I become an orphan
Alas! I become an orphan.

Though I hear them speak
All of the eternal truth
though I know what
they would now say.

My heart bleeds when my soul cries
alas! forlorn! I'm left alone to stay!
Of an ordinary mother
I'm a very ordinary son.

How I bear the truth
oh, mother! forever you are gone!
My lonesome days and hopeless nights,
how I pass? How I stop to mope?
But you don't come
alas! you don't come!
to wipe my tears drop!

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Once Or Twice Again

Once or twice in a week in the beginning
and once or twice in a month, later
I would try to make it happen that we meet
but you would be regularly found very busy.

Maybe once or twice in a season now
and once or twice in a year, later
I will continue to ring your phone again
before the epitaph of our friendship is written.

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<! —Trial Try tried trying - >
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One More Mistake

One more mistake is just found.
A big one which can easily be accused
for causing all the big differences-
too big indeed.

Not that the mistake was committed
somewhere secretly.Not that
my eyes were closed.Not that
I was not aware it was a mistake.

The fact is only this much
that I always felt my path would be different
that I did not like doing things the way
everyone did and now it appears a mistake.

Now it seems it was very important
to walk on a common path to reach
to a common standard destination
besides walking on any other path if I should.

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One More Poem Written

This is just one more poem written
Which will not cease my pain or yours.
Which will only pass from me to you
And from you to someone else and
We all will share the joy of pain together.
And together we will enjoy the pain
Passing it from eye to eye and
brain to brain polluting virgin minds
Letting the world know how the mankind
Suffer and causes to suffer his and her

Dear ones.

This is just one more poem written
This is just one more poem written.

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Our Great Indian People

Our Great Indian People have shown their great might
In millions of ballots they have written their will of right.

They have sent the message to the politicians smart
that people have much wide vision that can keep apart

pseudo king makers away from the power and how to bring
into the power an idol of aspirations a real would be King.

Our Great Indian people have spread the message very clear
politicians should be service minded and not a dirty player.

Our Great Indian people have again shown their great strength
which a mathepolitician will fail to measure by any unit of length

The flag of democracy is uphold all above here in our land
How glorifying and proudly unfurled! Come on see my friend.

[this poem is my tribute to the people of India giving mandate
for a stable Govt. in the country in 2009 parliamentary election]

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<! - Democracy democracy democracy democracy- >
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<! - Player player player player player player - >
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Owls

I never thought of
encountering with the Owls.
But the reality always differs.

My silvery mood now tempts me
to write about owls
who are just like we poets
who can see what is what
alone by nights.

Chance I take must
to tell you that
owls have a wonderful place
in our Hindu religion
as the companion
of our Goddess
of prosperity and wealth
Laxmi or Lakhsmi.

Check wiki it's written there
in Bengal
'It is believed that she showers
wealth this night.
She, along with her mount
the great white owl
descends to earth and takes away
the darkness of poverty
stagnation, anger
and laziness from our lives.
Her vahana white owl represents
royalities, penetrating sight
and intelligence.'

Hope you find our religion
very scientific one.
Visiting a Hindu Bengali home
be it in Bengal, Tripura or Assam
in India
or anywhere in Bangladesh
in a Laxmi puja night
which is a full moon
autumn night
generally in October every year
you will find
this white owl
is also being worshiped
with mata Laxmi as her vahana.

Don't you find it very very interesting?
You are most cordially invited
to have her blessings
in any of our home

on such an auspicious night.
Think, how insightful
having owls as her companion!

Otherwise the owls
must have been
an endangered species on earth.
No one loved them as birds.
As a child
I would also be afraid of them
for reason not yet known.
Are they extinguished?
A question
haunts my mind.

Now I remember
almost a decade ago
I met them last
when a mother owl sheltered
her nestlings in a big coconut tree-
trunk holes
just besides our window
and they were very afraid of us.

Perhaps we did not feel
comfortable with them.
Perhaps we did something
that they had to go.
I have sorrows
but they do not come back.

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<! - Remember remember remember remember- >
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Pack up

A sad song now hangs
in the background
one which comes
almost by default
like a harbinger.

Time to go now.
Time to say
a real goodbye.
I am master in it
again by default.

Whistle of the train
that comes
always in time
coming to my ears.
It's time to pack up.

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Packaging

Packaging is not good
and not even a nice
marketing approach

So, no reason why
anyone should pay
any farthing old

Or attention new
to me or to my goods
and we remain unsold.

<! —Good goods- >
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Peace And Happiness

Money is indirectly proportionate to peace
You do not surely become happy
as you become rich.

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Peace Without

A life is peaceful without someone we desire.

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People Do Not Talk

Becoming a poet
I have come to know
People do not talk
They speak poetry.

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People Of This Town

People of this town would once share the glory
of standing beside the million people who were in misery.

Afflicted people from the adjacent war ridden place
sought refuge here and got it with such a grace.

People of this town had once such a brave hearts
they felt pride in sharing belongings baring all ifs and buts.

People of this town then despite becoming very poor
had broad minds which would have widely open door.

People of this town would be such compassionate and kind
searching the globe perhaps such people you'd nowhere find.

They would share a plate of rice even in severe dearth of food
and in matters of sharing love and care they won't surely brood.

People of this town would surely not live with fear in their mind
and surely would have protested any act seemingly very unkind.

But people of this town now alas! have become very rich
else how the cry of poor from the street may not to them reach!

People of this town now do not feel at all any shame
when street hoodlums beat street infants in a mood of game.

People of this town now devour the sight of a child falling dead
and do not feel any sympathy for them who've just been preyed.

The people of this town are now selfish and until they are hurt
they like to act as deaf and dumb who have also lost their heart.

[This poem is based on a photograph of merciless beating of street children before public eye published in a local daily]

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Perfect Time

Time for me
not to ignore
obituaries.

Time for me
to think
for a while.

Time for me
to accept
certainties.

Time for me
to recount
unknown days.

Time for me
to check
my readiness.

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Perfectly Not Perfect

The question should not be how could we be perfectly perfect
But why should we be perfectly perfect for everyone instead?

The question could also be what could be the harm if we were
Perfectly imperfect but perfectly perfect for someone instead

Question could be just anything perfectly imperfect or perfect
The answer would be we human are born perfectly imperfect.

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Picnic

One poem a day
is not a big thing
which I demand from myself.
Measuring depth
of my ability to write
and measuring density
of my emotional make up
expecting this much I thought
won't be much irrational but
when four yellow buses
carrying two hundred students
do not return
to stops in time
how can a father by heart sit writing
even something rational?

When worries occupy mind
hearing a lorry up side down
fallen in narrow highway
obstructing their safe return
from a picnic
what new poem can be thought
while waiting impatiently?
Who could imagine
at 8.30 this pleasant morning
of 8.30 of this unpleasant evening?
The scheduled 6.00 pm
is already left far behind
enveloped in worries.

Butterfly girls in colorful dresses
and boys with loud laughter
is already,
already a pleasant past.
calls after calls,
return calls
calls comforting,
calls asking to stay cool
calls back confirming
of staying cool,
calls saying 'oh, boring'
calls saying 'oh, father,
this is disgusting
please, do something
to take us back to home'
coming lastly
makes every father ready
to move now
for a rescue mission.
May be it becomes
10.30 or 11.00
tonight

or past midnight
when all fathers will be returning
in bikes or cars
or in any kind of
hired vehicles
bringing back each
of the butterfly to home
when a poem will itself be written.

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Plant A Plant

I said 'Plant a plant'.
You said 'Plant a plant'.
We said 'Plant a plant'.
He said 'Plant a plant'.
She said 'Plant a plant'.
They said 'Plant a plant'.

I didn't plant a plant.
You didn't plant a plant.
We didn't plant a plant.
He didn't plant a plant.
She didn't plant a plant.
They didn't plant a plant.

I say 'Plant a plant'.
You say 'Plant a plant'.
We say 'Plant a plant'.
He says 'Plant a plant'.
She says 'Plant a plant'.
They say 'Plant a plant'.

I don't plant a plant.
You don't plant a plant.
We don't plant a plant.
He doesn't plant a plant.
She doesn't plant a plant.
They don't plant a plant.

Shal I plant a plant?
Will You plant a plant?
Will We plant a plant?
Will He plant a plant?
Will She plant a plant?
Will They plant a plant?

WHO WILL PLANT A PLANT?

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Pleasing Living Gods

You need please the God of Sun once in a year
You need please the God of Rain once in a year
You need please the God of Fire once in a year
You need please the Goddess of water once in a year
You need please the Goddess of wealth once in a year
You need please the Goddess of Knowledge once in a year
You need please the Goddess eliminating darkness once in a year
You need please the Goddess demolishing evil forces once in a year

You need please very angry God 'Shani deva' the saturn, once in a week
You need please all Living Gods around you every day and every moment.

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Pleasure And Pain

Pleasure becomes a pain.
Pain becomes a pleasure.
I wish pleasure not pain
I get pain with pleasure.
Pleasure, pain, pleasure
Pain, pleasure, pain
I confuse what to wish?
Pleasure? Pain? Pleasure?
What not to wish? Pain?
I don’t wish but it comes!
As if pleasure and pain are
made to come together!

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Poem Of Poems

Three days have already passed
and no new poem.

Small and big fishes are all around
but none is interested for the hook.

Thoughts moving, slipping, sliding, gliding
almost mocking at the bait.

The patience of an angler
is only comparison to that of a poet.

Got to catch big, wait, wait, wait.
If not today, come tomorrow

or again day after, after, after.
An angler and a poet should have

no time bar.No calendar.
The clock isn't made for them.

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Poetry

Adam looked at the lonely moon.
throughout the night he mused
he was all alone of his kind

unlike those lovely birds
unlike every other animals
who wandered in pairs around

till it was dark all around him.

He wished there be someone
also with him of his kind
as beautiful and tender for him.

Tears rolled down his cheeks.
Adam soulfully prayed for Eve.

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Poetry Again

Love collapsed.
Relations collapsed.
Friendship collapsed.
Bewildered I sat on a heap
of wasted times which I reaped.
With the left over days in my hand
I sat confused what to do with them
before I threw them away, one.....by.....one
into the muddied pool which was also collapsed.
But soon they turned into lotus of my abstract thoughts
I glanced at them bemused how everything was transformed!

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Point Of No Return

Trillion, billion, million,
seconds, minutes and hours
thousands of days and weeks
hundreds of months, many years
and a few decades melted
to form tiny sands of time
numerous grits, concretes
pebbles and stones
and a few bed of rocks
as they cooled down and petrified
on which I walked, ran, halted
completing my stipulated journey
fulfilling the desire of Someone
whom I never saw, never came across
but only heard my companions saying
there He was always above us
busy keeping accounts of our every moves
while always I reached a place
where it was engraved on rocks
' The point of no return' I saw
as I moved from farther to the farthest
knowing by then I was travelling
on an eternal sphere of time!

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Postmortem Of A Heartbreak

My heart is a broken heart.
So I have kept it aside.
Sometime I ponder
it could do a miracle
if it was intact
and put into right use.

But alas!
It didn't happen so.
I had complaints
to my God
for gifting me this sorrow.

Carrying this heart for years
now I say my thanks to my God
for not gifting me the heart other
which was too cruel to be broken
or I would have failed to carry it so far.

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Poverty-I

Lot of hunger and having no food is poverty,
Not having spare cloth to take bath is poverty,
Needing a shelter but not having one is poverty,
Child's sick but can not buy treatment, is poverty,
Fainting child dreaming a mouthful of rice is poverty
Searching warmth in cold flesh in winter nights, is poverty,
Sitting with umbrella on wetting bed in showering night, is poverty,
Thoughtful mother, two mouthful of rice and three children, is poverty,
An ill, deserted mother selling her child wishing it will survive, is poverty.
A defeated and despondent mother poisoning and killing her child is poverty,

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Poverty-II

Satiated, desiring but not having enough food to offer some, is also poverty,
Sheltered, wishing, but failing to accommodate a guest, is also poverty,
Treated, prescribed, but unable to effort better treatment is also poverty,
Clothed, requiring but can't afford sufficient to meet the need is also poverty,
Educating, meritorious, but failing to provide better education is also poverty,
Social, invited but avoiding a ceremony to avoid buying a gift is also poverty,
Celebration, aspiring but fearing expenses not celebrating is also poverty,
Friend in distress, desiring but incompetent to help a friend is also poverty,
oppressed, rights denied, deciding but failing to buy Justice is also poverty,
Time elapsed but not repaying debts for not having money is also poverty.

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Preparation

Mind is preparing
so ears listen to words
so far been unheard.

Not to disclose
it is to be left for you must
for a better work I am told
is done this way.

I met this man
or exactly not met even
in a busy market place
a face in the crowd

aged and about to retire
worried and truthful
who is agreeing no more
to carry his bags of vanity

He is saying something
and my ears listen to.

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Prerequisite

I hear, you believers asking me to hasten
for booking a seat for me in heaven, Jannat
Paradise or Swarg wherever I may deem fit
but booking is a must or I may be the last
person to enter heaven's door or I may be left
outside the gate repenting my deeds not done.

But whom I tell my woes that I have but alas
forgotten to earn my coins to obtain the pass.
Whom I tell my sorrow that for centuries long
I have stalled undecided thinking which door
to enter into that place full of heavenly grace,
and undecided I halted in my mundane base.

Whom I tell my trouble of finding myself unable
solving the sole puzzle of ideal plan for travel.
Whom the best should I try to reach at the end
If He lives in the Jannat, Swarg or in the Heaven
Will someone be so kind to tell me it heart driven
If that is the end of ways and if He is the only Even.

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Pride Of Sufferings

At last, very disappointed on me
on my never compromising attitudes
my good friend broke his silence.

Impatiently he wanted to know
Why couldn't I See the easy way out of my problems!
Why couldn't I follow the popular footsteps!
Why could I compromise with powerful people?

This wasn't very easy for me to explain
Why doing easy things do not become that easy
why walking a few common steps
becomes too hard for someone.

I got very tempted but knowing very well
My friend had no ill intention to hurt me
I controlled one more emotional outburst.

Trying to become not too harsh
I told him to think that I was a mad
Like every other who were born in history
Not to bow down at any cost and I felt
I was becoming too proud of my sufferings.

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Prose

While trying to uproot my sorrows
dibbling with a pen I uprooted my heart.

Sipping a cup of tea you exclaimed,
' Wow! What an art! '

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Publicity

A board in a shop
saying
honesty is our capital
I am suspecting honesty
of the shop keeper.

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Publisher Is Not A Sweet Girl

A publisher may be
a good man
or a bad man
or even a mad man too.

He may have bad habits of throwing
bad words (according to a writer)
or bad works (according to a publisher)
on writer's face.

I think I am too prone to be easily sad.
As long as my poetry remains
within this home they are safe.
Here my sentiments are well protected.

Then I had a whole life to carry and digest
a refusal in love.
Now my age is a bar and
publisher is also not a sweet girl.

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Purity Of A Golden Heart

I don't suspect the purity of gold
which makes my heart but lastly
a heart is made up of no gold
but of bundle of muscles
nerves, veins, emotions
et cetera,
et cetera.

Heart is heart and gold is gold.
What I come to know lastly
seems you knew from the beginning!
One is not worth exchanging for other.
Want gold you need not to
stop for a heart
but to go ahead for pure gold.

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Race

Not even an hour ago
before starting my bike
I looked at the sky.

There I saw the cloud
black and thick moving
slowly dispersing
towards the east.

Surely it will bring rain
I thought kicking
putting headlight on.

The pillion and I
both were without
our raincoats in box.

So, this will be a race
with the dark cloud
and also with the rain
I thought driving my bike.

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Ready To Be Kicked

When my expectations grow I start feeling worried
when my dreams approaches near I start feeling worried
when a relationship tends to turn closer I start feeling worried.

Life has taught me very well that expectations are very fragile.
Life has taught me very well that dreams are always unreachable
Life has taught me very well that relationships are only to be broken.

Blame me not if I fear to come close to you.
Blame me not if I feel about myself untouchable.
Blame me not if I become agile to go back to my comfortable loneliness.

Forgive me if I have somehow broken your peace of mind.
Forgive me if I have somehow caused your heart pain for once.
Forgive me if I have somehow made you feel sick of my presence.

Please don't insist me to come alive before you.
Please don't insist me to live in a smokeless world.
Please don't insist me to sing a song I have long forgotten.

Just do me a favor and tell me that you don't like me.
Just do me a favor and tell it on my face very straight.
Just do me a favor and kick me out of your life without hesitation.

Just do me the favor before I melt in your affection and die.

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Real Unreal

The world these days often
appearing as a new world to me.
This may be a problem of ageing
but none of my age has so far to me
spoken about this kind of problem.

I'm feeling as if I'm a puppet.
I'm feeling as if I'm a happily living man
who's happy for no explainable reason,
overwhelmed and mesmerized,
and absorbed in a sense of feeling well
as if I'm living in a new unknown world.

Time these days as if with much respect
keeping me very dearly among its friends.
As if whispering into my ears 'friend,
just keep your eyes open to see my play.
Whatever have so far made you believe
endless darkness has covered the sky forever
was only your FALSE fear in mind.
look and hear how they scream
who had shaken the earth
ignoring the might of time
and how badly they have befallen now.
Faith was implanted in the nursery lessons.
See how obediently now
they go back to nursery classes
who ignored those lessons
due to FALSE pride of knowledge.
Look through my eyes.
Hear through my ears.
Feel the infinite play of happiness and sorrow
of life with my heart.''

Listening to my friend Time
Keeping my ears and eyes wide open
I sleep in peace mesmerized.
Me, the puppet think
my heart has greatly saved me
which was not collapsed by intelligence.
In front of me now I find
infinite time and works entrusted
which I shall have to accomplish
strictly following nursery lessons.

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Reasons

I did not care
For a reason to sing
For you or me
For none there at all.

Time has now passed away
Songs are all gone
My vision is now clouded
by million reasons.

Oh, such a great fall!

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Reasons Revealed

Life is not boring because
there are too many people
who are not my well wishers

Life is also not boring because
they are putting obstacles
on my way now for ages

But Life is boring mainly because
I could not teach them a good lesson
nor anyone did it on my behalf.

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Relative Happiness

Now happy they are
They do not have a car.
Or they'd have the sorrow
the car was so narrow.
The car was so cheap
the color was so deep.
Model was so old
inside was not cold.

Now happy they are
they do not have a car.
Or they'd have it to say
their relatives and friend
they were going to buy
A car of new brand.

Now happy they are
they do not have a car.
They do not have the grief
that the car's so cheap
that the car's so narrow
that the car's not cold
that the car's so old.

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Remembrance

Did I say you 'hon'?
Of course I did.
Because you said 'Darling'.

'You are killing me softly with your song.'
believe me, it was music to my ears
unbelievable, though.

'I really don't know how to respond.'
you said
Now it is me.

'You are wonderful, P.' You said
and soon I became wonderful.
You know, I fell in Love with me.

'next some will be for you and only you.'
and soon I became the Lighthouse.
'You are truly terrific.'

took me to the seventh heaven.
'You are SWEET. Love you.'
took me beyond.

But you also said
'I hate the boring stuff.'
before you left.

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Restored!

Things were not done right
They realized this and hurried
to repair their radar
searching the lost directions.

Who knows but destiny
Where did they reach at last?

Silence broke the silence.

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Right and Wrong

Spent a Life pretty long
doing the things right and wrong
Yet I find it not so easy
knowing what I remain busy
doing if they were just all rights
if they were only wrong.

What was right what was wrong?
Was it right to sing a song?
Was it wrong to tell I Love?
Was it right to kill a Love?
Was the song we sang along
Was not it to be sung? Was it wrong?

What is right what is wrong?
For whom I sing or the song?
Don't I think them as I do
as all rights and justs as I know?
Then why they taste so bitter in times?
Why they hurt my heart so strong?

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Risk

When you fall in love
Instantly you become
The poorest of the poor
And so you remain until
Your love is requited.

You never know when
it will happen to you
Or if it will ever
be requited at all.
Let this be a secret til then.

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Save Today To Spend Tomorrow

There were two things I thought
recurring expenditure
and recurring income.

First one was surely the devil
and second was the savior and so
I planned to keep the devil at bay.

But it was never very easy doing
all the right things in your life
and so the earth was not yet a heaven.

Specially for me it was almost
an impossible task to agree that it was possible
to cut short my expenditures.

It was a question of changing altogether
my habits and my life style.
It was question of sacrificing some of my dreams.

And the hardest part of it what I thought was
to convince my family that season had now changed
and so, we required to adjust with the climate.

To my great astonishment for the first time I saw
my wife was much informed in this matter
and she was waiting for me to understand.

So my battle against recession was now half won.
We made 'save today to spend tomorrow' our mantra.
We decided to keep all our buying decisions pending.

She found happiness in gardening as I found it in poetry.
Our children found saving coins in piggy banks
was also very amusing instead of buying chocolates.

You must have also heard, tomorrow never comes.
So our children found happiness in thoughts
what our mantra 'Save today to spend tomorrow' will yield.

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Scent Of Perfume

Don't do that
Julie
or my mind
will attempt to fly
somewhere
you can not go with me.

I am not sure
I can go
I want to go
nor I am sure
if I won't break barriers
for this scent of perfume.

Don't do that
Julie
you should be careful
you do not disturb
a foul environment
spreading ecstasy.

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Search

Shivaji Dattatreya Pahinkar, Parbhani, Mumbai, now lost.
Debmalya Chakraborty, Agartala, Patna, now lost.
Tapas Bhattacharya, Agra, Patna, now lost.
Raja Chatterjee, Rourkela, Patna, now lost.

I've been searching friends whom I've lost
Somewhere in my past with whom I've also lost
a part of me and whom I wish to get back in my life.
to make myself a whole happy person right now.

They must have hidden themselves behind numbers
which I do not know, which I search almost everywhere.
Strongly I do believe my friends will respond me instantly
Only If I can dial exactly the ten digits they belong to.

I have those ten digits which only need be arranged
In proper order to reach each of them but I don’t know
Those few cherished combinations to reach them out.

These digits are so known yet so much unknown
Every time I fail to assemble them in desired order
To make them resemble to the faces of my lost friends!

Helplessly at last, I write this open note to you
To million hearts living in every degree, minute and second
Whom I expect will help me to reach out my lost friends on Earth.

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Seasonal

Chants of another
funeral procession
awakens me
in cold nights of season
old people dying.

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Seasons Of Mind

Promises not kept, failing repaying debt
commitments not fulfilled and no time left.
I swear, I sweat, I feel so hot
This is the Summer, don't say me not.

Hide ans seek my wishes play
now I'm sad and now I'm gay!
changing my moods, so high and low
This is the Monsoon I know, I know.

Commitments fulfilled, promises kept
accomplished, satisfied, free from debt.
I'm in peace now, happy and gay
This is the Autumn, need not say.

Death and despair makes my day
hope and trust have lost their way!
Friends are away and fear that reigns
I know, I know, the Winter prevails.

Everything is colorful, every heart is bright
I'm so cheerful, happy and light!
Wishes are fulfilled, dreams come true
This is the Spring, I know, I know.

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Sense Of Humor Of Time

Time plays a game with me.
A monetary game.
My wife also knows how well
time plays this game
surprising us with it's timing
and sense of humor.
Who but time should have
the best sense of timing?
May be your question
because I haven't told you yet
the story behind.

Today it so happened
I took Rs.4500 for buying books
where I required to spend
Rs.3600 only.
Happily returning the balance
Rs.900 to my wife when I tried
to sit on my wheel chair
for surfing internet
I found the chair was broken.
Soon I had to rush to a mechanic
to get it repaired for the world.

They took Rs.700 for repairing the chair
and Rs.150 was spend on transportation.
My sudden emergency expenses
are always within the sum
remaining as balance in my hand.
This is a good news but
the bad news is
whenever I have some money
I'll surely have such emergencies too.

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Showcase

You should have no trouble finding my smiling face.
This is my duty to maintain a smiling environment.
No harm even if you know mine is a fake smile.
It works as good as a real smile or even better.
I am just not allowed to pollute a smiling surrounding
displaying my other monotonous faces in public.

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Side By Side In The Mirror

We found us
side by side in the mirror.
One he
who is calm and quiet
with deep eyes
and lesser age.
One me, aged
with somewhat broken
look.

One he who looks
like nourished
with optimum care;
one me who looks
like carelessly grown
and now wilting.

There are few more
in the mirror wide
as usual
in most of the modern
haircut salons.
One who cuts my hair
and shaves
one other who puts
expensive facials
on his face, slowly.

Another two too
are waiting to receive call
for the next service
after dying.
One sitting
Other wandering.

Oh! I forgot to tell you
one more came
to brush his hair,
wearing a jacket black
with a guitar on his back
in between.

I am careful
it does not look unfair
that I looked at him
examining.
His appearance looks
so perfect of his age!
He is so simply but
gracefully dressed!
Also wearing
an expensive wrist watch

very uncommon to these days
but it suits his appearance.
An emerald on his finger
adding elegance.

He is here with us
but it seems
he is not here.
He showed no interest in
what we other so far
talked within ourselves.
He is alone and unique
in this salon.
We all other
looked like average
side by side in the mirror.

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Signboard

Maybe sometime
I tried but failed.

Maybe I tried
very sincerely
but I failed again.

Maybe I tried
many more times
before giving up trying
but I failed, failed, failed

to glow like a signboard.

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Signs

Someone not dead may not be alive
may only be breathing.
Someone not sad may not be happy
may only be laughing.
Someone not mad may not be sane
may only be loving.

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Simple Truth, Complicated Ego.

When you love someone
You have reasons.
Even no reason
Can be the reason.
This is a truth
as simple as that.

But you have
complicated ego.
Egos do not follow
Logical path.
Eventually you forget
an other simple truth.

If someone does not love
He or she has reason.
Even no reason
Can be the reason.
This is a truth
as simple as that.

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Since...

B.P
normal
Pulse rate
regular
Sleep
a plenty
Poems
quite a few
Since I have blocked
your face in Facebook
a new lesson is learnt-

Life is not all unhappiness
without plenty of known-
strangers.

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Skeleton

Step by step, on this thin line
between living and dead
I'll have to cautiously walk for an infinite time.
Is it possible? Is it impossible?

How long is it possible to walk
carrying this question in heart?
How far is this impossible?

There are more questions
like this unresolved.

What is judicious and what isn't
extreme crime?

Fear, hatred and shame
has to take over my mind.

How far can one go
with this acute pain in heart
depending on self confidence
alone?

Can anyone tell me about
an alternative way?

Why is this world mute?
Why everyone's thinking
my sorrows are all fake?

Or I'm only thinking on their behalves
who have no time to think about me?

If so,
am I only a skeleton
of an incomplete relationship
long dead?

If this is not so, who are they
all around me as if smiling
freely within their masks?

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Smart!

Ask me for West
I will show you the East
Ask me for North
I will show you the South

How I become
Smart
Else!

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Smile!

We do not text to each other these days
but yesterday my old friend texted
'Smile is address of life.
smile is a way to get success
smile is to win the hearts
smile improves your personality
so, smile always.'

This time I smiled for a reason
different altogether.
I told to myself
This text might have come
to a wrong address, by mistake.

Or she is forgetting now
how hard once I smiled
but address of life
was not found
neither success nor the heart.

Little bit of personality improved
only when I could learn
how to hide smiles.

I also told to myself
Unintended messages
need not be replied.

I will talk to her instead.

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Smiles

Land, brotherhood
divided, sub-divided
commercial smiles
exchanged
from a safe distance.

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Snake Charmer

This has got to be a fair game.
You play the role of a snake.
I play snake charmer.

You have the fangs and venom
I have my pungi or been, not seen.
You have your wanton desires
open and poisonous.

I have my inner strength of faith
in my noble intentions.
Playing sweet sleight of words
I have started the game.

You have also shown
your keen interest to perform
a beautiful show, hypnotized.

I am a novice though
I have to de-fang
your poisonous fangs
for saving a small piece of world
from your venomous intentions.

In this primitive game
we are two players destined.
This is too early to say who wins.

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Soil

Just beneath your feet
regardless
Wherever you are
for the time being.
You shall have to come
back
To the soil
where from you fly.

Soil is very important.

<! —Come came come came come back coming- >
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Solitary Heart

You have always taken mother for granted
disgustedly ignored brothers and sisters
abide father under various compulsions
relied on friends with hidden suspicions.

Love has many times knocked your door
but you have always refused it to come in.

You have always looked outside for love.
My selfish, ungrateful, ugly heart
now there is none to say you ' I love'.

You truly deserve this punishment
Alas! my solitary heart.Alas! Alas!

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Some Committed Mistakes

If I could turn back time
I would have committed
the same mistakes once again.

Not that this is my will
but this is how things goes in life.
You do many things which you don't want to do.

If I am given a chance I will think again.
But this likely, after checking pros and cons
I will again decide to repeat a few mistakes.

Some mistakes seem inevitable in life.
We commit these mistakes because we are
never sure how things can be right otherwise.

I would have repeated the same mistakes
If you, me and all other circumstances
would have remained the same.

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Something

I want something but I know
I will not tell you what I want.
Though you have it to give me
I will not get something I want.

Neither you will get what you may want
though I have it to give you
because you will also like me
not tell me about something you want.

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Somewhere A Mistake

Get it, a mistake.
Somewhere I made it.
A gross mistake.

They know it.
So they laugh.
They know it.

They can see it
So they laugh.
They can see it.

I made it. I know.
I can see them seeing
my mistake.

But they won't tell me
I know, they won't
tell me my mistake.

Every night I search
ins and out, but
I can not see it.

Mistake. A gross mistake.
The moment I find it
my problems are all gone.

Every night I search for a
mistake.
A gross mistake.

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Song Of The Season

Shortlisting my dreams
I drop costly car
for a car

Beautiful bungalow
for a cottage

Expensive things
for cheaper ones

and everyday I repeat
this never ending process
searching a match
for my affordability.

There is no hope imminent
in the horizon
to fuel up
my desires.

I am practicing
more arithmetic
to locate
a foothold
for my shrinking ability.

Presently
a free fall
is the song of the season.

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Sorrows

Deep sorrows become deeper if
we do not try to overcome
sadness.
But life goes on caring a little
even if we don't
wish to go with its flow intense.

Life itself is a lesson
to learn til end.
Living is a process
of learning from self.
Learning that I can
also I can
I can also
conquer odd events of life
like everyone else
time and again, my friend.

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Stairs

Oops!
Stairs.
Stairs up,
Stairs down
Stairs beside.
Lefts and rights.
At the crossing I'm.
Which way to take?
Where to go from here?
Leaving you aside, I ask myself.
Where should I go? What to wish?
Why so lonely do I find myself?
Why do I feel myself being forlorn?
Is it somewhere I wished to come?
Is it somewhere you wished me to go?
From you afar did you wish to send me here?
Weren't you happy with me? Wasn't it I with you?
Why din't you stop me coming? Didn't I listen to you?

Wherever I see I find only me! Reflecting my images, rest unknown!
Why did you send me so far from you where from I can't even see your face?

Now I fear going farther away from here. Let me come down to my amorous earth. Please, don't say no. I'm so tired of climbing stairs. Let me come down to the warmth of our hut.

Let me live with you the rest of our moments not much long we must know of this life.Lets do share our joy and sorrow. Lets again together enjoy a popular country song or lets together, together we share our moments of prayer. Let us feel the air together at our yard, at our barn.

Let us together a new dream we yarn.Let us, Let us, Let us, whatever we do, we do it together.
Let us together we forget the nightmare of remaining apart.

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Statistically I'll Remain Alive.

Statistically I will continue to live surely until
an unknown unforeseen assassin shall kill
me too in a crowd completely not aware
why I will be killed, when I will be and where.

My assassin, a man, woman or a lovely teen, my fate
shall also not know whom he'll or she'll assassinate
Blind I surely will remain of any reason why shall I die.
Blind he'll or she'll also remain whom he or she kills, Why?

My statistical death may simply arrive as a probability to die
when I'll that simply be living my life until a sudden deep sigh,
hue and cry and screams around me'll break the rhythm of life
and fill the serene sky with awful unknown irregular strife.

But statistically I will not die almost all the time and I will survive
to say 'I surely decline to fear you my death' and I'll surely live my life.
'My dear assassin blind, unkind, know it from me for now and ever
I don't fear at all that you'll come to rob me of my life and I will never.'

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Stock Market Tips

I ran after money
but money ran faster
in a stock market
now I sit idle to catch
money, playing tricks.

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Story Of A Deficit Account

I have not deputed anyone
but I feel
there is one accountant
who keeps account of my good times.

Every time
when a good time is credited
into my account
he debits my dues to an unknown time lender.

I am really not aware
from whom ever
I took a loan of lofty good times
but I am repaying my debt now for years!

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Subject

Nothing is wrong new around
except a few threads
which are found missing
all over the day
so a thought is not woven.

Words those appeared in morn
disappeared soon
leaving no trace on screen
of what they wanted to say.

You are not one tonight
who should pop up head
a greedy cat
who eats all my investments.

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Sunrise Of Hope

Hopefully there comes a day for me too
when my words will reach to your ears
like a soft song.
Like a melodious tune it will linger
from morning to dawn via night.

Hopefully there comes a day for you too
When you will forget to forget my words
which will rule your consciousness
and unconsciously you will
love them too much.
Hopefully they will also be true.

But until it happens so
Until my words softens
bear with me friends
have patience with me
and wait for a sunrise of hope.

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Survival

My pretensions
Now become me.
Now you know
Almost always
What I will
Do next.

Now I am so much
Known to you
That you can
Easily avoid
Falling in
My traps.

Question is
How do I
Survive
Unless I can
Change my
Tricks?

Question is
You or me
Who wins?
Who looses?
Who is
updating?

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Sword

I have got my weapon so now I do not fear
to live a Life of no value but an ocean of tear.
I don't fear though left in squall all alone to sail
I don't tear for traveling alone life's uncertain trail.

If you ask me and surely you'll I'll tell it all
how did I come across that great fear of fall.
how could it be all possible feeling no fear at all
I'll tell you how it all happened just as a miracle.

The night before I had trouble having a sound sleep
I took a pen and wrote down all suffering I had deep.
Pain, sorrows and all those words I didn't say till date
came around, sat on paper and I could see my fate.

There from they looked at me, laughed at me and shame
I felt a lot as they talked it was all just a pretty game
what they called of Life it was so common to every soul
with that paper I made a sword and made living my goal.

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Tail Tale

Listen, listen.
I have got a tail.

I can wag it well
to happily dwell.

It helps me well
to happily dwell.

Listen, listen.
I have got a tail.

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Tale Of Three Worlds

One male and three
female members
in my family.

One female and three
male members
in yours.

Four male and four
female members
in total in His balanced family.

But we two are so alone
in our respective places.
Is not His judgement unique?

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Talkative

I do often speak nonsense
which anyone else
would carefully avoid
speaking.

At least
this is her belief
and I am often criticized.

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Tanka_The Storm

The storm inside
goes on devastating mind
what is there to fear
oncoming clouds black
or torrential rain?

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Thanks Giving

Whom should I thank, I wonder
for this soft and broken heart
You or God who loves me?

How else could I bear
the burden of a heart intact
too heavy to carry as such?

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The Allegation

An old allegation.
An old conclusion.

Oh, human
this should not be
your endeavor
to become Godly or God.

The Devils dwelling
all along the path
shall whisper to your ears
and soul
you are too weak to become
even a human.

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The Animal I Fear Most

Which animal do I fear most if you ask me to name
I'll surely say it's the race human (though I'll feel a little shame) .

They are the cruelest beasts I've ever seen, heard and known
(I'm afraid you're getting angry with me and you surely frown.)
But if you allow me to tell and to justify what makes me to think
Such awkward thought I might try to tell you all about the link. .

Look, at the creatures that you have considered to be very cruel
Are all extinguished from the earth as the human started to dwell.
Wherever they lived, on earth or in very deep inside the sea
The race human surely killed them not listening to their plea.

They could not save themselves by their might in an unequal fight
With the race human and have lost their in-habitation and right
To live on earth as the God's creation with the boon of life
The race human have made them to perish using only a knife!

What I fear most of human race is it's very sharp brain that kills
Not only who belong to its enemies but also whomever it feels
Not in accordance with its wish or not useful to meet its lust
For just anything it may desire or not in match with it's thirst.

Whatever they are they'll have to perish be it an animal or plant
The race human as if has conquered the right to decide and grant
The bliss of life to which it feels will act for its selfish interest
And ensure it's shameless regime on earth and to kill the rest!

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The Best Goat

Firstly you have no commitment to tell the truth.
Secondly you are a slave of your habit.
Thirdly you will play restrain considering
you might have to digest a bigger blow.

Fourthly such things are better not told kind of etiquette
shall keep your mouth shut.

Fifth a mad should not be called a mad kind of
common sense shall pose hindrance in your way.

Sixth you will take shelter in a safe middle path of
Not me, let someone else say it kind.

In seventh you may say Not now, some other time.
In eighth why do you think this way?

In ninth Leave it, say something else and

From 10th to 100th some other excuses.

Thinking, I will never get the answer of my question
Am I the best goat you have ever come across?

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The Bills

As if
we live
only to pay the bills

Work hard
Get the pay
Pay the bills

As if
life is a mistake
committed

You should
Live it paying
or leave it

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The Bulls Eye

A few missing arrows
were also found there at last
on a different bulls eye.

One who stood there
was a friend but it was
an unwarranted war.

Who knows if friendship can survive
the gifts of wounds delivered
from those empty quivers!

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The Dream Of Last Night

The dream of last night told I want
something completely different.
And I also realized
even if I got them all
this was not easy to come out breaking
the chains of hesitations and conflicts.
May be this is impossible to break.

The dream of last night told I want
something completely different.
May be in dream this is called happiness.
But I know this is not called happiness
when I am awaking.
Even the dream of last night
was not a dream.
when I am awaking
this can be called as nightmare.
But if I don't care what people will say
I must admit
last night I did not see a nightmare too.
Why should the photographs
of suppressed wishes and wanton desires
be called as nightmares?

The dream of last night told I want
something completely different.
Something that should not be desired
when awaking.
Something that should not be got.
Something that should be forgotten.
Something that can be forgotten.
Something one can live forgetting.
Yet
the dream of last night told I want
something completely different.

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The End Of A Life

That was probably a Sunday
or a Monday
No, Tuesday.
Could be a Wednesday also.
Could be a Thursday, Friday
Or Saturday.

Well, that was a day.
No,
that was not a day only because
it was full of sunshine.
In my life it was a cool dark night.
I was feeling cool. I felt feverish.
It could be 100,102 or 104-degree
Fahrenheit.

I stood for a while on a platform
as long as I could.
Watching the train going far away
taking you from my life, finally.
This train was so destined to come
to take you from me forever.
No, I'm mistaking again.

You never belonged to me.
We were mere companion
in a journey
to forget each other too soon.
A fellow companion in life
can no way and never be said
belonged.

Everyone forgets and so I was to.
No claim sustains not to forget.
My inability was only my concern.
No need to explain that I was
now completely broken.

I could not hold my pieces anymore
So I laid my worthless life breathing
hot air onto a public bench nearby.
This was the end of an episode
but for a while I thought it was
end of a life.

No, it was indeed an end of a life
if life is not the sum total of breaths.
This was also an end of an assignment
self endorsed.
So I felt free from a burden
which I carried against my will
since so long.

No, I carried that burden willingly
because no one else compelled me
except my heart.
Only I knew no way how to
put aside a commitment
made to myself.

Now I was freed from that burden
that too against my will.
Lying on the bench perhaps
for a while I thought
Now it was time for me to think
what would I do next with me.

But I was feeling too sleepy,
too weak to think anymore
so I fell into deep slumber
to awake into a new world
to start living a life without you.

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The Enemy

Yours is a blunt while
mine is a very sharp weapon
but every time when we fight
you win.

The shield of a public army
you use
makes all the differences.

Almost everything they do
do not go well with me
but every time I fall
too weak to them.

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The knife

Tell me you have no knife
but I won't believe.

My heart keeps those scars
I never expected.

They say 'safety first'
and I learn to listen to them.

You are not safe only because
I can not see the knife.

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The Mailbox

Sometime a mailbox may seem empty
even if it contains.

Sometime a life may seem loveless
even if it contains.

Sometime a world may seem friendless
even if it contains.

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The Man Who Will Not Cry Tonight

The man who shouts
and breaks a few glasses
some other nights
shall silently walk to his bed tonight

but not to cry because he knows
crying is a useless tool
for bringing comfort.

For a safe passage
out of his present inconvenience
tonight he will search
for some most effective words-

a few sharp weapons
at least to protect him outside
if not at home.

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The Night Of Lunar Eclipse

Walking miles and miles
when I reached there
on a luminous night
thirsty eyes below
and a full moon above
and someone whispering
Your journey ends here
made it all happen
in a blink of time.

She spoke to me, Luna
I spoke to her
and we spoke to each other
through our open eyes
until the shadow walked
slowly veiling her face.

A dark line also walked
gradually engulfing my world.
Don't do that
Don't do that
I screamed and yelled
but she did not hear.

I wept so much
that my eyes were blurred
or perhaps
I became fully blind.

The last thing I saw
was a sad smile
of her corona, a proof
she still existed.

She is no more
She is no more
I cried, I cried

but none was there
to tell me it was
a night of lunar eclipse
as I turned to lunatic
by that one moonlit night.

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<! - Walk walked walking walk walked walking- >
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<! —Whisper whispered whispering - >
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<! - Happen happened happening - >
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<! - Journey journey journey journey journey- >
<! - Journey journey journey journey journey- >

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<! —Turn turning turned return returned returning- >

<! - World world world world world world world world - >
<! - World world world world world world world world - >

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The Old Story Of Boat and Brothers

Don't tell me
we are in the same boat brother.
Neither this is a boat
nor we are brothers.

Even if you insist
well, I will imagine
but never agree
that the boat is the same.

There are many boats floating
drifting and sinking
in only common thing which we share
the troubled water and weather.

We are not even brothers.
This is an old concept.
We maybe soft enemies or competitors
or at best, we are friendly diplomats.

<! - Agree agreed agreeing - >
<! - Agree agreed agreeing - >
<! - Agree agreed agreeing - >

<! - Share shared share shared share shared- >
<! - Share shared share shared share shared- >

<! —float floating floated afloat - >
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<! —float floating floated afloat - >
<! —float floating floated afloat - >
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<! —Drift drifting drifted adrift- >
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<! —sinking sink sank sunk - >
<! —sinking sink sank sunk - >
<! —sinking sink sank sunk - >
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<! —sinking sink sank sunk - >

<! - Imagination imagination imagination- >
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<! - Boat boat boat boat boat boat boat - >
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<! - brother brotherly brotherhood brother - >
<! - brother brotherly brotherhood brother - >

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The Pivot

My Love for you and
your No Love for me
has become the pivot.

My poetry planets
now rotates & rotates.

<! - Poetry poetry poetry poetry - >
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<! —become became becoming - >
<! —become became becoming - >

<! —become became becoming - >
<! —become became becoming - >

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The Result

I did what someone said
I did set it free
It did not come back to me.

I told it to myself
It was never meant to be mine.

I was not happy but
I got some kind of relief.

<! —Set setting set setting- >
<! —Set setting set setting- >

<! - Kind kind kind kind kind kind kind kind - >
<! - Kind kind kind kind kind kind kind kind - >

<! - Unhappy unhappiness - >
<! - Unhappy unhappiness - >

<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >
<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >

<! —tell telling told- >
<! —tell telling told- >
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<! —tell telling told- >

<! —Come came come came come back coming- >
<! —Come came come came come back coming- >

<! - Freedom freedom freedom freedom - >
<! - Freedom freedom freedom freedom - >
<! - Freedom freedom freedom freedom - >

<! - someone someone someone someone - >
<! - someone someone someone someone - >

<! —Relief relieve relived relieving- >
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The Roots

All what you search maybe
one or two saplings
then young, now old

grown much taller
in a dream
often frequenting.

All what you search
maybe
a few fragments of old roots.

But I can assume, in the end
what you may gather in your hand
when everything make you feel
you are a stranger.

Maybe the next flight
which you choose
to go back, to go back
to your present forever.

<! - change changed changing change - >
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<! - change changed changing change - >
<! - change changed changing change - >

<! —everything everything everything everything- >
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<! - Present present present present - >
<! - Present present present present - >

<! —forever forever forever forever - >
<! —forever forever forever forever - >
<! —forever forever forever forever - >

<! —Flight flight flight- >
<! —Flight flight flight- >
<! —Flight flight flight- >

<! —choose chose choosing chosen chose- >
<! —choose chose choosing chosen chose- >
<! —choose chose choosing chosen chose- >

<! - Stranger stranger stranger stranger- >
<! - Stranger stranger stranger stranger- >
<! - Stranger stranger stranger stranger- >

<! —assume assuming unassumingly assumed assumption - >
<! —assume assuming unassumingly assumed assumption - >

<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >

<! —Fragment fragments fragmented fragmented fragmenting- >
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<! —Fragment fragments fragmented fragmented fragmenting- >

<! —Sapling sapling sapling- >
<! —Sapling sapling sapling- >
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<! —Gather gathering gathered - >
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The Rule Of The Game

What makes you feel afraid, so sad?
Know it from me, I'm dead, I'm dead.

Here whom you see, is not me
that someone you knew, I used to be.

Know it from me, from me,
If we now talk, all afresh it will be.

I may come and say to you, anew who I am
you too will follow, I hope, the rule of the Game.

<! —Follow following followed- >
<! —Follow following followed- >
<! —Follow following followed- >

<! - Talk talked talking talk talked talking - >
<! - Talk talked talking talk talked talking - >

<! —Come came come came come back coming- >
<! —Come came come came come back coming- >

<! - someone someone someone someone - >
<! - someone someone someone someone - >

<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >
<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >

<! —Afraid afraid afraid afraid - >
<! —Afraid afraid afraid afraid - >
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<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >

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<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >
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<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
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The Singer And A Song

I was singing an old song
unaware
while my daughter
a pillion in my bike
was forbidding me to sing.

May be she was telling me
singing is not allowed
while biking.
May be she was telling
this is not safe.
or may be
she was telling
this song isn't good.

But how can this be?
This song, which I sang
murmuring
were such a hit song
in our time!

Dropping her to a teacher
(for a tuition)
now I return to home singing
my favorite old melody
in a very low voice.

May be my daughter thinks
people would laugh at me.
(but she doesn't know
I care a little who laughs.
I'm a person who's fond of
laughing at himself.)

This life is really very funny.
In my youth
I thought
I could be a good singer
but I could not
dare to think
singing could earn me bread.
Leave it,
this is a known story.

My daughter is also fond of
music of her taste.
She listens to
the English songs
but I can't follow the lyrics.
These must be good songs
but they just don't
give me those known

feelings.

Everyday I take her
to teacher
and bring back
but I know
for a few days now
I will remember
not to sing a song
while biking
but then
there will also come
a different day for me.

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<! - Remember remember remember remember- >
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<! - Think thinking thought think - >
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<! - Think thinking thought think - >

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<! - Fun funny funny funny funny funny funny- >

<! - Story story story story story- >
<! - Story story story story story- >

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<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >
<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >

<! - People people people people people - >
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<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >
<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >

<! —allow allowance allowing allowed- >
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<! - Remember remember remember remember- >
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<! - People people people people people - >
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The Taste Of Grapes

Since I have visited your face
a poem is due to be written
for last three days.

The terror of grapes sour
invaded my mind.
I felt
I am not allowed
to speak my truth
because truth has become ugly.

Permitted I will admit
ugly has become my mind.

Traces of happiness are flying
but I am not trying to catch
or kill them any.

<! - Catch caught catch caught - >
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<! - Catch caught catch caught - >

<! - Write wrote written writing - >
<! - Write wrote written writing - >
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<! —Fly flying flew flown- >
<! —Fly flying flew flown- >

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<! —Trial Try tried trying - >
<! —Trial Try tried trying - >
<! —Trial Try tried trying - >

<! - Truth truth truth truth truth truth truth truth- >
<! - Truth truth truth truth truth truth truth truth- >

<! - Written written written written - >
<! - Written written written written - >

<! - mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind mind- >

<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness - >
<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness happiness - >

<! - kill kill kill kill kill kill kill kill kill kill kill - >

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The Telescope

Two or three decades
only two or three feet
to this telescope.

We are walking
or do I run
behind?

No. I can not see
even a trace of love
on a granite face.

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
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<! - Walk walk walk walk walk walk walk - >
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The Unknown

Someone who lives within giving me confidence
Someone who lives within telling me that I can
Someone who lives within helping me to rise again
Someone who lives within showing me the way
Someone who lives within telling me my should
Someone who lives within telling me should not
Someone who lives within guiding me all along

Someone who lives within is someone unknown.

<! - someone someone someone someone - >
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The Untradable

Give and take is the language they speak.
Give more to take more
is that something you want to mean?

Do you also understand
there has to be only one reply
I love you to I love you kind?
Is it trading?

I do also trade a lot in the stock market
but there it is what you are suppose to do.
Even if I don't want, even if I dislike
sadly, this is true
sense of trading prevails at our homes even.

I feel a kind of breathing problem
but only because I have no other choice
I do tolerate

but here, when I write I am free from all fear.
Here I want to do nothing under compulsion.

You bother me or ignore is all your wish.
Here I enjoy the freedom from all expectations.

Don't threat me, please, or you will see
the hard face who says
my emotions are not traded here friend.

<! —tell telling told- >
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<! —Want wanted want wanted- >
<! —Want wanted want wanted- >

<! - like dislike like dislike like dislike- >
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<! - Face face face face face face face- >
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<! - Fear fear fear fear fear fear fear - >
<! - Fear fear fear fear fear fear fear - >

<! - Expectation expect expected unexpected expecting- >
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<! - Understand understand understand understand - >
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<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
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<! - True true true true true true- >
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<! - Speak spoke spoken speaking speak speak- >
<! - Speak spoke spoken speaking speak speak- >

<! - friendship friendship friendship friendship friendship friendship friendship friendship - >
<! - Fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear fear - >
<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >
<! - Freedom freedom freedom freedom freedom freedom - >
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The Virtual Limitation

Hey, Mr.
Halt there.
Poetry is no gate pass.

You have already come
too far
breaking almost
all security bars.

The lapses, I agree
were in our part.
From here you can
proceed no further.

Mr.Poet
Try to understand
Though, this is not my job
I'm trying to be polite.
Please, go back.
Don't come near.

[Perhaps, you don't know
but there is a guard
in your gate too
who stops me entering
into your world.]

<! - World world world world world world world world - >
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<! - Break break break break break - >
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<! - Understand understand understand understand - >
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The Weed

I thought, I was someone
in your rose garden
but lastly when you exclaimed
I became an weed.

Then again I thought
I was someone
in your lotus pond
but you exclaimed
and I became an weed again.

Then I thought I was an weed
and none of any garden
but again you exclaimed
'Wow! How beautiful is the grasses
everywhere! '

<! - beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful beautiful - >

<! - Thought thought thought thought thought - >
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The World

You tell something like first, second and third world
measuring by your own measuring sticks of economics.

You have your reasons for tagging this world this way
but when I look from my viewpoint I am finding always
mine is my first world and yours appear the distant third.

My measuring sticks are not as sophisticated as yours yet
But I trust them because they are the real standards for me.

I also understand, my world though first world for me
there are also people living too close to me to whom
I am a dweller of unknown much developed third world.

We continue to live in different worlds closely located
always failing to understand each others concerns.

I wish there shall also come a day when in this world
we shall look to each other from a single viewpoint.

<! —Concern concerned concerning- >
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<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >
<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >

<! —Failure fail failed failing failure failed failing - >
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<! - live lives lived living - >
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The Wrong Decisions

Someday I may feel
writing this poem
was a waste of time
and my decision today
of writing a poem
was a wrong decision.

Presently however
this is right.

Thoroughly examining
my past activities
I have seen
I have been very smart
in taking wrong decisions.

But believe me
when I took them
they were all right.

I guess
something is wrong with my eyes
that wrong appears right
and gladly I accept them.

Or maybe
something is wrong with my mind
that often it changes
it's earlier opinion.

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Then And Now

(THEN)

A Dream
Came True.

A Seed
You Formed.

A Bud
You Born.

A Sapling
You Grew.

You Babbled
They Laughed.

You Ate
They Flattered.

You Staggered
They Supported.

You Fell
They Worried.

You Cried
They Wept.

You Played
They clapped.

You Suffered
They Exclaimed.

You Tried
They Helped.

You Wished
They Fulfilled.

You Failed
They Mourned.

You Won
They Celebrated.

(NOW)

A Tree
You Grown.

They Exist
A Blessing.

They Babble
You Grimace.

They Walk
You Irritate.

They Fall
You Rebuke.

They Eat
You Frown.

They Love
You Deny.

They Cry
You Ignore.

They Suffer
You Hesitate.

They Wish
You Repeal.

A Liability.
They Become.

Dream Turns
A Nightmare.

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There Would Be Pets, Mostly Cats

In the story of my childhood
there would be pets, mostly cats.
Every year there would come a time
when we would suddenly discover
our old pussy looking at us
with suspicious eyes
while trying to conceal
something very important from us.

And now it would become our turn to explore
where did she exactly keep her kittens hidden.
She would be very unhappy on us
for searching out those places
where she would be secretly feeding her babies.
She'd stare at us with angry look
and would always hurry to shift her kittens
to a safer place.

She could not believe us at all
in her early days of newly found motherhood.
Those would be the days of early winter, I guess,
when she would give birth
and I would be getting very worried for her babies
and soon would be rushing to mom
for some old clothing
for arranging a comfortable bedding for her kittens.

After several try of shifting her babies to secret places
lastly she would be giving up her anger and mistrust on us
and would be accepting our gift for her kittens.
Sometime, she would now be feeling it safe
even to depend on us
when it was time for her to go for food.
Sitting and observing those small kittens sleeping
would be my favorite time pass.

But all the people have never been too good
to cats and their kittens everywhere.
Some would be very cruel to steal kittens from the cat
for no good reason but
to throw them out into the street corners
to get rid of too many cats in their house.
Probably they would keep information regarding
weakness of neighbors who loved cats.

This could be the reason why I would find
one or two kittens left orphan near our house too.
How could you leave such a small creature
shivering from cold and wanting food
all alone to suffer and die at roadside!
I am not unhappy that love or kindness for kittens
would drive me to act fast to take them to home.

Our pussy would not be much happy on that at all.
Mom again would be of immense help giving me
old clothing, warm milk and a feeding bottle or spoon.
This was such a fine experience of feeding milk to a kitten
with a small feeding bottle with love & kindness!
I still remember the boy and those helpless kittens.

But change in life is a must.
Now I keep no pets in my home.
I did not feel it important to know if my wife would be
should have a basic knack for keeping pets at home.
Neither I was serious about my childhood's affinity
while seeking an alliance for matrimony.
So, none is to be blamed
if my mother is no more alive
if my wife does not feel comfortable with the cats
and if I can now ignore
those lonely kittens left on roadside to die.

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They Hate It

They love me and I love them.
They need me and I need them.

They are worried about me
I am also worried about them.

I understand they hate cigarettes
I know they wish I give up smoking.

Stupid I am, I escape from them.
Stupid I am, I don’t escape cigarettes.

I wish I were not a coward inside.
I wish I could win this battle with me.

Oh God, Give me strength to fight
Oh God, Give me courage to conquer.

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Things I Will Do Again

I am not at all good
in matters
of keeping promises

Especially one
which I make to myself

Especially when
I promise not to repeat
mistakes.

Don't ask me
how many times
have I secretly pulled

my ears
as self punishment
device.

It is too large a number
to count and remember.
It does not work.

Mistakes occur
at very close intervals.

I cannot distinguish
between fake and real
identities.

I cannot disbelieve
anyone
at first appearance.

I cannot think or do
things very intelligently.

Mistakes are all found
already committed
when I become aware.

Such qualities do not
make me special
in good sense.

But what to do
I cannot go away
from myself.

This me
against all deficiencies
a person

too reliable
and faithful.

Decades, no joke
I have passed with him.

He has survived
thousands of mistakes.

A few more miles
I guess
is not too long a journey
to accomplish.

<! - Faith faithful faith faithful faith faith - >
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Thinning

I often feel
my existence is thinning very fast
As if I must thin, else,
the balance on earth
soon cease to exist.

But I dislike thinning.
Thick layers of acquaintances
I like the most for myself.

Caring my wishes a little
everyday my name surrenders
to new tags
to new PRONOUNS
denoting my renewed existence.

I stand across
the epitaphs
bearing my names

faded
forgotten
thinned.

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This Morning

This is as usual another morning in my life
but not like one I have recently witnessed.
But one which I've often missed witnessing
For years til now everyday, day after day,
Though they must have come without fail.

This morning is like one, which I'd witness
When I had a face and a mind of a child
Who would have long reasons not to sleep
Longer than any other child of those days
I have but lost that face and mind of a child.

I am happy once again in life that I witness
Though for different reasons this morning
Which would otherwise slip away from me
keeping me asleep, Like every other slipped.
I wish to get back that child in me who slept.

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Those Red Velvet Roses

Those red velvet roses resembled my heart.
I wished to place them right beside yours'
in the pretext of wishing a very happy birthday to you.

But they bloomed in the V.C's garden in literary form.
Stealing was only way out for me to get them I thought.
I didn't think it was a big crime that I must restrain.

The night was dark and also I was in a black costume.
Hardly could anyone separate me from the darkness
as I slithered inside the rosy rows secretly scrawling.

Only two things now glittered, my eyes and the scissors
as I plucked those roses and put them close to my heart
safely there within my robe, fresh and intact.

Now that I think of those roses years ahead of time
I feel to know if they could reach there close to your heart
I feel to know if you could see the thief and separated his wishes from them!

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Thoughtful

Searching new avenues
how to get out of a jail
kite infested sky

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Three Days Of Life

Yesterday it was a wish list
which I used to make a paper boat.

Today, it is a checklist which I use
to light a cigarette, contemplating.

Tomorrow, it may be a balance sheet
which you will read as a poem.

<! - Yesterday yesterday yesterday - >
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<! - Today today today today today - >
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<! - Tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow - >
<! - Tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow tomorrow - >

<! - Light light light light light light light light- >
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<! - poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem poem - >
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Three Days To Forget

I should pack my bags tonight
to catch up a morning train or flight
and I won't come back
tomorrow or day after.

But I will have to be back
before next day
and before you learn
how to live without me.

I want you to know
how important I am
but I don't want to give you
three days time to forget me.

<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget - >
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Three Options

Have you ever loved me? I asked
Say no, if you wish to kill me.
Say yes, if you wish me to die.

Your silence made me lifeless.

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Time And Elephant

Time is that elephant to the blind.
Interpretations are varied in kind.
No one is wrong in his perception
If considered one’s own limitation

Time is too big an entity to behold
within two eyes how can one hold
it’s changing color and shape true
it’s varied forms and run to and fro!

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Time Is The Best Healer

No word I know that can do
bring solace to your heart,
betrayed, humiliated, hurt.

No place I know, resting for you
to give you peace of mind
shattered, broken, ruined.

No friend I know, who can do
erase your agony, pain, grief
so intense, terrible, deep.

But no fear, I tell you, yourself dear
Time is the best healer I hear
don't loose your hopes, just bear.

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Time, I Am Tired Of You

Dear Foe, Time,
So tired I am.
I am so tired of you.

I thought you were my friend!
But, alas! what I see at the end?

No enemy whom I saw face to face
could harm me more than you did.

You have never showed your face, you faceless,
But, You've always pretended to be there in my side.

Once you helped me with all I would need, rather
my enemies feared me seeing you besides.

I went gathering Health, Wealth, Love, Friendship
and what not with such an ease?

You too laughed with me, say you didn't?

Time, I am so tired of you.
Tired of you, who would pretend to be my friend.

I never knew you had such an ugly face
You dirty wraith, I would have killed you
to end your dirty game with our lives.

Because you did, you made it all
from the palace I lived pulled me down to scrawl.

I hate you, I hate you, I spit on your face
None can catch you or I would have suited the case.

Time, I am so tired of you.
Why the hell someone relies on you!

I will soon go and tell it all 'please, don't
rely this lovely dawn of your fortune sky
there who brings the rays in your life
is the Devil who smiles within the mask.

I'll go and unveil you before you bring dusk
I've nothing to loose, very well you know
Yet I'll never bow down to You, my foe,
I'll sow the seed of truth, I'll sow, I'll sow.

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To A Silly Silly Boy

Silly boy dear
you must be
wandering here and there
as usual on streets
or walking along the river side
a bohemian
when this postman handing you over
this post card from future.

You dreamer
though you dream colorful dreams
though you often think far and wide
I am almost sure
you are surprised.
You must have failed to imagine
receiving this letter from me someday.
I relish changes now occurring in your face.

Hey, don't cry.Take it easy.
I have never forgotten you.
In fact, I have always tried
to remain as silly as you
as bohemian as you.

This was not easy for me
because since we parted
I had to travel for decades
on uneven roads through
fair and unfair weather.
I had to meet and adjust
with people of many kinds
who were not same as they looked.

I had also to learn
the art of living with them.
So I had also to undergo
several surgeries of heart and mind.
I had also to bear the stress
of several unwanted deaths
including that of my dreams.
So, my silly dear
I needed mask
not one but several
to hide my tears.

Some unwanted changes
therefore has occurred in me
which will make you sad.
No more I can sing
a melodious song.
No more I can play a guitar.
No more I can dream

of changing this world
to one without sufferings.
No more I can think like you.

Here I live within
the fences of limitations.
Here I breath toxic air
of broken relations.
Here I am carrying the load
of unsuccessful missions.
Unlike yours here I have
counted days to live
to complete countless duties.
I have commitments to keep
towards my kith and kin.

Dear, my silly silly boy
This is however my pleasure
feeling your presence in me
and I promise you that I will
die with
yours ever
silliness in me.

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To My Dearest Coolie Girl

Long long ago, long long ago
when British Raj had just took the command
of India from the British east India company
and Bahadur Shah Zafar, the last Mughal emperor,
and a Urdu poet, had already breathed his last
in exile in Rangoon, Burma.

When the giant Indian Railway took its first breathe
from Bombay to Thane.
When Swami Vivekananda was born
but yet to break the barriers of ancient Indian mind
divided in castes and creeds
and yet to give a call for awakening
from the age old slumber of social discriminations

when Tagore was also born but yet to sing
his nationalist songs to bridge up the nation
and Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi
was just born to sacrifice his life fighting apartheid
and great Indian struggle for independence, till death

When Kazi Nazrul Islam, the Rebel poet
was very near to appear in our national horizon to write
'jatir name bajjati sab, jat jaliat khelcho joa
chole tur jat jabe jat, cheler hate nay tu moa'.
saying ' All these social bigotries in the name of race
is a foul play of the frauds gambling
Touching your body your chastity is lost!
chastity is not such a fragile thing'.

Ram, Lakhan and Rahim, Makhan and Madan
Ramprasad and Hariprasad, jainul and Kasem
from U.P and Bihar, from Rajasthan and Bengal
from Haryana, Himachal and Madras
thought it would be all better
to cross Kala Pani to reach a promised land unknown
where poverty won't eat their souls anymore
and whips of hatred won't cause pain.

They talked to each other and to their wives too
and some to their old mothers and young children
about a new land found, in their dreams
where there is no Raja, no Maharaja
no Zamindar or Nawabs, no Badshah
no war, no mutiny, no starvation, no tears.

Sita, Savitri, Satyavati, Rukmini
Bali, Simran and Padmavati
Ayesha, Reshma and Rucksana
Suraj, Chandrabhanu, Chotelal
far and near who lived
of Ganga and Yamuna river dales

dreamt the same dream with their sons
fathers and husbands
of dreaming no more but touching a real dream
just crossing the sea, or a small ocean nearby.

Where is there any life that Kala Pani will take?
Death even waits here to come home when we starve.
they told themselves, over many sleepless nights.
There they promise you works and to pay it for!
where have your own land here to grow crops?
Maybe this is the wish of Ramji
that we voyage to new land unseen
to create our own Ram Raj.
'Allah ki dua sath hoo
tu naseeb accha hi hoga'
Rahim told to Rucksana,
'If blessings of Allah is with us
our luck will be too good.'

So, it was a day within a week
or sometime within a month that they cried
once more but not for their own
this time, rolling on the ground
and pouring their hearts out
they cried once and last
for their dearest motherland
before leaving her forever.

Tears also rolled down from Kamdhenu's eyes
Ramprasad's beloved cow, as he cried
for she cannot be taken to abroad.
Parvati and Meera cried
as they packed some treasures in a putuli
like soil from their forefather's home
some water from the holy river Ganga in a bottle
some seeds of rice and wheat
which their forefather would grow
and some seeds of millets and pulses too besides
carefully packing some seedlings of aromatic herbs
and spices too, who knows
what may not be available there across the sea!

Crying they packed Ramayana and Mahabharata
and Quran the holy books in putuli
and images of lord Rama, Krishna and Mohammad
in their souls.
'Not too much, not too much, you just can not take
everything with you as you go' said someone.
'Hurry up, hurry up, ' the mukhia hastens to start
'the boats are all waiting in the ghat, hurry up.'
With the break of dawn, they start, in tearful eyes,
leaving behind, their hearts.

Reaching ghat they get into the vessels dumped
but somehow they accommodate to sit
keeping their putulis beside.
The more people from the nearby villages come
The more crowded the gathering becomes.
'Do not say no to anyone, we have no quarrel here.'say some,
' The more of us that reach Chinidad, the more strength we get
to struggle for life and to stand beside.'
Some people in a group sang bhajans
and some secretly cried
while some did nothing but observed with great surprise
from where did all the people come!
As the vessel slowly moved in time
a kind of silence suddenly comes.
Silently saying goodbye to their motherland
silently they prayed to their gods
for a safe journey in this new found coolie life.

O God, they had no idea where the sweet land Chinidad
or lere of Arawak's was
nor had any idea where the endless Kala Pani ends!
But from village after village and year after year
they came to board vessels, to take them there.
It'd take months to reach Trinidad
where they would reach at last
as indentured laborers, coolies,
to work in sugar-plantations
expecting to add some sugar
to their bitter experiences of life.
Year after year they went there but while going
no riches they took from their motherland
except some earth in their putulis
and an enchanting Ram dhun
engraved in their soul

'Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram
patit Pavan Sita Ram
Sita Ram, Sita Ram
Bhaja Pyare tu Sita Ram
Isvar Allah tero nam
Sab ko sanmati de bhagavan'

saying

'Chief of the house of Raghu, Lord Rama
Uplifter of those who have fallen,
Sita and Rama, Sita and Rama
O beloved, praise Sita and Rama,
God and Allah are your names,
Bless everyone with this wisdom, Lord'

This is almost hundred years now
that the last boat has left our ghat.
Memory gets faded in such a long time
And more it happens when you yourself run
from place to places.
More it happens when you discover
yourself in a time when no one remembers.

O my dearest coolie girl from Trinidad,
you who ask me about Bali, a pretty girl
probably from Punjab and who was married to
a Gurkha boy Makhan, your grand father
I feel very sorry
having nothing to answer.

But, O my sweet girl from Trinidad
I feel so proud of your ancient Indian heart
and a forgotten soul Indian
which we now often find missing here or
find it not singing anymore in much unison.
Maybe your ancestors took it there
to send it back through you
for bringing our memory alive.

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To Unborn

Shaping them into
my poetry, I am
saving my thoughts
to let you know
I lived with them.

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Tobacco And You

Rays of hope, you came in my life
with you hand in hand came tobacco.
Only difference, you went too soon
but tobacco stayed to fill your absence.

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Today Will Be A Memorable Day Tomorrow

The man broken in the mirror is not me.
Must be the mirror which is broken here.
I know ins and out of this man for ages
who hates breaking for any reason whatsoever.

The man who you call a dreamer or even a loser
(in his absence of course) is not an ordinary man.
He has strong faith on his beliefs who believes
even today can be a memorable day tomorrow.

Don't believe your eyes even if you see him dying,
A dreamer never dies, nor dies his dreams.
You got to believe if he says he has got a dream new
where he'll make no mistake and a wonder will happen.

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Token Of Love

Had you only plenty of complaints
against me
Had you only showered very angry words
on me
Had you only cursed me
in the presence of our friends
Had you only done
just anything what one does
when betrayed

I could lastly somehow reinforce my first
belief that you loved me.

But nothing happened as such
when I opened the door for your exit.

Your silent escape from my life
had only reinforced my doubt instead.

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Tomorrow Is An Ordinary Day

Tomorrow may be the better day
but it may be next day also.
Looking at the graph I can say
better days also came earlier.
Why should we worry for it?

Tomorrow may not be the better day
not even the day after.
A better day may forget to come
for next few weeks or even months.
Why to worry when it is not certain?

Tomorrow is likely to be an ordinary day
very similar to the day today if
today is not an extra ordinary day.
Why to worry when extraordinary day
do not come everyday?

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Tomorrow Never Comes

Though you said it ever
It will come, It will come
Tomorrow came never.

Though you said it ever
while you made promises
though I believed it ever.

Though I believed it ever.
It will come, It will come
Tomorrow came never.

Tomorrow came never.
though I awaited for it so long
though you said it ever.

Did you always lie?
Did you try to make me happy?
To say the truth did you feel shy?

Did you not know
Life's only a day's show,
didn't you know?

Did you also know
Only before and nothing is here after?
Did you also know?

Promises which you make
for tomorrows which you keep
are all illusive lies, is often a stake

Let me tell you now. Let me avow.
Only bygones recur, tomorrow never comes
I have seen it ever and have known it til.. now.

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Too Far Isn't Far Away

Too far I thought was the place
Where I wanted to go
Far away.

Reaching there
Far away from you
That place I found was not too far.

Now that I lived in a place
Not far away from you at all.
I could now reach to you instantly
But too far it was
Now I believed.

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Too Old

Opportunities are just like this contest cherry
they are always too less in numbers to catch.

Always you fear you are running out of time
And you make a lot of mistakes just in hurry.

I am but compelled to agree that I'm very old
To compete a contest with fast poets of gold.

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Traveling Mind

My mind, my once wet mind, now dries.
Swaying on hot winter air now she flies.
Unfurling her pair of folded wings so far
My mind now flies away too far, too far.

My mind, my poor mind, now she plays
Playing hide and seek with the sun-rays
Toasting every feather now she spreads
My mind, my thick mind, see how frays!

My mind, my clogged mind see now freed
How breathing fresh air see now in greed.
How swirling in air now see left and right
My traveling mind's getting everyday bright!

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Treatment

My physical illness found a poet in me.
The poet treated illness of my mind.

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Truth Is Also A Lie

Truth is not what you tell.
Truth is not what I listen.
Truth is what I feel.

Truth is not what I write.
Truth is not what you read.
Truth is what you realize.

Truth is also a lie.

<! - Listen listening listened listen listening- >
<! - Listen listening listened listen listening- >
<! - Listen listening listened listen listening- >

<! —Read reading read- >
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<! —Read reading read- >

<! —realize realizing realization realized- >
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<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
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Ugly Truth

Romance of we goes on
as long as I can
tolerate you and vice-versa
you can tolerate.

<! —tolerate tolerated tolerating tolerance - >
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<! —tolerate tolerated tolerating tolerance - >

<! —Ugly ugly ugliness- >
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Unfinished

Mine is very old
true to say
I hesitate to bring it
in light.
So old, so worn.

Mine is also not one
to become
too proud of it.
True to say
It is almost a shame.

Mine is unique
only true to itself
a very uncommon
and unusual
a story unfinished.

<! - Old old old old old old old - >
<! - Old old old old old old old - >
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<! - Pride proud pride proud - >
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<! —become became becoming - >
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<! —become became becoming - >

<! —bring bringing brought - >
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<! - True true true true true true- >

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<! - Story story story story story- >
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<! - Light light light light light light light light- >
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Unfriendly Mirror

I do not like to see your face.
So wrinkled! so withered! so worn!

Why don't you go colored?
Why you not let the dentist fill
those ugly black holes with white lies?

And the way you talk? Is awesome!
What you want me do with the past?
Is there no present for you? No future?

You talk only of the Suns those were set
long ago.Not of the Suns those will rise
tomorrow and many time thereafter?

You only count the days bygone?
Why hell you don't count
the days those will come?

I do not like to see your face again.
You make me feel so sick.

You make me feel
If we were friends
I must have also become old!

<! - Day day day day day day- >
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<! - Face face face face face face face face face face- >
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<! - Feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel - >
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<! - Sick sick sick sick sick sick sick sick- >
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<! - Future future future future future future future - >

<! - Present present present present present present present - >

<! - Past past past past past past past past past past past - >

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Unknown Happiness

Now a days it has become
necessary to assure myself
I am happy

or I may be caught
by the endless unhappiness
prevailing in the air.

Demand for happiness
is greater than supply
and this is causing
unhappiness and worries.

I am facing lots of trouble
in convincing myself
that I should feel happy.

I am worried if somehow
I start feeling
I am not happy.

Like an epidemic
shortage of happiness is killing
more and more happy people

And real unhappy people
are confusingly thinking
what kind of disease is this?

If this is called happiness
sorrows are not bad either.

Which way I go from here
is a big question.

<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness - >
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<! - Think think think think think think think think - >

<! - People people people people people - >

<! - happy happy happy happy happy happy happy happy happy happy - >

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Usefulness

I am not writing
anything of nothing
which we shared

Did not you always blame
for causing
no inconvenience to you?

You may just peacefully rest
in my foolish imaginations
like broken pieces of dreams
scattered everywhere.

You know
they are the right toys
for passing each moment
of my leisurely hours

too useful to me
somehow.

<! - everywhere everywhere everywhere- >
<! - everywhere everywhere everywhere- >
<! - everywhere everywhere everywhere- >

<! —Piece piece pieces pieced piecing - >
<! —Piece piece pieces pieced piecing - >

<! —somehow somehow somehow - >
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<! —somehow somehow somehow - >

<! —Use used unused useful usefulness- >
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<! - Break breaking broken break breaking broken - >
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V/s Truth

Truth has something in it
which I can not explain
but feel when spoken

Unlike lies
which makes me feel
uncomfortable

Lips moving fast
alarms
of fabricated facts

Truth comes
without any coating.

<! —explain explained explaining explanation - >
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<! - Feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel feel - >
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<! - Comfortable comfortable comfortable - >
<! - Uncomfortable uncomfortable uncomfortable - >
<! - Right right right right - >
<! - something something something something something - >
<! - something something something something something - >

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Water Says It All

Water in the sky and
water in the eye
How I wonder they
resemble so high!

How I wonder they
tell you so true!
Time to say goodbye
Time to say go.

<! —Goodbye goodbye goodbye- >
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<! —Goodbye goodbye goodbye- >

<! - True true true true true true- >
<! - True true true true true true- >
<! - True true true true true true- >

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<! —Go went gone going- >
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<! - Water water water water water- >
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<! - Wonder wonder wonder wonder - >
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We Shall Never Meet

Seemingly there is no chance
that we meet on earth
face to face, I mean.

No chance again
of meeting somewhere above
for proof of hell or heaven is too weak.

My ashes, I guess
cannot cross continents
nor your remains shall have wings.

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Weapon Eyes

Weapon eyes penetrates not body but mind
It causes no blood. It leaves no trails behind
It kills no life but deals with it in way so cruel
that with terrible pain agony and strain you yell.

Weapon eyes has voice that you do not hear
but feel deep in heart and you tremble in fear.
Weapon eyes trades your virtue for it's vice.
Look at them bold and tell you don’t care ice.

<! —tell telling told- >
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Weathercock Of A Dream

Breaking my sleep in its way half
the ghosts of my dreams slip in
and sitting besides my ear holes
they make hot discussions.

They talk of their unfortunate death
in an war which was not fought well
and telling me responsible for their ill fate
they mock at my peaceful sleep.

Teasing my lost courage they push me
and pulling me out of my disappointment
they laugh at my wishes to sleep again
and insist me to fight for my forgotten dreams.

Every night they bring with them
an weathercock, which they call time
and showing me its direction to somewhere
they forecast my victory in a war.
Every night they come to break my sleep
and every night I awake a little more.
They bring the weathercock again and again
and looking at this bird I dream of an war.

<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >
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<! —awake awaking awaken awakening- >
<! —awake awaking awaken awakening- >
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<! - Fight fighting fought fight fighting fought - >
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Weight

Your weight
sometime
is the sum of your capacity
to harm
if not
you are living far away
from the world of politics.

<! - Politics politics politics politics politics - >
<! - Politics politics politics politics politics - >

<! - Away away away away away away - >
<! - Away away away away away away - >

<! - live lives lived living - >

<! - Living living living living living- >
<! - Living living living living living- >

<! - sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes - >
<! - sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes - >

<! —Harm harmed harmful- >
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<! - World world world world world world world world - >
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What Can A Little Finger Do?

Any of my little fingers can
tell you their remaining number in my hand.
Rest of my fingers will tell you then
approximate number of my so far shredded friend.

<! —remain remaining remained - >
<! —remain remaining remained - >

<! —tell telling told- >
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What For Is Money?

I thought on how could be the life
Without having to work for money.
After all this is the money which we work for.

Had we only have enough money to spend
We won't have to toil our body or brain.
Solution also seemed very easy to me.

Just get a lot of mints to mint money.
Make as much money as may people need
Give them as much as may people want.

All problems are seemingly soon gone.
The root of all evils I thought could be
the root of happiness of all kind instead.

How could this easy way out be overlooked?
Thinking furthermore I thought.
We need mints and we need paper and ink.

We need banks and a lot of ATMs.
People will get money and go for shopping
So we need ample shops. In shops we need products.

We need make shops and we need make products.
but we also need people to run them.
So some people will make paper and some ink.

Some other will work in mints and banks.
Some will work in shops and making products.
Rest all the people will only happily buy things.

Thinking up to here my thought jumbled.

People needed money so they worked.
If money was available for doing no work
Then why should there be anyone to work?

If no one works then where from comes paper and ink?
Where from comes money, banks and ATMs?
Where from then comes products?

Without products how could then we live and enjoy?

So we need products and for products we need to work,
to get people into the works we need money.
So it was that money could not be made free.

I thought, People have already thought it before me.

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What Happened Last Night

We do not discuss
what happens in the last nights.

The worst gets published
in the local newspapers.

The readers tear them apart
in breakfast and they want more.

The policemen rushes
and media for gathering mosses-

tasty pickles for the next morning
but a poet is no local correspondent.

I don't think poetry lovers do
love breakfast. I know they sleep.

Off the barriers, I wanted to fly
to the stars.But one did not come.

The midnight went to sleep
and sorrows died.Last night.

Else, I could be the one who I was
never before or one who I will be never after.

<! —Come came come came come back coming- >
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<! —Come came come came come back coming- >

<! —Fly flying flew flown- >
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<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >
<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >

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<! - Think think think think think think think think - >
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<! - Sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow- >
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What Not To Write?

What not to write fearing they will become cliche?
What not to write for offering you a pleasing read?
I wonder if one has to be always very cautious that
Words spoken by other some other time should not
be expressed even if emotions remain unchanged?

I wonder if wondering has also become a cliche?
I fear you detesting my fears and very unconscious
about your taste and need for words I am to waste
seconds, minutes and hours of your precious watch.
I ask myself if poetry has to be a brand new product?

<! - Speak spoke spoken speaking speak speak- >
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<! - Speak spoke spoken speaking speak speak- >

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<! —become became becoming - >
<! —become became becoming - >

<! —need needing needed needless- >
<! —need needing needed needless- >
<! —need needing needed needless- >

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<! —remain remaining remained - >
<! —remain remaining remained - >

<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >
<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >
<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >
<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >
<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >

<! —Product products production produce produced producing - >
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<! - Wonder wonder wonder wonder - >

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What To Do If Time Changes?

They filled the air with sad melodies
sang all the heart wrenching love songs
throughout the seventies which echoed
up to mid eighties.

Mohammad Rafi, Mukesh
Kisore Kumar and Manna Dey
all might have ruined his life.

Do you remember those days
when every light post would sing
a sad love song?

How do I blame a growing boy
who in every step would stop
to listen those unforgettable songs?

How do I blame the boy
who would always imagine
living is worthless without love?

Search, search, search
not a job or career, dear
the first thing that would always come
to your mind
was searching a soul mate everywhere.

Romance would fly in the air
and life would mean gone astray
if your name were not written on a heart.
Nothing else would be more important
than dying for someone.

A love marriage would be considered
like achieving moksha to every youth.
You had nothing to achieve after that.

The boy would try to sing every song
as if they were all sung only for him
as if all the lyrics would describe
his cry for his soul mate screaming.

Search, search, search for a success
to get your name marked on a heart.
How do I blame the boy who thought
it was the only priority in life?

Could he really sleep for an hour you think
until his love was requited?
Could he ever sleep do you think
if his love was to never be requited?

But the time did not stop for a while.
the new singers now started singing rocks
or something of that kind like disco songs.
The mid eighties now rolled into nineties.

Romance was now vanishing from the blue.
Summer wind now took control of his life
of his song and imaginations.

He tried to forget who was Mohammad Rafi
who was Mukesh, Kisore Kumar or Manna Dey.
People now got busy viewing T.V
and movies at home in VCPs.

Light post too now forgot to sing melodies.
The world now slowly turning to dance
and teenagers now liked it very much
but he was too beaten to dance
dance, dance.

Silently he bundled his favorite old cassettes
and shifted them in a box to such a place
that they can never be easily found
sung, played or destroyed.

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<! - Find finding found find finding found- >
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<! - Silence silent silently- >
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<! - Dance dance dance dance - >
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<! - Dance dance dance dance - >

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<! - live lives lived living - >
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<! - Living living living living living- >
<! - Living living living living living- >

<! - Imagine imagining imagination imagine- >

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<! - Listen listening listened listen listening- >
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<! - Listen listening listened listen listening- >

<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >
<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >
<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >

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<! - People people people people people - >

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<! - Song song song song song song song song song - >
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<! - Think think think think think think think think - >

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What You Cannot See

You can see an elderly man
very inaptly trying to adjust
clutch and gears
for riding a motorcycle
failing which stopping too often
in between traffics.
You may also see him
while passing happily
rushing
through the wind
to quickly reach your destination.
You may also have had little fun
his futile attempt
to move forward with a silky smoothness as you do.

But you cannot see the boy
that lives within this man
Who peddled bi-cycle years ago
most aptly racing.
You have only one destination to reach
so you move
Leaving this man behind
who has to move forward via
vistas of forgotten time
rejoicing his lovely memories.
Know it from me;
here you are not the winner alone.
This man also wins
allowing you to smoothly pass by.

<! —allow allowance allowing allowed- >
<! —allow allowance allowing allowed- >

<! - alone alone alone alone alone - >
<! - alone alone alone alone alone - >

<! —Win winner won winning- >
<! —Win winner won winning- >
<! —Win winner won winning- >

<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget unforgettable- >
<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget unforgettable- >

<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >
<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >
<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >

<! - live lives lived living - >
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<! - live lives lived living - >

<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
<! - Fun funny funny funny funny funny funny- >

<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >
<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >
<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >

<! - Wind wind wind wind - >
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<! - Fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun fun - >
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<! - Memory memory memory memory memory memory memory- >
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<! - live live live live live live live live live live live- >

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What's Is Written, Written

It will be a great surprise
if you don't walk away with a smile.
How come things written on the wall
be proved wrong?

Those are written in great consensus
observing your behavior
years after years.
Oh, humanity, you are too bare
to keep faith upon.

Every time you walk away
a flame of hope is again extinguished.
Every-time you walk away
they close their eyes again
who sleep there now for centuries
to awake in a morn when
they will have to erase those words
on the wall for writing anew.

But see, you too fail to become the reason.

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<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
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<! - Word words word words word words - >
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When I Met You First

Sorry,
I am very sorry dear
I fall short of words,
I think
I should better quit from here.
I simply cannot
Explain
The un-explainable.

Rather
I am unable to put
those words together
which really could
make those moments
alive before you
once again.

Perhaps,
Someone whispered
Perhaps
Eyes forgot to blink
Perhaps my heart forgot
to beat for a while
Perhaps I did not breath
for hours
Perhaps
My mind forgot to think
Perhaps
I laughed
Perhaps
I wept
Perhaps
I cried
Perhaps
I exclaimed
But perhaps no one could
hear anything
No one could see anything
No one could feel anything
How
My world changed
Forever, Alas!
Forever.

<! - sorry sorry sorry sorry- >
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Where Is Money?

But where is money?
When ultimately
you come to this question
my poetry silently walks away.

No moon, no star
no bird, no flower
no sky, no mountain
can truly make her smile.

Hurt, wounded
disappointed and sad
now she thinks for hours
what is her real value on earth?

For hours and days
sometime even for weeks
she does not feel easy to come near
because she earns no real money for me.

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<! —Earth earth earth earth- >
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<! - Flower flower flower flower- >
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<! - Think thinking thought think - >
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<! - Moon moon moon moon moon moon moon - >

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<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >
<! - sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad sad - >

<! - Think think think think think think think think - >
<! - Think think think think think think think think - >

<! - Smile smile smile smile smile smile- >
<! - sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes sometimes - >

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Who Are You? How Are You?

Who are you my dear God Almighty?
Allah? Ishwar? kind father of Jesus?

How are you related there in heaven?
Are you there in truce among yourselves
with each of your billion followers
who have at last reached your door
after having long heritage of enmity
there on earth within themselves?

Are you there in piece my dear?
Are you there in peace?

<! —Earth earth earth earth- >
<! —Earth earth earth earth- >
<! —Earth earth earth earth- >

<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >
<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >
<! - Reach reached reaching reach reaching- >

<! —Follow Follower followers following followed- >
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<! —Piece piece pieces pieced piecing - >
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<! - Peace peace peace peace peace peace peace - >
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<! - Kind kind kind kind kind kind kind kind - >
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<! - heaven heaven heaven heaven heaven heaven- >
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Who Has No Pen

I am very happy that I have a pen to write
one which immensely helps me to bring out
my feelings rooted so deep inside my soul.

I am so lucky that I have a pen to extract
my pains which would otherwise be souring
fine tissues of my heart that loves to love
every heart dear, every heart far and near.

I feel sorry for them who do not have a pen.
Once I did not have any so I know very well
how hard it is to carry pain and sufferings

How disgustingly sad, tiresome it is to bear
the burden of tears that falls against wish.
I feel to share my pen with them who have
pains and sorrows but no pen to extract.

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<! - Share shared share shared share shared- >
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<! - Sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow- >
<! - Sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow sorrow- >

<! —Burden burdened- >
<! —Burden burdened- >
<! —Burden burdened- >

<! - Tears tears tears tears tears tears - >
<! - Tears tears tears tears tears tears - >

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<! —fall fell falling fallen- >

<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >

<! —Carry carried carrying carrier- >

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<! —Carry carried carrying carrier- >

<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >
<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >

<! - soul soul mate soul soul mate soul soul soul- >
<! - soul soul mate soul soul mate soul soul soul- >

<! —root rooting rooted uproot uprooting uprooted - >
<! —root rooting rooted uproot uprooting uprooted - >

<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >

<! —bring bringing brought - >
<! —bring bringing brought - >
<! —bring bringing brought - >

<! - Help help help help help help - >
<! - Help help help help help help - >
<! - Help help help help help help - >

<! - Write wrote written writing - >
<! - Write wrote written writing - >
<! - Write wrote written writing - >

<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >
<! - happy happy happily happiness happiness - >

<! - sorry sorry sorry sorry- >
<! - sorry sorry sorry sorry- >

<! - soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul - >
<! - soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul soul - >

<! - Know know know know know know - >
<! - Know know know know know know - >

<! - Suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer- >
<! - Suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer- >

<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >

<! - Tears tears tears tears tears tears - >
<! - Tears tears tears tears tears tears - >

<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >

<! - pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen pen - >
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<! - Pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain - >
<! - Pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain - >
<! - Pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain - >
<! - Pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain pain - >

<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >

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Who Has Nothing To Do

Who has nothing to do
with my welfare
can always speak sweet.

On the contrary
who thinks about my future
for any reason, whatsoever
cannot shower pleasing words on me.

Despite, having sense of this wisdom
my human nature repels bitter words
gets attracted to sweet falsehood.

<! —bitter bitterness - >
<! —bitter bitterness - >
<! —bitter bitterness - >
<! —bitter bitterness - >
<! —bitter bitterness - >

<! —sweet sweeter sweetest sweetening- >
<! —sweet sweeter sweetest sweetening- >
<! —sweet sweeter sweetest sweetening- >

<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >
<! - Please pleasure pleasing pleasure - >

<! —Shower showered showering- >
<! —Shower showered showering- >

<! - Reason reason reason reason reason - >
<! - Reason reason reason reason reason - >

<! —Get got gotten getting get out get in- >
<! —Get got gotten getting get out get in- >

<! —Sense nonsense sensed sensation sensing- >
<! —Sense nonsense sensed sensation sensing- >

<! —Wisdom wisdom wisdom- >
<! —Wisdom wisdom wisdom- >

<! - Nature Nature Nature Nature Nature - >
<! - Nature Nature Nature Nature Nature - >

<! - Human human human human - >

<! - Human human human human - >

<! —attract attracted attraction attracts - >
<! —attract attracted attraction attracts - >
<! —attract attracted attraction attracts - >

<! - false falsehood false falsehood - >
<! - false falsehood false falsehood - >
<! - false falsehood false falsehood - >

<! - Future future future future future future future - >
<! - Future future future future future future future - >

<! - Speak speak speak speak speak speak- >
<! - Speak speak speak speak speak speak- >
<! - Speak speak speak speak speak speak- >

<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >

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Whom I Love The Most

I love someone who is as good as me
I love someone who is as bad as me

Who looks like me and thinks like me
Who talks like me and listens like me
Who loves like me and hates like me
Who sings like me and dreams like me
Who cries like me and laughs like me.

I love someone who is just like me.

whom I love the most is me, is me, is me.

<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >

<! - someone someone someone someone - >
<! - someone someone someone someone - >
<! - someone someone someone someone - >

<! —look looking looked- >
<! —look looking looked- >
<! —look looking looked- >

<! - Talk talked talking talk talked talking - >
<! - Talk talked talking talk talked talking - >

<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >
<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >
<! - Sing sang sung singer singing song- >

<! - Cry cried crying cry cried crying cry cry - >
<! - Cry cried crying cry cried crying cry cry - >
<! - Cry cried crying cry cried crying cry cry - >

<! - love love love love love love love - >
<! - love love love love love love love - >
<! - love love love love love love love - >
<! - love love love love love love love - >

<! - Think think think think think think think think - >
<! - Think think think think think think think think - >
<! - Think think think think think think think think - >

<! - Listen listen listen listen listen- >

<! - Listen listen listen listen listen- >

<! - dream dream dream dream dream dream - >
<! - dream dream dream dream dream dream - >
<! - dream dream dream dream dream dream - >

<! - Hate hate hate hate hate hate hate - >
<! - Hate hate hate hate hate hate hate - >

<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh laugh laughter laugh- >
<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh laugh laughter laugh- >

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Windows' 2009

Sitting beside my open Windows
sending ethereal byte
waiting you for responding to me
from the other side of night.

Here you have my token of love for you
a bucket full of glee.
Do you send me a bouquet of sunlight
hearing to my plea?

O my distant heart my dear
don't you call me an intimate friend?
Keep your heart and Windows open
to allow me greetings send.

Take my grey for blues of yours
and silver as much as you need.
Don't feel shy to cry aloud or laugh as much
I am waiting to heed.

<! —need needing needed needless- >
<! —need needing needed needless- >

<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >
<! - Laughter laugh laughter laugh- >

<! —allow allowance allowing allowed- >
<! —allow allowance allowing allowed- >

<! - love love love love love love love - >
<! - love love love love love love love - >

<! - friendship friendship friendship - >
<! - friendship friendship friendship - >

<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - Night night night night night night night - >
<! - Night night night night night night night - >

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Wings

Wings are made of money
Ever if I have them a pair
I will fly away somewhere.

Wings are made of money
I wish I had them a pair.

Wings are made of money
They can just set you free
And let you go to everywhere.

Wings are made of money
I wish I had them a pair.

Wings are made of money
They can take you to places
too close to your dreams.

Wings are made of money
I wish I had them a pair.

Wings are made of money
and if I have them a pair ever
I will not surely be the same-
person sitting idle here.

Wings are made of money
I wish I had them a pair.

<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >
<! - Wish wish wish wish wish wish wish - >

<! —Sit sitting sat sit- >
<! —Sit sitting sat sit- >

<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >
<! —just just just just just - >

<! —Set setting set setting- >
<! —Set setting set setting- >

<! —free free free free free free free - >
<! —free free free free free free free - >

<! - everywhere everywhere everywhere- >
<! - everywhere everywhere everywhere- >

<! - somewhere somewhere somewhere somewhere - >
<! - somewhere somewhere somewhere somewhere - >

<! - Pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair - >
<! - Pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair pair - >

<! —Wing wings winged- >
<! —Wing wings winged- >
<! —Wing wings winged- >
<! —Wing wings winged- >
<! —Wing wings winged- >

<! - Money money money money money money money- >
<! - Money money money money money money money- >
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<! - Money money money money money money money- >

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Wish

One day it happened like this
Rising from a slumber
suddenly my mind said
damn it.

Let her stay or let her go.
Let the matter be settled.

Let her get lost if she desires
Let her escape if she wants

If this becomes useful to her
Let her get some faults
Let her go.

Her going was felt so proper like this
Staying was also felt improper like this

One day it happened like this.
suddenly my mind said
Let this end.

Let her go
Let her go

<! —rise rising - >
<! —rise rising - >
<! —rise rising - >
<! —rise rising - >
<! —rise rising - >

<! —Settle settled settling settlement- >
<! —Settle settled settling settlement- >
<! —Settle settled settling settlement- >
<! —Settle settled settling settlement- >
<! —Settle settled settling settlement- >

<! —Desire desired desiring- >
<! —Desire desired desiring- >
<! —Desire desired desiring- >

<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >

<! —say said saying- >

<! —Stay staying stayed- >
<! —Stay staying stayed- >
<! —Stay staying stayed- >
<! —Stay staying stayed- >
<! —Stay staying stayed- >
<! —Stay staying stayed- >

<! —Proper improper- >
<! —Proper improper- >
<! —Proper improper- >
<! —Proper improper- >
<! —Proper improper- >

<! - lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost - >
<! - lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost - >

<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >
<! - Feel feeling felt feeling felt feel - >

<! —become became becoming - >
<! —become became becoming - >

<! —Use used unused useful usefulness- >
<! —Use used unused useful usefulness- >

<! —Get got gotten getting get out get in- >
<! —Get got gotten getting get out get in- >

<! —Want wanted want wanted- >
<! —Want wanted want wanted- >

<! —Escapade escape escaped escaping- >
<! —Escapade escape escaped escaping- >

<! —Desire desired desiring- >
<! —Desire desired desiring- >

<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >

<! —Slumber slumber slumber slumber- >
<! —Slumber slumber slumber slumber- >

<! - Happen happened happen happened happen - >
<! - Happen happened happen happened happen - >
<! - Happen happened happen happened happen - >

<! - mind mind mind mind mind mind mind - >
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Wishes

I wish you a very happy New Year
because I can only wish but I can not

make you happy unless you yourself
want to make yourself truly happy.

Happiness is certainly a seed of wish
which need to exist there embedded

within your own self, within your heart
which need be nourished by pouring

little moisture of love, care and hope
which you derive from others in turn

by making them happy by your deeds
to allow it grow into a happiness tree.

<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >

<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >
<! - heart heart heart heart heart heart heart- >

<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness - >
<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness - >
<! - happiness happiness happiness happiness - >

<! - happy happy happy happy happy happy - >
<! - happy happy happy happy happy happy - >
<! - happy happy happy happy happy happy - >

<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >
<! - Hope hope hope hope hope hope hope - >

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Worth

Whom do I live here for?
Do I really live for me?
I am often very confused.

Somehow I am in a notion
My elastic life elongates
long, longer
to keep there alive
a promising buyer
who will
live here at any cost
til he has not bought enough.

Every life is very precious here
but not in the same sense.
To some
my life and yours
are the lives of valuable consumers.

Your life and my life
are lives of great concern to them.
we live to earn
but to them
we live only to spend, I assume.

This life is like a funny trap here
When we believe
we are consuming
actually we are
being stupidly consumed.

Say me not
what we have gained more
than what we have lost here.

Here on earth we are
actually worth of our great ability
to hate our own selves
for our inability to buy more and more.

<! —buy buying bought buyer- >
<! —buy buying bought buyer- >
<! —buy buying bought buyer- >
<! —buy buying bought buyer- >
<! —buy buying bought buyer- >

<! —consume consumer consuming consumed- >
<! —consume consumer consuming consumed- >
<! —consume consumer consuming consumed- >

<! —consume consumer consuming consumed- >
<! —consume consumer consuming consumed- >

<! - confuse confusion confusing confused - >
<! - confuse confusion confusing confused - >

<! - Gain gained gaining gain gained gaining- >
<! - Gain gained gaining gain gained gaining- >

<! - lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost - >
<! - lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost lost - >

<! —Sense nonsense sensed sensation sensing- >
<! —Sense nonsense sensed sensation sensing- >

<! —assume assuming unassumingly assumed assumption - >
<! —assume assuming unassumingly assumed assumption - >

<! - Hate hated hatred hating - >
<! - Hate hated hatred hating - >
<! - Hate hated hatred hating - >

<! —Trap trapped trapping - >
<! —Trap trapped trapping - >
<! —Trap trapped trapping - >

<! —able ability ability inability inability - >
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<! —Worth worthy- >
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<! —Worth worthy- >

<! - live lives lived living - >
<! - live lives lived living - >
<! - live lives lived living - >
<! - live lives lived living - >
<! - live lives lived living - >

<! - believe believed believe believed - >
<! - believe believed believe believed - >

<! - believe believed believe believed - >
<! - believe believed believe believed - >
<! - believe believed believe believed - >

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You

Must be blind
or
You could see

My words do not
go with me.

<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >
<! —Go went gone going- >

<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >

<! —Blind blind blind blind blind blind - >
<! —Blind blind blind blind blind blind - >

<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >
<! - Word words word words word words - >

<! —Blind blind blind blind blind blind - >
<! —Blind blind blind blind blind blind - >
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You And Me With Destiny

Who turned the pages first
You? Me or Destiny?

Who thought it was not possible
You or Destiny?

Who said everything should not be possible?
Was it Me?

<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >
<! —say said saying- >

<! —everything everything everything everything- >
<! —everything everything everything everything- >
<! —everything everything everything everything- >

<! - Think thinking thought think - >
<! - Think thinking thought think - >
<! - Think thinking thought think - >

<! - Thought thought thought thought - >
<! - Thought thought thought thought - >

<! —Turn turning turned return returned returning- >
<! —Turn turning turned return returned returning- >
<! —Turn turning turned return returned returning- >
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<! - Destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny- >
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<! - Destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny destiny- >
<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >
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<! - love love love love love love love love love love love- >

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You Never Died

I buried you deep inside
once, twice and thrice
before I forgot you at last.

Though I knew I did
I had confusion if you were
properly buried.

I took the pen to dig
wounds of our past to see
if you were still alive.

Alas! I found you never died.

<! - Find finding found find finding found- >
<! - Find finding found find finding found- >

<! - Alive alive alive alive alive alive- >
<! - Alive alive alive alive alive alive- >

<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >

<! - Past past past past past past - >
<! - Past past past past past past - >

<! - Wound wounds wounded wounds - >
<! - Wound wounds wounded wounds - >
<! - Wound wounds wounded wounds - >
<! - Wound wounds wounded wounds - >
<! - Wound wounds wounded wounds - >

<! —Dig digs digging- >
<! —Dig digs digging- >
<! —Dig digs digging- >
<! —Dig digs digging- >
<! —Dig digs digging- >

<! —Take took taken taking- >

<! —Take took taken taking- >
<! —Take took taken taking- >
<! —Take took taken taking- >
<! —Take took taken taking- >

<! —bury buried burying- >
<! —bury buried burying- >
<! —bury buried burying- >
<! —bury buried burying- >
<! —bury buried burying- >

<! —Proper properly improper- >
<! —Proper properly improper- >
<! —Proper properly improper- >
<! —Proper properly improper- >
<! —Proper properly improper- >

<! —do doing did done - >
<! —do doing did done - >
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<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >
<! - Know knew known knowing unknowingly unknown - >

<! - confuse confusion confusing confused - >
<! - confuse confusion confusing confused - >
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<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget unforgettable- >
<! - Forget forgot forgotten forget unforgettable- >
<! - Before before before before - >
<! - Before before before before - >
<! - Before before before before - >

<! - Forget forget forget forget forget- >
<! - Forget forget forget forget forget- >
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<! - Past past past past past past - >
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<! - Death death death death death - >
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<! - Die died die died die died die - >
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Youphobia

Disease
not known, but seen
people suffering from
Youphobia
where You is often
the dear ones
who overlooked
or miserably failed
to take care of
soft emotions of the sick.

<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >
<! —See saw seen seeing- >

<! —Take took taken taking- >
<! —Take took taken taking- >
<! —Take took taken taking- >

<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >
<! - care careful caring cared careful caring - >

<! - People people people people people - >
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<! - People people people people people - >

<! - Sick sick sick sick sick sick sick sick- >
<! - Sick sick sick sick sick sick sick sick- >

<! - Suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer- >
<! - Suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer suffer- >

<! - Fail fail fail fail fail fail - >
<! - Fail fail fail fail fail fail - >

<! - Known known known known known - >
<! - Known known known known known - >

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Your Vote Please

Live and let die is not a good option
because someone has to die for others.
Who knows this is not me someday?

Die and let live is also not a good option
because I have got to die for others.
This is never my choice for obvious.

Die and let die is a bad option
because I have got to die with others.
How can this be my choice?

Live and let live is the only good option
because no one has to die for others.
My living is somewhat guaranteed.

Let me Vote for safety of my life.

<! —Safe safety safely - >
<! —Safe safety safely - >
<! —Safe safety safely - >
<! —Safe safety safely - >

<! - live lives lived living - >
<! - live lives lived living - >

<! - Living living living living living- >
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