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Robert Rumery (1-17-85)

I've been writing for a very short time. 3 years I started when I was 16 and know I'm almost 21. Wait my math maybe off just a tad bit. But Math was never my strong point. My strong point was pen and parchment. The only way I could really release all of my demons that I held so strong inside of myself. The demons that would make my happiest day seem so dark and dismal. Those days I never liked, but those dark days gave me inspirations to write and write. Write so much that your hand would fall off. It would cramp, and my fingers would feel like they would want to fall off. Often times I broke my pencils out of frustration of not being able to produce anything 'Good' most of the stuff I write I considered 'Bad' because I think I expected too much of myself at the point in time. I had a very bad depression my Senior year in High School. I think it was from all the nerves and pressure of it being my senior year and that I was graduating in less than 4 months. That took a toll on me like no other. I was leaving friends I had become very close to in that year. I was leaving my best friend behind because he had failed his Junior year. He should of been a senior just like me but he wasn't. I started writing poetry for Poetry.com just as a simple outlet for my frustration. I look back at those poems and I don't think they are very good. But now I look at my current poems and they are more complicated than the ones I did in 2003. Mine know still deal with depression, heart-ache and life in this world.

I find stuff to write about inspirations are all around us. To the road we live on, the sidewalk we walk on. Even the trees, the sky, the heavens can inspire you to write. It always has inspired me. I can walk down the street of my hometown of Milo, Maine. And watch cars go by and smell the fresh air and that gives me inspiration. Inspiration to live on with life and to keep on writing how I feel and what I think. Everything has a purpose in this life and this world. Computers, mothers, fathers, sons and daughters. Some find their purposes easier than others. And the others have to search for it a little harder. I always knew inside of me I was a good writer. As a child I loved to make up stories from my favorite Cartoons.. Sonic The Hedgehog and Ninja Turtles just to name two to give an example. I could plan how I wanted the story to unfold on a piece of paper. But I needed other people to help me create the story itself with the writing and such. The mind of 12 year old boy is fragile he can think up great epic stories but he needs a little help putting it down onto the paper. The history of The Writer and Story Teller go all the way back to cavemen days. They used to paint stuff on their walls to tell stories because they weren't as evolved as Humans are today. But its still great how they could express themselves the way they did. And thats all that I'm really searching for is a way to express myself more clearly than I currently am.

Growing up in Milo, Maine gave me certain pleasures living close enough to loved ones, friends and relatives. If you ever talked to me in person or Instant Messenger. You know I voiced my opinions about living in Milo and how horrible. That's only because I lived here for so long. I mean lots of forms of life and people from around the world some how end up in Milo, Maine I thought it kind of amazing and weird at the same time. You can have someone living here for 20 years and they'd originally be from New Hampshire, Mass or Florida. I guess us Miloites pull people in like Tractorbeams. We are The USS Enterprise of Maine. We boldly go where no man has gone before nor wants to go. I know that was a cheesy Star Trek line but it's true in a sense. I was born in Dover-Foxcroft, Maine at The Mayo Hospital. I love the surrounding areas. And I think where you're from somehow makes your writing style different. Would a Maine Author write different if they were from Australia or New York? Same with singers and song writers. Would Black Sabbath (My favorite band) sound the same if they were from New Brunswick and Not England? And maybe the lead singer wasn't Ozzy Osbourne but Robert Plant. I take small things like and try to deduce them and see what they mean. I think Black Sabbath wouldn't be what it is today if they didn't have Ozzy Osbourne or Tony Iommi. That'd be like my poetry wouldn't be the same if I didn't go through hard times and didn't live in Maine. I'm a Mainer, a MANIEac...

So people ask me why I write the way I do. Why I choose to talk about depressing subjects as Depression, society and Drug use both in Teenagers and Adults. I find it that we need to talk about these things in song, poetry and normal discussions. To get it out to the world. That this is a problem and it's not going to go away until we force it to go away. I've had friends that have had bad depressions and did hard drugs because they're life sucked. Maybe their parents didn't hug them enough. We don't really know what makes our youth take drugs. Maybe if you could get inside of their heads maybe you could see how they think and why they do these things. They ask for help and that amazes me. That some parents won't give their daughters or sons the help they need. Because they're like that. You did drugs, so you're not my child and you're evil and dumb. That's not the way to go. Your parent you should support your children in whatever they do. Even if it means you have to support them in their rehab. I'm a really good kind hearted person. I'd come see a friend if they were in the hospital both normal or mental. Bring them flowers, make them laugh it's all good. I just love making people feel welcomed in this life and loved. I wished I could make the whole world feel loved and not so screwed up at times.

A small rural town in Maine drugs are so easy to get in Maine. But I've drifted off into other conversations and this was meant for you to get to know me and what I'm about. Well at times this is what I'm about perserving one's sanity and life. We go insane every single day. Trying to meet ends meet in this cruel world. When you get ahead they to your head away from you. In a matter of speaking meaning when you think you go a head you really haven't and the powers that be are sitting on their little thrones laughing at you. 'Great Power' 'Powers That Be' that's a blatant god reference. I used to believe in God but I'm not so sure anymore. If there was a god why would there be such hate in this world? I don't think it makes sense nothing in this world makes sense anymore. I've been thinking about this industry I want to get into. The writing industry I feel I can truly express myself with my poetry. And maybe one day with my songs. I hope I can I just love writing on so many levels. I've wanted to be famous every since I was little and maybe I'll get the chance if not. I'll just write and read poetry for the people who enjoy it.

Who is Robert Rumery? He's just like you. A normal person trying to get by in the world. He might be living next door to you and you wouldn't even know it. The secrets he holds inside of him and the talent he has of the poetic and songish nature. He's come so far since being 16. He may not be published. But he writes stuff for the public to read and most of the public love his works. So what does this mean for the future of Robert Rumery? He doesn't really know but he'll take it one step at a time. The writer that lives inside of him is finally coming out. He'd like to thank everyone he loves and most importantly Stephen King, without his books Robert would of never

picked up a pen and started writing. You want to ask Robert Rumery questions or comment him on his work? e-mail him at limeguy@hotmail.com he will answer your questions as best as he can.. He loves you all and he thanks you for reading this.

- Robert Rumery 12-15-05 ' Meet The Author: Robert Rumery'

Works:

E-Book

Alone Again

I know I should be really happy,
But I'm not,
I know I should be he happy for you,
But I'm not,
All I can think about is the pain,
The pain that lives inside of me,

The day that you left me,
I can remember it so vividly,
You left me and I didn't really know,
Why you did something like that to me,
I still don't know why,

Chorus: I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,

You sent me a letter in the mail,
Explaining everything,
The who, the when, and the why,
But I still don't understand,

I sit in this empty-room,
Were we made all of our memories
where you kissed me,
and where we made love for the first time,
when we exclaimed that we'd be together forever,

the walls painted with your name,
pin-ups of your smiling face on my walls,
songs I've written about you,
they line the top of my bed like covers,
and I wonder why this had to come now,

Chorus: I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,

your back out on the streets,
drugs have taken over your life,
and I can't see why you'd want to live this way,
when you could have had someone like me to love you,

I held onto hope,
as god dangled it in front of me on a string,
like a cat would dangle cheese in front of a mouse,
Without you my life seems so meaningless,
its like I'm running around in circles without you,

Can't you see what you mean to me,
and how you complete my well being,
how you are my heart, my mind and my soul,

I'm so miserable without you,
and I don't know if I can go on anymore,

Chorus: I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,

I wanted to grow old with you,
and father your child,
I would of stood behind you in your every decision,
but know I'm alone again,

sitting in the darkness of what used to be our life,
the live that we were supposed to live together,
and we were supposed to take on the world,
and know look at us now,

You're getting married to someone,
and I'm back in the pit of depression,
I'm alone again,
and you're happy with him,
I just don't really understand,

Chorus: I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,
I'm Alone Again,

And I don't think I will ever understand,
my heart still wants you,
but my mind says that I'm insane,
my heart is trying to keep me sane,
and trying to keep my hopes up,

I may not be your new husband,
and I may never love you like the way I want to,
but I know one thing for sure,
you'll always be my Amanda,
and I know for now I'll be Alone Again,

Robert Rumery

Amy Lee

Amy Lee,
what went down in your head,
saying things no one ought to say,
thinking things that nobody should say,
I try to turn away from you,

I try to turn you off,
like a bad television show,
but you and your voice,
they draw me back in,
like a kid on the street trying to escape a life of crime,

I can hear your voice calling to me,
it winds inside of my head,
in a repated vision,
taking all my hatred for life and vision,
and you take it all and ball it up,
and make it yours,
and you make it mine,

Amy Lee,
whats in your mind,
and what are you? Just another tortured soul,
that has fallen victim to societys ways,
what are you? and who are you?
I don't know who you are,

just that I hear your voice inside of my head,
calling me,
wanting me,
telling me what I ought to be,

a generation of pain that was ought to be,
a rock musican that took the pains of society,
and made it hers,
now were talking about suicide and depression,
and you made it your sucidial tornquet,
and you Brought Me Back To Life,

would it be wrong or would it be right,
if I wanted to be like you tonight,
influence a generation of rockers,
that couldn't deal with their emotions,
inleunced a generation to speak there minds,
with music and their emotions,

Amy Lee,
I still don't know who you are,
or why I still hear your voice inside of my head,
but I know one thing its the voice I yurn for,
the voice that keeps me sane in my darkest hours,

Robert Rumery

BabyGirl

Baby Girl,
I love you so much and I don't know,
where I should start where to begin,
there is so much about you that I love,
where do I start?
You're such a beautiful girl,
your mind is darkened by fear and sadness,
your heart has been broken so many times,
but what can I do I'm only just a man,

Baby Girl,
what can I do to make it all better?
you've told me a thousand times how you felt about me,
how you yearn for me in your life,
how much you love my tender sweet touch,
but look at me an emotional mess,
can't you see.
that I love you too but I can't show it,

Baby Girl,
what are we going to do?
I know the sorrows in your life,
the hatred you have for it,
can't you feel the love that we share?
The love that has drawn us close together?

I look into your eyes,
and I see a forgotten soul,
a misleading heart,
all I want to be is your Baby boy,
All I want to be is your lover the guy,
that saves you from all the sorrow in your life,

Baby Girl,
I can't change the your past,
but I can write your future,
and it is looking bright with glee and happiness,
I see us together,
but what your sister did it was so fucked up,
took what life she had and ended it,
but I say to that is,
we loved,
we missed you,
so when I get to heaven I'm going to sell you my soul,

This is my baby girl,
I'm going to put my arms around here,
and I'm going to lover her tenderly,
under the nights moon,
under the Angel's Love,
She's my baby girl,
and I'm never letting go

Robert Rumery

Cold December Night

It's a cold december night,
the streets are my only friend,
they're calling my name,
Listen to my heavy steps,
I'm walking this road alone,

I wanna play with fire,
I'm too afraid I'll get burned,
I wanna take this lighter, flip it open,
then watch the world burn,

These cold december nights,
makes memories of us,
run through my mind,
they almost make me miss you,

I just wanna put this fire,
into someone else's heart,
on this cold december night,
as I walk this road alone,

I can't help but let these,
almost forgotten feelings,
just linger on inside of my heart,
inside of my broken soul,

On these cold december nights,
I can see the breath,
infront of my face,
I can feel the chill,

your almost a ghost,
that's always going to haunt me,
on these lonley nights,
when I toss and turn,
on these Cold December Nights.

Robert Rumery

Crazy About Her

I'm so Crazy about her,
I think of her night and day,
ooh yeah,
her baby-blue eyes,
her godly brown locks,
The best damn body,

that any guy would want,
to get with,
I'm a bunch of nerves,
no style, no figures,
just a small town boy,

just looking for some love,
and a mind that never quits,
and a heart of gold,
but you can't that,
by stand there alone,
and so lonely.

So what are you doing,
over there playing with your hair,
waiting to be rescued,
and swept off your feet,
by your prince in shinning armor,
and on a white horse,

Or are you going to sit on that rock,
so neatly with your legs crossed,
or do I have to make the first move,
persuade you to take a dip in my love pool,

Chorus: Crazy About Her,
Well it Not Stop,
Crazy About Her,
She Makes My Heart flutter,
Crazy About Her,

You look so lovely,
let me pick this flower up,
and give it to you,
and make you smile so big,

smile like you used to,
now here I go,
bringing her happiness you can see,
she's so beautiful,
it was love at first site,

Chorus: Crazy About Her,
Well it Not Stop,
Crazy About Her,

She Makes My Heart flutter,
Crazy About Her,

She smiles at me,
and tells me that I'm sweet,
I get a warm feeling,
a feeling that wants to now more about her,

she placed her hand on my cheek,
and she looked into my eyes,
but her eyes looked into my soul,

a wild sensation,
was I in love? ,
or was I just insane?
I can feel her fears,
and taste her passions,

Chorus: Crazy About Her,
Well it Not Stop,
Crazy About Her,
She Makes My Heart flutter,
Crazy About Her,

I'll take her hand,
and make her happy tonight,
a dinner,
a night of passion that won't die,

Crazy about her,
Yes I am,
Crazy About Her,
make it last forever,
Crazy About Her,
I Want To Make Her Mine,

Robert Rumery

Darkend Days

I looked at myself in the mirror,
and I didn't really like what I saw,
the person staring back at me,
I didn't know who he was,
but he was wearing my skin,

He looked back at me,
and he moved as I did,
he moved along to the beat of the music,
I looked at him and I wonderd why,
why I was the way that I was,

Darkend Days,
You turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
your turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
you turned my blue skys gray

why I had this urge to die,
the feelings that I held within,
wishing that no one else would find them,
wishing that they would pass me by,

the secret life that I tried to live,
looking for my depressive thrills,
looking to get high above it,
and take it on,

I look at my life as it's scatterd,
on the floor like broken shards of glass,
and I look at myself and I wonder why,
what my life should of been,
and how I've destroyed my hopes and dreams,

Darkend Days,
You turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
your turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
you turned my blue skys gray

the smell of death in the air,
it was such a sweet smell,
it smelled like victory for my darkside,
it was like I was finally going,
that I was almost finally gone,

But I try to hang on to my life,
to the people that gave their lives for me,
the people that loved and cherished me,
but for they own benefits they don't know,

of the secret world that lives within,
the secret world of my darkend days,

Darkend Days,
You turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
your turned my blue skys gray,
Darkend Days,
you turned my blue skys gray

Robert Rumery

Dimebag's gone (But He's Still Rockin')

I remember when it went down,
it was one of the darkest days in music history,
a wild man with a gun came to the show,
and he shot your ass dead,
and what for? No one really knows,

but I know that your not here with us,
you've crossed over with other musicians in the sky,
and thats why I'm here singing to you,
that was truely the day that the music died,

Chorus: Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')

you would of taken on the world,
as one of the best guitarists in the world,
and already taken your guitar skills to legendary status,
one of the few people the survived the hair metal scene,
and turned it into brutal heavy metals,

your hard and almost certainly demonic riffs,
made the hard rockin' and heavy metal world go around,
you could close your eyes and get lost in one of his guitar riffs,
listenting to you play it made all my worries go away,
and it felt like I had meet my god,

Chorus: Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')

Pantera was gone but not forgotten,
they forged their place in the history of Heavy Metal,
and you forged your way into heavy metal,
with the birth of Damage Plan,
a legenday metal bad in their own right,

you rocked with the cowboys from hell,
and you stood at the cemetary gates,
you faced the devil on so many occasions,
and showed him what was right and what was wrong,
took heavy metal to a whole new height,

it was heavy metal at its finest,
like it always should be,
I played your music so loud and so fast,
that the walls of my apartment would rock,
and the windows would break,

turn it up,

because I'm gonna play it so loud,
turn it up,
because I'm never gonna turn it down,
turn it up,
because I'm never gonna stop,

Chorus: Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')

Dimebag maybe gone from this earth,
but he remains in our souls,
and his music etched in the sands of time,
to be played for all time and newere generations,

just one more time to turn it up,
and never stop the rocking,
of what was one of the greatest guitarists that ever lived,
great ready to headbang and pay your respects to the man,

Chorus: Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')
Dimebag's Gone (But Hes Still Rockin')

Robert Rumery

Dying Life

When the sun goes down,
we come out to play,
madness romps the streets,
and you get down on your knees and pray,
we are darkness,
and what you hate,

We are

Dying Life,
Dying Life,
Dying Life,

Sulfur fills the air,
the fires reach the top of the skies,
the sound of people screaming,
sight of death and rampaged destruction,
a madman's rampage,
and our wills to die,

The lights go out,
and its time,
for we are, what we are,
and that's all we'll ever be,

Dying Life,
Dying Life,
Dying Life,

The world is such a cold place,
filled with hatred and disillusion,
the temptations fill the streets,
the guns, the drugs, the sex,
and our mighty rock and roll,
but we embrace all of it,
taste the fruits of evil,

the saints are lame,
and the sinners are the bad boys,
well they have so much more fun,

turn this up,
and play this shit so loud,
its time to rock,

We are,

Dying Life,
Dying Life,
Dying Life,

Robert Rumery

Everyone Thinks I'm Crazy

Everyone thinks that I am crazy,
they look into my eyes and they,
wonder what lays behind of them,
maybe a man with a darkened soul,
or a man with a deep dark secret,

that he keeps bottled up inside,
of him like a stick of dynamite,
just waiting to go off and blow up,
his soul,
and expresses his true feelings,
towards this dark and evil hurt world,
that has always turned its back on him,
and his friends,

he feels so alone like the little,
boy inside of him that is afraid of,
the new world that he has been born into,

Everyone thinks that I am crazy,
take a look into my eyes and tell me,
what do you see? A lost boy that has no life,
a man who feels so alone that he just wants to,
end he just wants to end his, he doesn't want
to live in this evil world anymore,

evil ideas and evil thoughts,
they run wild through his head,

and that no one ever cares about him,
just another pointless soul walking the,
earth and the realms of his insanity,
that fills his head with evil ideas and evil thoughts,
they look down at him with him dressed in his black,
outfit and his long black that makes him look so gothic,
and satanic you can look into his eyes and see nothing,
but pure hatred for what he has become,

everyone thinks that I am crazy,
maybe their right, maybe I am just
evil in its purist form like a line of cocaine,
going up society's nose,
and I am going to plaque the world for all of time,
just walking around and being pure evil.

Robert Rumery

Forever Mine

Chorus: Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,
No matter which way the wind blows,
I will be in your arms,
when your close to me,
Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,

as words move from your lips,
it seems to trapt me,
and mesmerize me as I can feel a tingling,
sensation running down my back,
then you whisper the loves you have for me,
and I can feel my heart stop,

as our hands move along each others body,
it feels so right in every way,
because in our world it is,
our hearts they beat as one,

Chorus: Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,
No matter which way the wind blows,
I will be in your arms,
when your close to me,
Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,

I thought that I would be alone forever,
in this lonely would that would reject me,
but I turned to a friend in a time of need,
and look what blossomed out of it,
a love that is so fresh and so true,
a love that is so right for two people like us,

there isn't a day that goes by,
that I don't think of you,
and wish that you were here with me,
when I'm alone and when I'm scared,
when you hold me next to you,
it feels so right,
and in our world it is,

Chorus: Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,
No matter which way the wind blows,
I will be in your arms,
when your close to me,
Your forever mine and will be forever mine,
as I will be forever yours,

Robert Rumery

I'm Dreaming Of You

As I sit here and look at the water,
I can see your face in the ripples of water,
as a stone skips across the lake,
and the cold wind blows I can feel you,
I can feel you with me,

your feeling comes over me,
it makes my spine tingle,
and it makes me shudder so violently,
but the feeling is of pleasure and not of pain,
as I sit here on the dock thinking about you,

Chorus: I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,

I can see your face as plain as day,
I can feel your hand inside of mine,
your hair brushes up against my face,
I try to open my eyes,
but I can't and when I do,
you're gone away from me,

I meet you such a long time ago,
just two kids trying to take on the world,
you were a cheerleader at a rival school,
and I was The Penquis outcast,
two people that meet by chance,

I just happened to know a few kids,
on our basketball team,
and they introduced me to you,
to the most beautiful girl I've ever seen,
the most beautiful girl in the whole world,

I couldn't take my eyes off of you,
I couldn't stop smiling when I was around you,
and I knew you had a thing for me right away,
two high schoolers in love,
they called it puppy love,
but I called it destiny,

Chorus: I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,

The way that we loved each other,
it was so nice and I wished it not to stop,

not for one single minute,
but we had obstacles in our way,
your self-destructive nature,
and my unwillingness to live,

I thought it was the beginning of the end,
but you told me you'd fight for me,
and that love that we both shared together,
you told it me that it would be alright,
and that all we needed was each other to survive,

You were my love, my desire,
you were my everything,
the only thing that I really wanted in life,
the person that I wanted to be with,
for the rest of my life,
but love and people change,

Chorus: I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,
I wished I could of made you mine,
I'm Dreaming Of You,

The months had turned to years,
and we are still together but not in love,
I see your loving smiling face from time to time,
but its the same old 'Hey, how you been' the same old,
' I love ya'

so nothing has really changed between us,
since that faithful day so long ago,
when we were teenagers in love,
teenagers wanting to take on the world,
me a silly little poet,
and you the most amazing cheerleader and athlete,
nothing has changed I'm Still Dreaming of you,
and your still egging me on with my songs,
and my poetry,

Robert Rumery

I'm Right Here

This rage that lives inside of me,
knowing what he had done to you,
your laying in a hospital bed,
all beaten up and abused,
by the one that you thought that loved one,
the one that should of kept you safe,

what did she do today,
forget to take out the trash and maybe,
she accidentally spilled milk on your floor,
so you floored her and taught her what pain was,
and that she shouldn't cross you and do whatever you say,
or she would get alot worse,

whatever you said was the law,
and the people who crossed you would end up,
on the floor in pain and in a pool of their own blood,
or even worse in the hospital,

the one that you loved made you feel pain,
at his own hands and you lay their and wonder,
if its worth it to go on with life,
being beaten by the one that you love,
landing in hospital bed, after hospital bed,
would it be so simple to end your own life right know,

In your heart you know I am close by,
in your heart you know that I'm going to save you,
from all the evils in your life,
from the evilness that lives inside of him,
all the pain that you feel, I feel it too,

We maybe miles apart,
but your still in my heart,
I can still see your face,
and I just hope that me caring about you,
can make you hold on to this life that you have,
this life that you need,

I'd walk the ends of the earth to find you,
I'd walk through the gates of hell to love you,
I'd find a billion men and I'd die too,
just to know that your alright and loved,

I'd fight for any of my women,
that were being abused by the people that loved,
bloody kisses on your cheek,
and you know that its not right,

I'd love to dot his eyes,
and just watch him fall,
watch him fall off the tallest towers,

and watch the fucker die,
but I know that I can't do that,

I maybe insane,
but I'm not a Murderer
I'm a madman,
but I'm not suicidal,

but all I want for you is to get better,
all I want for you is to get better,
and have it be like it was so long ago,
me you and your sister,
taking on the world together,

I give your my hand to squeeze,
you try to move but you can barely do it,
but you know its me because of the tenderness in my voice,
you squeeze my hand and you know everything is going to be alright,
because I'm here right beside of you,
I'm here for you,
forever and for always,

Robert Rumery

It Was Like Magic

You seemed to always be in trouble,
with society, the world we lived in,
and the law wasn't your best friend in the world,
you were trippin' on everything you could,
get your hands on,

but I knew that would change,
change when I meet you for the first time,
when I saw you walking by me on the streets,
and when you smiled at me,
and when I smiled back,

it was almost like magic,
like both of us were supposed to be walking,
that line,
walking the line together,
like lovers do,

we came from different side of the tracks,
you lived there and I lived here,
in a small town where nothing is ever the same,
and you lived in a big city,
where the rockers run wild,

Chorus: It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,

you asked me what my deal was,
was I the one that would love her,
was I the guy with a heart of gold,
but surely you do know,
the answers to those questions,

because I'm here with you,
holding your hand and trying,
to make you my own,

but you know when we meet,
we couldn't of been farther apart,
we were splitting at the seems,
because of your notorious self-destruction,
your unwillingness to live,

but lovers go through tough-times,
they go through hatred,
and they struggle with each other,
they struggle with the world they live in,

Chorus: It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,

have you ever heard someone tell,
you that you are so beautiful,
that the moon, the sky,
and the stars are jealous,
because of the way you light up the world,

and you must know,
how you light my world,
even when I'm in my darkest hours,
even when I think the world is against,
when it's so dark and so evil,

I always have the will to go on,
even in my darkest hour,
because I have your love and I have your passion,
and you confidence and you tender lovingness,

Chorus: It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,
It Was Like Magic,

We may argue and say things,
that we don't really mean,
but being with you it taught me,
what real love is,

it taught me how I really felt about you,
I don't want to live my life,
unless it has you in it,
I don't want to ever live without you,
I want to be with you forever,
I want to grow old with you,
I want to be the man that loves you forever,

what I'm trying to say,
is that I'll love you until the end of time,
until the time comes when I must depart,
I will be here with you forever,

Robert Rumery

I've Seen The Devil (And He Looks Like You)

I've watched people in this world,
do evil things to each other,
I've seen them do evil things to the ones,
that they love and cherish,
but I never understood why they did,
the things that they do,

war to me is so useless,
couldn't we just find other ways,
to settle our differences,
except for trying to talk it out,
we put guns in the arms of our young ones,

Chorus: I've Seen The Devil,
and He looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and he looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and He Looks like you,

but do we really know what its all about,
do we really know why we do the things we do,
like going to war with one another,
trying to beat the devil that lives inside all of us,

I see the devil every single day,
I see him on the late night news,
and I see him on the covers of our magazines,
he tells us it's going to be alright,
and that the wars going to be over,
only if we follow him,
and his un-holy union,

Chorus: I've Seen The Devil,
and He looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and he looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and He Looks like you,

but I don't see why we should,
follow you and your ways,
follow your path of destruction,
follow you and your destruction of the world,
why should we follow you,

you whisper stuff in our ears,
you say it's going to be alright,
the next war that we fight will be the war of wars,
and we'll all die a Nuclear Holocaust,
and than we'll start a new,

The world would be new,
like back then when Jesus ruled,
when the world was new,
and not filled with your evilness,
and not filled with you,

Chorus: I've Seen The Devil,
and He looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and he looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and He Looks like you,

ever since time began we've been fighting,
fighting a war that we could never win,
a war within ourselves,
but the people in the world,
they fill us up with religious beliefs,
which is wrong,
and which is right,

we could never win the war within ourselves,
were so fed up with this world,
that we'd kill each other,
and ourselves to find a way out,

because we'd always knew that,
the children of today and the children of now,
would soon become,
children of the grave,
children of the darkness,
they'd become Satan's little soldiers,

Chorus: I've Seen The Devil,
and He looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and he looks like you,
I've Seen The Devil,
and He Looks like you,

Robert Rumery

Jess

I can't stand to watch you cry,
I wish that I could wash away all of your tears,
take away all of your fears,
hold you tight and treat you right,
like the princess that you are,

hold my hand and never let go,
show this world how much I really love,
show the world how much I really care,
take the world on by myside,

make a future that no one can take away,
wake up with you in my arms,
watch you smile everyday,
make you laugh like you never did before,
one more step to heaven,
one more leap to sereinty,

Jess, I can't stop loving you,
you've worked your way into my heart,
you've worked your way into my soul,
I can close my eyes and I can see you,
I can close my eyes and still feel you,

I love my everyday life,
like I not used to,
because I know with everypassing day,
that you'll be there to guide me along,
and help me when I'm fallen and laugh when I'm a moron,

I take everyday with you,
like its my last,
I want to savor everyminute that I have with you,
its not alot but I still have it,

Jess, I can't stop loving you,
you've worked your way into my heart,
you've worked your way into my soul,
I can close my eyes and I can see you,
I can close my eyes and still feel you,

we've know each other for so very long,
as teenagers and as adults,
I seem to always come back for me,
your loving smile,
and your tender kiss,

I know I couldn't say this any other way,
not in a poem,
not in a letter,
it had to be an old fashioned love song,
at times I wished I could get down on one knee,

and ask you to be mine forever,
ask you to make me the happiest man ever,
but no not know,

I just want you to know how I feel about you,
how you make me so happy,
how you make me feel sane when I'm insane,
your my better half, you've always been that,

Jess, I can't stop loving you,
you've worked your way into my heart,
you've worked your way into my soul,
I can close my eyes and I can see you,
I can close my eyes and still feel you,

I don't know what I'd do without you,
I don't think that I could say good-bye,
I want to hold you in my arms,
I want to hold on you forever,
I want to spend eternity with you,

your my better half,
your the girl that keeps me sane,
and makes me go insane when you try to hurt yourself,
your the girl that gives me so much pleasure just by looking at me,
I want to be the man in your bed everynight,
I want to love you forever,

I can't fight the feelings I have you,
I can't hold the passion I have for you inside,
I can't hold them anymore,
I just want you to take my hand,
and be mine forever,
Because Jess, I'm so in love with you.

Jess, I can't stop loving you.....

Robert Rumery

My Angel (In The Darkness)

I know I haven't really been a good friend,
and I know I could of tried a little harder,
but you see I can't tell you,
how I feel about you,

the world would reject me if I did,
but I'm willing to try,
and go over the edge,
and show you how I Feel about you,

when we meet,
I was in such bad shape,
my life was crumbling all around me,
until I meet you,
my life was engulfed in darkness,
I was engulfed in my own self-pity,

I had an inescapable demon,
living inside of my head,
I had pain inside of heart,
I felting nothing but pain,
for months and months,
I thought it was inedible,

until I meet you that day,
not really suspecting anyone that would,
really care about me,
not suspecting that anyone that would even love me,
love me,
like the way that you do,

My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)

I couldn't believe what I was seeing,
nor what I was saying or what I was hearing,
the world had rejected you for what you are,
and what you've done,
but do they have the eyes that I do?
was it insane of me,

to see you as the angel,
that I know you are,
and not the demon that they all make you out to be,
was I insane to see the goodness inside of you,
and was it crazy that you took the darkness outside of me,

My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)

We spent each day,
and we spent each know confessing,
our sins to each other,
like it was alright,
and we knew we'd listen to each other,

but I must confess,
that's not all that I need,
that's not all that I want,
all that I need,
and all that I want is your love,
and your sweet choice,
the way that you would look at me and smile,
and tell me everything was going to be alright,
and just help me hold on a little bit longer,
hold on a little bit longer,

My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)
My Angel (In The Darkness)

she told me its okay,
to let your feelings go,
and tell people how you feel,
and if you love them,

but I couldn't really do that,
there was only one person that I've loved,
one person I could only love unconditionally
and love without temptation,

She's My Angel (In The Darkness) ,
The only Angel I'm going to love,
My Angel (In The Darkness) ,
the only Angel I trust
My Angel (In The Darkness)

as she was there for me,
I'm going to be there for her,
I'm know her Angel In the darkness,
I am know the one that will love her unconditionally
and without temptation,
I just wanted her to know,
how much I love her and cherish her,
I love you,
My Angel (In The Darkness)

Robert Rumery

My Little Is Gone (But Not Forgotten)

I walked the line of self-destruction,
and self-mutilation,
my insanity was legendary,
and my madness took over my body and soul,

and then you walked into my life,
with a bright little smile,
and so curious,
you loved every minute of your life,
your friends,
your school,
and your teachers,

but now I look at the empty chair,
and I wonder what could have been,
what kind of life that you could have had,
if you hadn't felt the way that you did,

Chorus: My Little Girl IS Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten

Me you and your mother,
spent each day living life to the fullest,
unaware of the demons in your pretty little skull,
unaware of the hate that you had for this world,
the hate that you had for yourself,

that was destroying your mind,
body spirit and soul,
and destroying the love that you had for us,
I couldn't imagine,
life without you with us here,
in this life,
But what are we to do,
It's so hard and so sad,

its like we can't move on,
Daddy has grown insane,
and Mommy's not far behind him,

Chorus: My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,

The pain will never go away,

and I'll never dry my tears,
that rolls down my cheeks when I think of you,
that void in my heart and soul will always be there,
where you used to rest,
the part of me that can never be repaired,

I'll always have you in my heart,
in my body,
and in my soul.,
Life Fades,
but that doesn't mean love has to,

Little Girl,
you'll always be in my heart,
my body and my soul,
but mostly you will always have a safe home,
in my heart,

I'd never think I'd feel like this,
strange to be like this,
strange to feel this alone,
but you know,
we will cross paths once more,
in the great beyond,

Chorus: My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,

She's always going to be our little girl,
she's always going to be our little angel,
she's always going to be our little Sarah,
she's always going to rest in our hearts,

Mommy and me will get by,
Well be looking for you up in heaven,
when we finally get there,
were going to be looking for you, Babygirl,
We'll be looking for our little angel..

Chorus: My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,
My Little Girl Is Gone,
But Not Forgotten,

Little girl,
you'll never be forgotten,

mommy and daddy still love you,
and will always love you,

Robert Rumery

Possessed by (The Devil Himself)

There's a killer on the street,
and I can hear him screaming,
inside of my head,
and I can see what he can see,
he's living behind of my eyes,
he's living in my soul,

the devil's got a hold of my soul,
and he's making me do his bidding,
killing all the others that don't believe,
Satan is my little love child,
and he's using me as his puppet,
and he's pulling the strings,

I've got no religion to hold me back,
and no ties to hold me down,
I'm my own being,
and my own entity,
I close my eyes and I see him,
his smile,
the voices in my head telling me what to do,

a helpless madman living in my head,
a darkened spirit and soul,
I can't see the light,
all I can see is darkness,
all I can see is what he wants me to see,

Chorus: Possessed by (The devil himself)
 Possessed By (The Devil Himself)
 Possessed by (The Devil Himself)

The walls are closing in on me,
and I can't lie,
I know my end is near,
that's why you're trying to save me,
and trying to spare my life,

Angels try to warn me against your reasoning,
but I don't want to listen,
he gives me power that I've never felt before,
he gives me a sense of belonging,
killing, and killing again,
that's all that I know,

Chorus: Possessed by (The Devil Himself)
 Possessed by (The Devil Himself)
 Possessed by (The Devil Himself)

you filled my head up with lies,
trying to get me to do your bidding,
and make me watch the water,

turn from clear to crimson red,

blood fills the skies,
as I hear the psycho scream,
the psycho that lives in my heard,
I heard myself scream in the night,

the night has become his,
and I still can see him smiling at me,
and gloating at what I've become,
and what I've done for him,
the master of a evilness smiling at him,
Lucifer, the unholy one,

you tempted me with your powers,
and your unholy ways,
you told me your name was Lucifer,
and that you'd give me unholy power,
but the fantasy was all mine,

a fantasy that painted the skies,
crimson red with your victim's blood,
a fantasy that went untainted,
I can see your power,
and I feel your evilness,
but I was tempted by your ways,

Chorus: Possessed by (The Devil Himself)
 Possessed by (The Devil Himself)
 Possessed by (The Devil Himself)

and know I slip back into darkness,
I try to break off from your ways,
but I know I have sealed my fate,
I sold my soul for rock and roll,
I sold my soul for you,
so know I shall walk in the shadows,

Robert Rumery

Save You

I want to be there when you fall,
I want to be there when you cry,
I want to be there when your at your lowest,
and you need someone to pick you up,
and make you feel like your on cloud 9 again,

I wan to be your man,
the person that loves and cherishes you,
for who you are you really are,
and not for what you look like,
but for whats inside of you,
for what's inside of your soul,
for what's inside of your heart,

I've seen the evils that are held,
inside of this world that we both live in,
in a world that is plagued with terrorism,
and is ruled with insanity and madness,
you need a super hero,
to save you when you need it,
you need a super hero to make you feel fine,

Chorus: I just want to save you,
have you fall into my arms,
I just want to save you,
and make you feel alright,
I just want to save you,
and have you fall into my arms,

All I ever wanted was to be your hero,
but I know that I can't,
because I don't have any fancy clothes,
and I don't have any super-powers,
but what I do have is this love for you in my heart,
this love in my heart that won't ever die,

I know your life has been anything but perfect,
you think you love a guy,
and he dumps you for a bimbo,
he meet in a bar and that doesn't make you feel so great,
you start questioning your ability to love,
but all I have to say is try your best,
and find someone else to love you,

But when I said that,
I didn't think it through and maybe,
the person you need to love you,
the person you want to love you is standing in front of you,
I've looked into your eyes and have seen heaven,
I've looked into your soul and seen a home I want to live in,

I just want to be the person,

that you can turn to for help,
a person you can turn to for guidance,
a person you can love without strings attached,
All I want to do is too..

Chorus: Save You,
And set you free from pain,
Save You,
And set you from the hate,
Save You,
And just take your pain away,

So many pains in this life,
for a girl like you to feel,
so many pains that you shouldn't have to deal with,
a boyfriend that never loved you,
a fiancé' that cheated on you in your time of need,
so what's going down in there heads,
do they really know the pain they put your through,
or are they just doing this so they can control you,

so many unanswered questions,
so many reasons for me to try and love you,
so many reasons for me to protect you from evil,
so many reasons to make you mine tonight,
al I ever wanted to be is your hero,
All I ever wanted to do is too...

Chorus: Save You,
From the evils in the world,
Save You,
from the pains of your past,
Save You,
from the world that has exiled you,

Robert Rumery

She Gave Me (Something To Believe In)

Chorus: She Gave Me (Something To Believe In)
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In)
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In)

I used to be so dark,
and so disconnected,
I couldn't live in this world,
I was so dark,
and I was so alone

'
the world it seemed to be going against me,
the world seemed to have its own agenda,
and I wasn't on its list,
I was on my own and so dark
and so lonely

'
Love was something that was alienated to me,
I was so paranoid,
and love to me was so unreal,
so alienated,

I thought I could feel the sensation I had feel once,
a long time ago when I was a young boy,
when the world was new to me,

My way of life wasn't a good way of life,
I lived so secluded in my home,
I lived in the brink of darkness and chaos,
my friends couldn't understand the reason

'
why I lived this way,
I'd lock myself in my room and stay secluded,
you'd only see me once or twice a day,
walking around the town,

Love, she wasn't a friend of mine,
she was my bittersweet enemy,
but than I meet this girl that I knew that would,

change my life,
was it for the worst,
or was it for the better? ,

Chorus: She gave me (something to believe in) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,

Why was this girl looking at me,
why did she want to talk to me,
and ask me questions about my life,
why was she so interested in the life that I've lived,
could she actually care about me?

or was I just in a dream that would never come true?
I was so skeptical and so cautious

I've been hurt before by the people I've loved,
but this girl seemed different from,
all of those other girls that I've been with,
she seemed pure and gentle,
she looked like an angel that had,
feel from the heavens above,
Did someone send me an angel,

when I was in dire need of someone to love,
maybe it was a miracle of god,
or maybe it was a big coincidence,
but I knew what she meant to me,
and what I meant to her,

Chorus: She gave me (something to believe in) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,

Maybe this is the love that I've been searching for,
maybe she's the one that's going to be with me for all times,
maybe we'll have children together,
and love them as much as we love each other,

only time will tell,
but I know now,
that I'll love her for time and time again,
I'll love her until my dieing day,
until I'm gone from this world,
and when I'm dead and gone,

I'll still love the girl that changed my life,
on that faithful day,

Chorus: She gave me (something to believe in) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,
She Gave Me (Something To Believe In) ,

Robert Rumery

Shes Taking (Another Drink)

She lives with herself in silence,
so many thoughts being thrown around in her mind,
so many people that she dosen't love,
so many people that turned her away,
her only friend lays by her bedside,

a bottle of whiskey half-full,
a temptation that tempts her everynight,
darkness that lives behind of her eyes,
a hatred that lives inside of her heart,

Chorus: Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)

living life from day to day,
wondering if this is what would become of her,
wondering if this was the life she was supposed to live,
wondering what would of been,

born into sin,
but gave into by greed,
she had an addiction that was fueled,
by her everyday living,

Chorus: Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)

she sits in the darkness,
feeling so lost and so wounded,
so dark and so scared,
so lonely and so unloved,

The goodness of the evil addiction,
that comes over of the feeling,
thats telling her to let go,
of the live that she had,
telling her to let go of all of her fears,

she wants to close her eyes,
and have it all flood away,
she wants to close her mind,
and have it all flood away,

Chorus: Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)

its her only friend,

its her only lover,
she takes another sip,
and know shes gone,

into a world that she only know,
a place of darkness she can only be,
into a void that she'll never leave,
another drink for another night,
another fight for control,

Chorus: Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)

She can never win,
and only lose,
the battle that rages within herself,
the battle that she rages within her bottle,
another shot,
another night,

another day,
and another night,
another time to fight for the life,
that she thought she had,
another time to fight for the life,
the one that she needs,

Chorus: Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)
Shes Taking (Another Drink)

Robert Rumery

So Many Ways To Say Sorry

I don't think god put us on this planet,
so that we both could hate each other,
and kick each other out of our lives,
I don't think that was his plan from the start,

I remember when I first meet you,
it was many moons ago,
althou it seems so long ago,
when I looked back at the time that we had,
two young kids with rock and roll hopes and dreams,
and making it big on this stage that we call life,

Chorus: There are so many ways to say sorry,
but I've used them all,
There are so many way to say sorry,
but you've heard them all,
There are so many ways to say sorry,

the days passed us by so quickly,
when I spent time with you,
I felt like I was in heaven,
and this heaven was on earth,
this heaven was when I was with you,

when I looked into your eyes,
I saw a fantasy land that I wanted to venture into,
I saw a love that I wanted to try and time,
you and your wild ways there turned me on,
and you made me smile,

Chorus: There are so many ways to say sorry,
but I've used them all,
There are so many way to say sorry,
but you've heard them all,
There are so many ways to say sorry,

I look back on those days we spent together,
and I shake my head,
and I wonder what could of been,
how we were so good for each other,
and how I wished I didn't say the things I did,

we are still two young kids,
with rock and roll hopes and dreams,
and wanting to make it big on this stage we call life,
but our paths drifted apart,
and now you walk your own path,
and I walk mine,

Chorus: There are so many ways to say sorry,
but I've used them all,
There are so many way to say sorry,

but you've heard them all,
There are so many ways to say sorry,

Robert Rumery

Stay Strong (My Little Angel)

I write about whatever comes to mind,
singing about the promised land,
and my failed relationships,
and how the world can be so cold,

I try to stay positive,
in the hard times that life gives us,
trying to stay on the right track,
and stray from the darker side of life,

Chorus: Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by your side,
Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by your side,
Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by your side,

I know what happened and why you are,
where you are,
how they had made you feel,
like you had done something wrong,
and how they mock you in their evil manner,

how you took a blade to your skin,
wishing you could escape everything,
and just make the pain go away,
how you wished you could make everything go away,

Chorus: Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by your side,
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I'm here with you by your side,
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I'm here with you by your side,

When I had heard the news,
I nearly broke down and cried,
knowing what kind of pain you were going through,
and how confused and alone you had felt,
like the world was against you again,

the one that you loved,
betrayed you in the darkest of night,
and made you feel so worthless,
made you feel like you couldn't go on,

The worlds cold and evil like that,
but I'm right here holding your hand,
hoping that you'll hold on with me,
hoping that the love I have for you will give you hope,

Chorus: Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by yourside,
Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by yourside,
Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by yourside,

You looked for love in the wrong places,
and found out the one that you loved,
wasn't the person he said he was,
he hurt you so badly,

it makes me so mad,
and makes me a person I don't want to be,
I want to be the man you can count on,
I want to be the man that gives you hope,
the man that you know that really loves you,
just stay strong for me,

I love you Cassandra,
and that love will only stop on the day I die,
and until than I'll keep on loving you,
I'll keep on holding you close to me as you cry,

Chorus: Stay Strong (My Little Angel)
I'm here with you by yourside,
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I'm here with you by yourside,

Robert Rumery

The Beat Of My Heart

Feel the beat of my heart,
Listen to the rhythm of my breathing,
Taste the song resting on my lips,
As we make our music together.
How can you say, this ain't magic?

Days turn to night,
and summer changes to fall,
it's been so long since I've seen your face,
it's been close to never,
since I last held you so tightly in my arms,

the last time that I loved you,
was when the snow covered my backyard,
and we were sipping hot cocoa,
and snuggling so close,

Feel the beat of my heart,
Listen to the rhythm of my breathing,
Taste the song resting on my lips,
As we make our music together.
How can you say, this ain't magic?

the love that I had for you imprisons my heart,
and you run wild through out my mind,
I'm just another inmate that's imprisoned in your heart,
just another young girl just looking for a little love,
the magic of your touch,
makes me shudder so tightly,
the taste of your lips makes me want you even more,

I listen to your voice so tentively,
and I can still hear it in my head,
I still remember the days that we spent together,
on that snowy evening cuddling so close,
what was it that drawn me to you,
was it your eyes? or was it your hair,
the way that you touched me,
or the way that you made me feel so safe and so loved,
the way you held me and let me listen to your heartbeat all day long,

Feel the beat of my heart,
Listen to the rhythm of my breathing,
Taste the song resting on my lips,
As we make our music together.
How can you say, this ain't magic

Robert Rumery

The Black House On The Corner

I passed by that house everyday,
wondering what lurked inside of it,
was their some kind of ancient evil inside,
or a normal family that we never saw,

a house of macarbe,
it was painted black like the devil's sin,
it was surrouned by devilish-looking,
figures that stood outside on the line,
was also surrounded by a black pointed fence,

rumors of the devil himself living there,
the devil in the flesh,
satan living on my street corner,
The black house on the corner,

can't you see it,
you must walk past it everyday to,
dosen't your mind wander,
when you walk by The black house,
don't you to know what lays inside of the house,
maybe a ton of dead bodies under the floor boards,
a madman butcherd up his family,

could that be true,
or are our young minds racing again,
with impure and insane thoughts about,
who or what lives in the black house on the corner,
the black house,
painted with the devil's sin,

We were told to stay away from the black house,
that so many evils lived inside of it,
but us being kids we didn't want to live,
we wanted to see what was inside of the black house on the corner,

But we are to afraid to go forward,
we are to afraid to step through the gate,
and walk up the beaten path to the door bell,
it looks so old and so evil,
The black house on the corner,
we shall never know what evilness,
or what macabre force resides within,

the black house on the corner,
whatever you do,
don't go into the black house on the corner,
stay away from,
the black house on the corner,
it holds so many evils,
the black house on the corner,

Robert Rumery

The Phantom Musician

In the night I can hear her practicing,
your songs note for note,
in the secluded room that she calls her studio,
in the darkness that is only brightend up,
by a red light above her studio that shows the world,
shes making your music better and better with everynote,
she belts out another one of your songs,
and than the deed is done,

She has made the music that you played so vividly,
she has made it her own,
her voice the one of an angel and of a devil,
the raspyness as she sings once again,
she shows the world how much she loved your music,

Chorus: The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she peroms again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,

you opened up a door for her,
your music made her relaise what she wanted do with her life,
your key opened up her heart,
opened her up to the world of art,
and the world of music,
they both go hand in hand,

we never see her in the day light,
she only comes out a night,
shes on the prowl with her fender guitar,
and a clarinet,

she sets up her spot,
and reads the nots off the page so easily,
her life is written in those notes of music,
her life is the notes of music that are written so well,
shes a perefectionist looking for the right sound,

Chorus: The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she peroms again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,

You can hear another one bites the dust,
in the background and you know its time for tonights performance,
she takes the stage once again for an encore,
that the crowd will love to see,
and she knows that it is her time to shine,

it is her time to be,
up on that stage is where she is,
that is her home,
that is her serenity,

up again late tonight,
that I can see,
and if you listen so closely into the night wind,
you can hear those melodies playing as you sleep,
the melodies of a goddess... the melodies of The Phantom Musician,

Chorus: The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,
The Phantom Musician,
she performs again tonight,

Robert Rumery

This Light

I saw into your mind,
into your world of hate and darkness,
I told you to take my hand,
and that everything would be alright,
but I see you laying in that bed,
And I see the hatred in your eyes,
the hatred that you have for your life,
the hatred that you have for yourself,

The darkness has taken over your soul,
its taken over your body,
and you don't understand why,
why you feel this way,
why it must be for all time,
And that it's never going to end,

You called me your savior,
But I don't feel like I'm saving you anymore,
But I'm more of a torment,
A Desire that you can't have,
I was supposed to be your light in The Darkness,
but I feel like I've abandoned you somehow,

But theirs a light inside of us both,
A Light that shines in our hours of darkness,
A Light that wants to shine inside of you,

Can't you feel me by your side,
I'm holding your hand,
urging you to go on with your life,
Urging you just to press on just a little bit longer,

So many words that should have been said,
so many unsaid things,
that I should of said to you,
Even thou I'm not there physically,
You know that I'm thinking of you,
and you that I love you,

Chorus: You know,
There is a little light inside of my soul,
that Burns for you,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,

I know the pain inside of you is tearing you apart,
and it's tearing me too,
Knowing how alone That You Feel,
How this evil addiction you have is hurting you,
And your family,

It's So Hard to believe in Salvation,
When you're stuck in the darkness,
It's so Hard to Feel Loved,
When You Feel So Unloved and Hated,

You know,
There is a little light inside of my soul,
that Burns for you,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,

I've seen the pain that you're going through,
first hand,
a long time ago my Life wasn't my best friend,
and the world was My Bitter-enemy,
I felt so displaced, out of place,
I thought I Couldn't live life normally,

I went through hell,
with my evil addiction,
metal against my flesh,
just wanting to bleed,
At moments Just Wanting To Die,

But I stayed strong,
And had a small hope inside of me,
That someday that It Would Be Okay,
that Someday that I'll Be Okay,

chorus: You know,
There is a little light inside of my soul,
that Burns for you,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,
There's A Little Light Inside Of My Soul,
That Burns For You,

Know I sit beside of your bed,
and I look into your eyes,
And I see myself in you,
I see The Pain I went through,
And I Don't Want That For You,

So that's why I'm here with you,
Telling you that Everything's Going To Be Okay,
Because Someday You'll Be Free,
Because I See That Little Light Inside Of Your Soul,
And It Burns So Bright,

Chorus: Repeats..

Robert Rumery

To Be Alive

screaming into the night,
like a raven in the night,
as I crawl up from my watery grave,
the cold air hits my dead skin,
the world is a very different place,

the streets are now filled with,
rebels freedom and fright,
life's no fun when your dead,
life's no fun when you can't breathe,
but I crawl up from my watery grave,

take another deep breathe,
as I breathe new life,
once a man,
now I'm immortal,

I've watched my life flash by my eyes,
in an instant,
but know I can't remember who I am,
I can't remember why I died,
I look down at my hands and they're as calm as they can be,

what does it mean to be alive?
what does it mean to be living?

why was I brought back from hell?
was it to make sure the worlds a better place?

the gangsters run these streets,
that used to be so safe,
our kids roam the streets,
because they don't feel loved nor accepted,
I remember a time when everything was alright,

I can hear there screams,
like a raven screaming in the night,
I've watched the world destroy itself,
like I have seen a thousand times before,

the world is a very different place,
I don't know where I am,
I don't know why I'm here,
is it to do some right,
and save the world from itself,

You need to be my eyes,
and guide me,
teach me right from wrong again,
what does it mean to be alive,
what does it mean to die?
what does it mean to be Alive?

Robert Rumery

When Love Fades

You can see them playing,
you can hear their voices inside of your head,
you feel there breathe on your so skin,
so cold and so clammy,
you close your eyes and you can see what happened,
that they had sealed there fat in a dimly lit-room,

You want to pretend like it never happened,
you huddle in the corner and curl into a small little ball,
you closed your eyes tightly with your legs into your chest,
rocking back and forth hard,
wishing that it wasn't true,
wanting to go back to a happier place,
inside of your mind,
inside of your soul,

You just wanted to walk away from,
the love that you had in your life,
the passion that was inside of you,
all you can remember is you screaming at them,
you telling them that you hated them,
but that's not how you truly felt,
tears pour out of your eyes and they stream down your cheeks,
the sorrow inside of your heart,
the pain and the hatred for what happened and what was supposed to be,
you can't turn back the clock to stop this deed,

Chorus: This is what happens when love fades,
This is what happens when love fades.
This is what happens when love fades,

Can't you remember all the happier times,
that you all had it wasn't always like this,
the love all three off you shared it was uncanny,
so loving and so passionate,

I've never seen anything like it,
the love that you had all shared,
for that brief period of time,
but know it was all gone and there was only you,
can't you see what you're putting her through?

This is what happens when love fades
this is what happens when love fades
this is what happens when love fades

know it is time,
to go down to the church,
open your eyes and your hearts,
its time to say your final good-byes,
its time to let them leave,

tears pour out of your eyes,
I comfort you with a brief kiss on the lips,
I'm here for you,
for now and for the end of time,
I love you,

Robert Rumery

Where Are You now?

Its been months since we talked,
I wonderd about you and how you've been,
is your new boyfriend treating you right,
and hows the new little one,
is he as awesome as his mother is,
or is he just another rebel in the making,

it seemed like a life time ago,
since we both stopped loving each other,
back in the day,
we were inseperable no one could tear us apart,
we were such great friends,
and we could of taken on the world together,

Chorus:

So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,

I think about you every once and a while,
wonder what we could of been,
the nearly perfect life we could of had,
the little girl we could have brought into this world,
we could of lived in that little white house on the corner,
but all that is just foolish dreams inside of our teenaged minds,
in the pit of my stomach I knew we wouldn't work,

I hear our song on the radio,
from time to time,
Jefferson Starship telling us that nothing would stop us now,
telling us that we'd be together forever,
like the idiot I was I beleived them,

Chorus:

So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,

I was always the rock and roll rebel,
and you were always my hard rocked princess,
we'd walk down the streets hand and hand,
and we'd be kissing in every public place we could find,
just two teenagers in love and not ready for the world,

I still got pictures of you hanging on my wall,

I run my fingers over them every once and a while,
so I can feel you with me once again,
I wished it didn't end like the way it did,
but it did,
it ended too early,
and our love,
that still goes on... in my soul,
I still love you and I know you still love me,
but Where Are You now?

Chorus:

So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,
So where are you now,
still in love with him,

Robert Rumery