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Always

When you need a shoulder to cry on,
Remember that I have a warm embrace,
Ready to offer comfort.

When you think I'm being too tough,
Remember that which does not kill you
Will only make you stronger.

When you need a friend to listen,
Remember that I am here for you,
Always.

When you doubt me,
Remember that I once knelt at your feet,
Washing them in service to you.

When you lose faith in yourself,
Remember that I never did,
Nor ever will.

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Arise

A love has faded,
A fire has burned black.
A feeling so passionate,
The heart-ache of disgusting love is what I now lack.

I don't plan on keeping my deepest desire,
Of being so in love with your eyes.
One day, as my life sinks far below death & despair,
The light of the sun & sound of children's laughter will all arise.

Tears flow freely creating an ocean of pain,
It burns; the scolding pain engraved so deeply into my soul.
The chance that I had with my once upon a time Prince Charming,
Is one that I discarded and shall never have the chance to re-console.

I'm so sorry, my angel, my dove, my one true love,
You've made a silvery blanket make home in my eyes.
As much as I smile weakly, give you those three, untrue words,
I shall never get the strength, to once again, arise.

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Can You See It In My Eyes?

You don't know how I'm feeling.
I have yet to vocalize
Desire deep inside me.
Can you see it in my eyes?

I tremble when I'm near you
Heat travels up my arms
and I want you with an urgency
That I just can't describe.

Dare I reach out to touch you?
Do you think you would realize
How much I want and need you?
Can you see it in my eyes?

I long to say, 'I love you, '
But am scared of your reply.
Terrified like a child
I've become paralyzed.

The camouflaged emotions
Lead to pain and silent cries.
And yet I just can't tell you.
Don't you see it in my eyes?

Confessing through this poem
My dilemma summarized.
The feeling's quite cathartic,
But will lead to my demise.

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Cries Of Our Hearts

There is a great deal of depression that has overtaken my soul,
It floods deep within, into every inch that makes me whole.
I wonder and worry of thought throughout the day,
What is to come, to my dismay.
As a flood of tears pour out of me in all my expressions,
more and more comes, more and more depression.

I assure myself everything is ok!
But who am I fooling?
Then I burst into a spirit of rage.
I have questions, and there are answers.
But I'm afraid and much too weak,
When I try to explain,
I hear I'm hearing wrong and need to be meek.
But this is how I feel, there's no wrong or right,
But as I battle with myself, I always lose the fight.

I feel intimidated sometimes by others,
But as I said 'This is how I feel'
The pain in me is very real.
I lose control, my thoughts go wild,
and here I am only a child.
If only you knew what I thought,
If only you knew what I fought.
I need my thoughts held captive.

Oh God, assure me I'm thinking normal
and you'll help me think positive.
I'm hurting, I need you!
Please don't give up on me!
One day I will always make you smile!

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Darkness

I'm swimming all alone in a pool of darkness
and I feel like darkness is slowly pulling me under
I yell for help but no one is there to hear it
I begin to see the water at eye level
and I kick and flail
fighting to stay above the darkness
But the darkness won't let go of its hold on me
and I slowly begin to give in
to the feeling that lies below the water line
the waters starts to fill my lungs
the lungs that once held so much life
yet now they allow the murky water to replace that
I know that this path doesn't lead to happiness
But why doesn't someone grab my hand
pull me from darkness's grasp?
because no one knows I stand at the boundary
the boundary between light and dark
so I give in to the thing that holds me
All of the strength and all of the courage
that I once held in my heart
can't save me from the water
So I slowly slip below the world of conscientiousness
undetected by the occupants of that world
I don't want to fight anymore
I've given into darkness

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Dead Uncle John 2.

I feel you in the morning
When at first I awake
Your thought is with me
With each decision I make

You'd been around forever
Since the first breath I took
Now I have to go on alone
But for love, I need not look

Cause by what you bestowed
In our short time together
Will last in my heart
Forever and ever

Although you've left
And now walk above
I'm never alone
I'm wrapped in your love

Enjoy now your long waited reward
Feel peace that your love continues on
What was taught to me, will be taught to mine
Cause you live on in me even after you've gone

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Dead Uncle John 3.

Somewhere in my dreams tonight
I'll see you standing there
You look at me with a smile
'Life isn't always fair'

You say you were chosen for his garden
His precious hand picked bouquet
'God really needed me,
That's why I couldn't stay'

It's said to be that angels
Are sent from above
I've always had my angel
My uncle John - whose heart was always filled with love

Wherever the ocean meets the sky
There will be memories of you and I
When I look up at that sky so blue
All I see are visions of you
'While there's a heart in me, you'll be a part of me.'

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Dreamer

Sitting here and thinking how
My life much richer is now
For all the ones I've chanced upon
And the tapestry that was spun

There was a time when no one came
No friends to play in childhood game
No one to shelter from the rain
Nor the adolescent pain

Yet in my inner heart I knew
Secrets rare and secrets true
Were wishes horses, all would ride
Other dreamers by my side

Then one day I dropped my guard
I never did something so hard
In my heart I let others in
And found I had a friend

By one's and two's they gathered near
Soothing all my darkest fears
A tapestry we began to weave
And I once more believe

For youth need never fade away
As long as I can dream and play
On wistful horses I will ride
With other dreamers at my side

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End Myself

In the night I walk a lonesome path
One that has led me beyond a mortal death
With a swift movement of my body I cast my charm
With this I can do deadly harm
I bring myself to life with a thick and rich crimson flood
Your life essence will bring warmth to my cold blood
In the hours of the sun I lay in my isolation
My heart is overflowing with desolation
Here I lay asleep, dreaming of the beauty of the day
In my crypt wishing for death, will I end myself, I just may

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Fatherless 1 Year Old Girl.

I miss you so much, I don't know what to say,
I wish you were here with me on this day.
All my love for you, I wish I could tell,
But I can't express it so I'm living this hell.

It was your decision, but the wrong one to make,
At night I wonder why and lie there awake.
But I still have no answer to this question I ask,
People tell me there isn't one - just put it in the past.

I still can't do this - you meant too much to me,
Because you took half my heart I hope this you see.
You shouldn't have done it and left me this way,
I still don't know why to this very day.

So I hope you're looking down on me while I'm still here,
Because I just can't wait another day to see you up there.

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For My Dead Dad...

Dad...so many images come to mind
whenever I speak your name;
It seems without you in my life
things have never been the same.

What happened to those lazy days
when I was just a child;
When my life was consumed in you
in your love, and in your smile.

What happened to all those times
when I always looked to you;
No matter what happened in my life
you could make my gray skies blue.

Dad, some days I hear your voice
and turn to see your face;
Yet in my turning...it seems
the sound has been erased.

Dad, who will I turn to for answers
when life does not make sense;
Who will be there to hold me close
when the pieces just don't fit.

Oh, Dad, if I could turn back time
and once more hear your voice;
I'd tell you that out of all the dads
you would still be my choice.

Please always know I love you
and no one can take your place;
Years may come and go
but your memory will never be erased.

Today, Jesus, as You are listening
in your home above;
Would you go and find my dad
and give him all my love.

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He Was

He was so smart
He was so gifted
He's so special
There was no one like him and there never will be.

Wasn't he happy
Wasn't he bright
Wasn't he kind
There was no one he didn't like and no one that didn't like him.

He was so rich
He was so high
He was so powerful
He could do anything he wanted unlike most other people.

Didn't he look good
Didn't he look soft
Didn't he look peaceful
This was all that he was but dead like today.

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I Wish He Knew

I have feelings of love for the guy I see.
Does he love me too, what does he think of me?

I wish I could tell him he makes me whole, but I'm afraid to say
what's deep in my soul.

I don't want to lose him, for I would be alone,
and some days I just can't wait to hear his voice on the phone.

He does certain things to make me feel loved,
some days he wants to be alone and my heart is shoved.

I want to feel as though I am his safeguard,
the one he can come to when things get hard.

I will always be there to help him along,
and before we met I wasn't as strong.

I wish I could tell him what I feel inside,
but I'm afraid, of what he'll say on the outside.

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I'M Sorry

I'm sorry for your hurt,
I'm sorry for your grief.
I'm sorry that your pain,
Was no one else's belief.

I'm sorry I didn't help,
I'm sorry I didn't listen.
I'm sorry I didn't see your tears,
Whenever they did glisten.

I'm sorry I never hugged you tight,
I'm sorry I never held you close.
I'm sorry that to everyone else,
You were nothing but a faded ghost.

I'm sorry I couldn't heal your wounds,
I'm sorry I couldn't absorb your anguish.
I'm sorry I couldn't recognize your broken smile,
For all the times i misread your hidden language.

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Let There Be Light

winter hangs an ashen veil
across the failing light
streams across the rolling hills
glazing earth with night

snow moon pale at sundown
ascends a mottled sky
opens gates of darkness
where all the shadows lie

something this night command
dark winds from the sea
that howl in hopeless desperation,
souls in agony

slipping into dreamless sleep
the race of humankind
oblivious to the evil that blows
on darkest winds to blind

snow to flame the blaze consumes
all creatures in its path
for shadows are the fires that burn
born of greed and wrath

but somewhere in the sacred wood
a mystic eye appears
shedding drops of mercy
in the shape of compassionate tears

rising from the ashes
dawn seals the portal to night
and stills the winds with imagined words
let there be light...

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My Garden

I have a garden,
It grows only discord and hate.
I feed my heart,
From its bitter plate...

The plants need no water,
No tending,
No care.
They grow on my happy little childish soul,
And consume everything that seems fare...

They all grow very strong,
They spread very fast.
They are filling my being,
My future,
My past...

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My Love

It's amazing how I feel when I'm around you,
How my heart pounds when you come into a room.
I look at you and think 'My God! How perfect! '
And everything I am bursts into bloom.
I feel as though you must, you must be mine,
Not as a possession but a goal,
Something almost unimaginable:
The free devotion of another soul.
As though I were about to enter heaven
Or just within the hour condemned to die,
My mind with one fierce thought keeps running over,
With you, and only you, the reason why.
Your eyes won't let my thoughts go back to sleep.
Your words draw me across 2000 miles.
I don't know you at all, and yet I know
You better than my friends of many years.
The days I spent with you are like a tape
I play, rewind, play, rewind, and play.
Whenever I remember something new,
I feel as though you touched me on the cheek.
I miss you as the grass awaits the wind,
Or as the morning sky awaits the sun.
Although I look for you in every doorway,
I find only the darkness in my heart when you're not there.

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No, She Won'T Cry

You see the pain that lies in her eyes,
But, atlast, her eyes are dry,
She won't cry.
No, she won't cry.

You see the anger that burns from her gaze,
The madness that sets her eyes at blaze,
She won't cry.
No, she won't cry.

You see the fear that closes her eyes,
The smile she wears is but a disguise,
She won't cry.
No, she won't cry.

You see the hope that is finally dead,
She cannot trust for her heart has bled,
She won't cry.
No, she won't cry.

You see the love that lies within,
But she shall never love again,
She won't cry.
No, she won't cry.

You see death's hand that has glazed her eyes,
No one saw her die inside,
They won't cry.
No, they won't cry.

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Not Perfect

There are many ways to describe a friend
There are many wise sayings that help us understand

But the truth beyond it all
Is that a friend
Is so much more
Its more than a caring touch
its more than a friendly smile

When you have one true friend
Its more than your share, they say
Many of us have friends who are
Less than perfect, we might as well say

Sometimes they manage to stab us in the back
Sometimes they fail to comfort us in time of need
Sometimes they fail to heal our wounds when we bleed

We all need friends as they need us
We aren't perfect neither are they
But no matter how imperfect
True friends will remain true friends
..... Forever

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Silver

I'm made of silver, I'm not made of gold
Making up lies out of what I've been told
I can't be the first, I can't be the last
I fear of the future and not of the past.

Tell me the lesson, I'll get to the learning
I'll start the fire, then do the burning.
I'm a good girl, I promise not to bite
But hurry up because I can already see the light.

So get to the point, cause I'm not living long
give me the lyrics, I don't need the song.
I'm packing my bags, you can't beg me to stay
Cause I've made up my mind and I'm living this way.

I'm already gone, so get off my back
Cause when I've got reasons, I plan to attack.
You know that I'm stubborn, so don't mess with me
I'm like a caged lion, waiting to be free.

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Someone Please..

Someone help me from this panicked life.

Someone please, please hear my calls of desperation & pain.

Someone come & pull me from the pit of this dark, engraved hole.

Someone remember the cuts on my arms & search for my lonely soul.

Someone save me from this invisible place people call life.

Someone take me away & keep me in the warmth of your heart.

Someone please tell me that I'm not the only one that's lost & still not found.

Someone take my hand & please don't let me walk this icy path alone.

Someone play that magical tune, the same array of notes that has helped so many other souls.

Someone call out my name in the dark of the trees, search endlessly for my bruised & battered spirit.

Someone please catch my tears of blood, generated from my unconditional feeling of hurt.

Someone lift my chin up high & please tell me the true meaning of life & what it's all worth.

Someone please grab the serrated blade from my wrist before I bleed out to the core of humanity.

Someone please dump those special pills I hide under my bed before I smile wickedly at the last feeling of dizziness.

Someone please cut the rope that hangs from my closet or else I'll end up flying away & never return.

Someone please pull the plug from the drain because I'll help myself to the sea & become queen of the waters.

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Something Is Wrong

Something must be wrong with me
with all this hurt inside,
always bursting with anger,
and never any pride.

Something must be wrong with me
if all I do is cry,
I can't stop this pain
all I want to do is die.

Something must be wrong with me
if my emotions run wild,
all this confusion does
is make me feel like a lost child.

Something must be wrong with me
with all these terrible things,
always there and never gone
depression is what it brings.

Something must be wrong with me
if I can't stop these thoughts,
all this pain does
is turn my stomach in knots.

Something is truly wrong with me
when I think there's only one way out,
'Let this pain end, '
is all my heart will shout.

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Unknown

I hear your voice echoing down the bare walls.
I can tell that you're near, with a smile on your face.
I peek around the corner shyly at you and stare.
Just awaiting for that day I receive your embrace.

I press back against the wall as flatly as I can & close my eyes tight.
I'm nervous now, I can hear your voice & feel your presence getting closer yet.
I sigh a deep sigh, as I come back to reality & open my eyes.
You're only a couple steps away, I must keep calm & I must not fret.

I can smell your bitter sweet cologne, the kind that makes me shiver with glee.
I smile to myself and start to fall into a fantasy-like dream.
I can't now, you're just barely around the corner.
So close I can almost hear you breathe.

You walk around the corner, with your friends & still deep in conversation.
Wait.. who's that you have your arm around and who's head is on your shoulder?

Wow.. she's the fourth one this week, and I'm not even one of them.
I see her reach up and give you a kiss, I think I've just been hit with a steel
boulder.

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Warped And Twisted

Harsh words and violent blows
Hidden secrets nobody knows
Eyes are open, hands are fisted
Deep inside I'm warped and twisted
So many tricks and so many lies
Too many whens and too many whys
Nobody's special, nobody's gifted
I'm just me, warped and twisted
Sleeping awake and choking on a dream
Listening loudly to a silent scream
Call my mind, the number's unlisted
Lost in someone so warped and twisted
On my knees, alive but dead
Look at the invisible blood I've bled
I'm not gone, but my mind has drifted
Just don't expect much, I'm warped and twisted
Burnt out, wasted, empty, and hollow
Today's just yesterday's tomorrow
The sun died out, the ashes sifted
I'm still here, warped and twisted

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What You Mean To Me

You turned my darkness into light,
You made everything in my world right.
You picked me up when i felt down,
You turned my whole entire life around.
If I never had you,
What, and where would I be?
A blessing is what you are to me...

When I need you the most,
You are always by my side, right there.
When I thought I couldnt make it through another day,
You chased all my bad thoughts and doubts away.
If I never had you,
What, and where would I be?
An angel is what you are to me...

The world is full of many people,
That is onlt true,
You fill my heart with only love.
You're a God-Sent gift from up above.
if I never had you,
What, and where would I be?
A treasure is what you are to me...

Lost and alone I will never be,
Only because you are here with me.
There are no more reasons to be sad,
Because you have taken away all the bad.
If I never had you,
What, and where would I be?
A best friend is what you are to me.

(TO ALL MY READERS/If I had a best friend (wich I don't) This is what I would say to him/her.)

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