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A Mother Blinded By Love

I'm a mother of a little girl who's an angel from above
Her father was an aggressive man who I've always loved
He hurt me over the 10 years being together
But still I held on trying to make things better
Well one day I was fed up with the fights and the tears
I chose to walk away with another man after 10 years
I couldn't believe that I was finally about to close that door
To open another just to satisfy my needs a little more
And yes indeed I was a little more happy at last
My husband was now a part of my past
But as time went by things turn out bad
The love I have now is nothing compare to the love I had
All these time I've spent thinking of my needs in this world
When I had it all this time and that was my little girl
When I walked away I didn't see that I was walking away from her
And now I hardly see her and I know that she's hurt for sure
How could I be so blind and selfish to not see what I've done
Now i'm living with this new man and we have a son
But everyday I can't go one without a tear falling from my eyes
Each tears falls makes me realize
That I've chosen a path that had ruined my life
When I was just fine being a mother more other than a wife
What am I to do now that I've fallen into this trap
That I thought was a blessing that God had placed upon my lap
I was blinded by love and made a terrible choice
Those days were suppose to be behind me how girls go looking for boys
But just because I wanted more than what I already had
I have to deal with my daughter who's now so very sad
That she no longer has her mommy to tuck her in to bed
No mommy around to sing to her as she rest her little head
I'm a terrible mother who's chosen her heart over her world
When her heart is suppose to be her own baby girl.

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Do I Exist?

I'm expressing how I feel
As my eyes fill with tears.
Why can't you look at me
I'm standing right here.
Can you hear me crying
All I need is your touch.
Please hold me as I'm hurting
I'm not asking for much.
My heart is aching
Just longing for love.
There's no other person
That I can think of.
To love me like you should
To show me they care.
Please say something to me
To show that you know that I'm there.
I'm crying cause I'm hurt
Because it's your love that I miss.
But now you look right pass me
As if I don't exist.
I'm helpless, I'm lost
I don't know what to do.
Who am I in this world
If I'm no one to you.

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I'M Sorry But It's Just Me

I've done all that you've asked of me
And still you deny.
That I've done something for you
Saying that I lied.
You've put me down
You say that I'm worthless to you.
But when you needed something
I was the first you'd call and I always came thru.
You say I'm a failure
That I'll never make it in life.
But yet I finished school, went to college
Became a good mother and a wife.
Still you look at me and treat me
As if I'm the scum in this world.
You're suppose to love me regardless
I'm your little girl.
Don't hate me for something
I couldn't control in my past.
Me being raped as a child
Was not something I asked.
I was only a child
And I understand the shame.
But I didn't bring it into our family
I'm not the one to blame.
I'm sorry if you feel
That you don't want me as yours.
Just know that in my heart
I still love you even more.
As much as you say
That I'm a disgrace to our family.
Mom I'm sorry there's nothing more
Than your daughter and that's me.

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To The One Who Stole My Heart And Betrayed Me

I came to you with a wounded heart
You've taken it as it was torn apart
You healed it and cared for this wounded girl
Who's been tortured tormented in this cruel world
Your kind words healed my broken soul
Your smile warmed my heart that was once so cold
Today i'm so heartbroken to say
That I found myself in a pit of replay
You've taken my heart and tore it in two
Left me to suffer alone in this world too
You came back but brought more pain to me
And now i'm to numb and to blind to see
I no longer know the meaning of our love
There's nothing more than pain I can think of
I can't seem to find my place
My heart and mind is begging to be erased
Erase these memories take away my pain
Or take my life and play with it and your ego you'll gain
For taking a woman that was wounded and drained
From this cruel cruel world I got nothing but pain

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Why Didn'T You Wait A While!

A young man gets ready to go cruising for da night, Never thought he'd meet a girl and fall in love at first sight. Well their eyes finally met and they both exchanged smiles, Then they started exchanging words that last for quite a while. His heart began to race as she blushed each time he spoke, As the night came to an end he got a napkin and he wrote. He put his name and number and then puts it in her hand, And whispered in her ear sayin call me when you can. She began to frown saying I dont think I should, I wont be able to call or date anyone if I could. My parents are really strict and wont approve of any guy, Wants me to be untouchable until the day I die. He stood there in shock and didnt know what to say, She was amazed cause he wanted to date her anyway. So she took the risk and called him knowing the rules, She would try to find a way to go and see him but during school. Well they soon fell in love as they went from date to date, Spending time together at times she'd even sneak out late. They felt they were a perfect match made from above, Everything was perfect. They were so in love. Well one night when she snuck out really, She didnt realize when she returns she'll soon face her fate. There were her parents sitting on her bed, Who looked at her with anger and finally said. Who was that young man you are never to see him again, She cried as she replied hes no one just a friend. They started yelling at her saying baby you had sin, You're only 16 you still dont know a thing. She continued to cry she jus couldnt fight her tears, And what they said next was that off her worst fear. Tomorrow you will pack your things we're sending you away, We will not allow you to see this boy another day, So they left her room back out the window she snuck'd, She went to her boyfriends house sayin baby we need to talk. So they went for a stroll up da mountain by his house, As they walked they started crying as she started pourin out. Then dey stopped at this cliff where they saw a beautiful view, Then he pointed to a tree and said I carved a message on there for you. So she walked and saw the message sayin i'll die without you in my life. Then she turned and realized he was no where in sight. She ran towards the cliff, there at the bottom he lays dead, She cried and she screamed thru the night as she repeatedly sed. Why did you do this to me, why couldnt you just wait a while. My parents wont send me away because im carrying your child.

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You'Re My Inspiration!

I've been told so many time that I won't make it in life.
Say I'm a worthless mother and especially a wife.
At times I believed because my heart so cold.
Always had a weakness for everything I was told.
I never sat back, relax and just thinks things through,
Instead everyday I push to prove what they're sayin isn't true.
My life has been a struggle I've always thought that I had passed,
All da memories in life and never tried to make it last.
That's y I'm forgetable cause I'm afraid of holdin on,
Don't wanna look bacc and see if I did anything wrong.
At times I'd awake and thank God for my every breath,
But walk around for the rest wishing nothing more den death.
It's funny how I know how to deal with open wounds and broken bones,
But can't deal with broken hearts and especially my own.
I've tried to look for inspiration or a Guardian angels in the light,
I believe that they're there but far away from my sight.
Been through it all, thought I knew everything bout living,
Thought life was nothing more but giving and receiving.
It's more than that but I'm afraid to step ahead cause I'll fall,
But in order to gain in life I would have to risk it all.
So have faith in me believe that Imma make my way,
To da top of da world just to show that everyday,
I've learned a lesson in life after all I've been through,
Cause I found an inspiration a guardian Angel and that is you.

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