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I am a 26 and have two beautiful children that are my world. When I'm not writing poetry My favorite thing to do is play baseball, the love of my life! ! ! I love to hang out with my kids because in my crazy, hectic life they are the one thing that puts a balance on everything. About four years ago i was diagnosed with a disease of the nerves but i continue to stay strong and live my life! ! I hope that my poetry would be able to have an affect on some people the way other poets had an affect on me. I have been through many things in my short 26 years of life. I hope that my poetry can reach someone and let them know they are not alone and give them the strength to carry on with there dreams and goals in life. JUST FOLLOW YOUR HEART! ! !

A Demon's Touch

There was one point in my life
when I was doing nothing but bad
the worst thing that came out of it
were the experiences that I had.
The first night when it happened
I was laying in my bed
my door had creaked open,
startled, I lifted my head.
Only to find an image
covering my bedroom wall
I didn't know what to do
except, stay still and not move at all.
I somehow fell back asleep
then waking to the morning light
thinking that it was just a dream
of what I saw last night.
after, using the restroom
and as I was laying back on my bed
a wind had grazed right by me
hitting me in the face and head.
Just before I knew it
A force had pinned me down
I couldn't move a muscle
or make any kind of sound.
I struggled to shout or scream
but no words were coming out
moving was impossible
because all the pressure I had felt.
I was so scared to open my eyes
because I didn't want to see
whatever, was on top of me
a demon possibly.
In my head I kept screaming for god
to take this all away
I tried to stay as calm as I can
and continue to pray.
Than the pressure somehow lifted
and I opened my eyes to see
a light beam coming through my window

and my body and voice were free.

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A Fight For Survival

In a world full of kaos
where do you find your peace
all this violence around me
never seems to cease.
Many people that I know
will never live to see 25
we live a war every single day
just trying to maintain and survive.
If there is such thing as hell
it's right here where I live
people, will rob you in broad daylight
taking everything you have to give.
Fear is what they prey on
this emotion you must hide
never show this weakness
keep it buried deep inside.
If I ever get that chance
to pack and move away
I wouldn't think twice about it
this place, I will not stay.

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A Friendship Gone

No more chances I shall give you
my trust you through away
you will not receive any sympathy
for your actions, you must pay.
why, would you cross that boundary
you took advantage of me
I thought you were my friend
but a lie you turned out to be.
you bent these rules of friendship
and snapped it into two
our friendship is now history,
completely gone and through.
I learned a valuable lesson
on the people I can trust
it doesn't matter who they are
but distance is a must.
betrayal, is something awful
it can destroy who people are
now, another friend has come and gone
because the lies they took to far.

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A Great Man

I know your pain goes deep
more than people can understand
remember, it's just another test
nothing you can't with stand.
your faith and strength
are one of a kind
keeping your head up
through those toughest of times.
always digging deeper
to show the fight in you
never giving up
doing the best that you can do.
If I think of a perfect dad
you stand out in the crowd
shining like a bright light
so happy and so proud.
It's an honor to be your son
and to say that your my dad
my life is full of smiles
because your love is what I had.
now, my kids get to see
what a special man you are
the world's greatest grandpa
a title you deserve by far.

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A Life Tainted

A life tainted,
by all that is bad
never had anyone,
myself was all I had.
a life tainted,
by images that you see
things that are tough to mention
that no one in life should ever see.
a life tainted,
by memories in my head
never, never going away
like a horrible book that you just read.
a life tainted,
by betrayal and lies
everyone trying to put that knife in your back
is what everyone tries.
a life tainted,
for a reason I do not know
from my heart and through my veins
this pain, must now flow.

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A Life Taken

I can't believe they shot him
right in front of me
I turned around for one second
and the next thing that I see.
A gun pointed right at my friend
and just before I knew
the guy pulled the trigger
and back my friends head flew.
I watched as if in slow motion
as his body hit the ground
it plays in my head like a movie
him laying there, making not a sound.
I stood there for a second
just watching his blood flow
all over the pavement
and through the cracks it would go.
I sat there right next to him
and stayed there by his side
the moment I saw the gun go off
a part of me just died.
I hope the person who did this
one day will really see
they didn't just take a life
they took my friend away from me.

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A Mother's Love

My mother has been there
through my toughest of times
lighting these dark roads
with this love that outshines.
all of these negative things
that come towards my way
my mother's love will keep me safe
it will never go away..
through my mother's love
I learned to be a man
she gave me the strength to go on
when I didn't think I can.
she was there to pick me up when I fell
she was there to wipe all my tears away
my mother was sent from up above
an angel in every way.
I know it's hard for me to express it
but you mean more to me than words can say
I love you with all my heart mom
every minute of everyday.

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A True Champion

A true champion
knows how to fail and get back up
never letting there head fall
and always keeping it up.
Always, giving there all
fighting til' the end
never showing signs of giving up
thats the heart of a champion.
looking for some guidance
in there time of need
a true champion steps to the plate
ready to take the lead.
sacraficing there body
and laying everything on the line
always, putting there team first
never leaving them behind.
A champion's heart
can be heard from a mile away
especially, when your in the stands
watching them as they play.

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A Want For Love

I want to experience love
and see what it can offer me
hopefully, a women that won't break my heart
and will love me, unconditionally.
I heard that love is a sacred emotion
that only a few people can receive
I want to be one of those people
to have the faith and heart to believe.
I want love to overwhelm my heart,
my mind, body, and soul
I want it to take over all of me
through, my veins it will flow.
I want to have someone to love
and to have someone love me back
I want to feel this emotion
but right now, it's what I lack.
I know there is someone out there
who is meant for only me
patience is my virtue
love, will find me eventually.

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All For God

A life, so simple
wasn't what god had in mind for me
he watched from up above
as I took on the hardships of reality.
many battles I have fought in
and I came out standing tall
if it wasn't for his guidance
my shoulders would buckle and fall.
many blessings he has given me
and I appreciate every single one
to show my appreciation
a thousand miles i'll run.
he holds me at my weakest point
he stands behind me when i'm strong
he is around me every single day
through the right times and the wrong.
his love has given me strength
his words have shown me the way
everynight before i go to sleep
I thank him, as I pray.

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Alone I Stand

I'm trying everything I can
to find a way to get loose
wiggling and moving
to un-tighten this noose.
They put me in this position
to have this death around my neck
this has no surprise to me
exactly, what I would expect.
I stand here all alone
as I stare each one in the face
I knew the moment I turned my back
I would be standing in this place.
I should have known better
Is exactly what I said
but now it's too late
It's already around my head.
I guess, it was inevitable
only a matter of time
before, I found myself in this position
and the blame is all mine.

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Beautiful Day

As I sit here on this bench
I must say it's a beautiful day
to the right of me, at the playground
is where the children run and play.
If I take a look to my left
you can see the water in the lake sway
everything is so peaceful
on this beautiful day.
If I look across the lake
I can clearly see
a father and son fishing
what a day this is turning out to be.
the winds are calmly blowing
everything's just a perfect sight
there is nothing about this day
that doesn't feel just right.
as the sun starts to set
and its light starts to fade away
you will always have these memories
of this beautiful day.

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Beauty Of Poetry

Poetry, is beautiful!
like watching a flower in the fall
blooming right in front of you
standing firm and tall.
coming to its own
as each second seems to pass
showing its colors so brightly
outshining, this green grass.
a talent of multi-colors
sways with this gentle breeze
shining with the bright sun
so, everyone can see.
taking on the obstacles
that challenge its beauty day after day
weathering, these horrible storms
standing tall, it shall always stay.

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Bedtime

Every night I lay down to sleep
and close my tired eyes
here I meet you in my dreams
my tears flow with no surprise.
the memories that we have together
keep me smiling everyday
I will never forget your love
because in my heart you will stay.
I know you still think of me
and all our times together
I will see you in my dreams
this I promise you forever.
our hearts were separated from each other
but our love is still the same
I'm not going to lie to you
my heart is still in pain.
I wish that I could have you here
but I know that god needs you there
he needs a special angel
and all the love you bare.
I'm going to sleep now grandma
I'll see you in my dreams
I can't wait to see you
so happy and so free.

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Broken Heart

I can't believe I caught you
how could you do this to me
you said you'll love me forever
your not this person, I thought you would be.
I can't believe this is happening
my heart is pounding through my chest
where and what do I do now
my life is just a mess.
My tears are flowing like an open faucet
my heart is broken into two
how can I ever come back from this
this could take forever just to do.
I wish that someone can help me
my life is such a blur
I thought I had my future set
and now it seems un-sure.
I don't know what else to do
other than to sit here and just cry
trying to find the answer
for this question that is, WHY?

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Broken Soul

A life full of emptiness,
a heart full of pain,
eyes tired from crying,
a smile that is so plain.
A head full of many thoughts,
ears that hear the negative things,
shoulders that are getting numb,
legs that can't stop trembling.
Hands tired from wiping tears,
feet are hard and sore,
I'm trying not to give up
but I'm stumbling to the floor.
This pain is eating my soul
I'm at the point of break
but I got to keep moving
I don't know how much more I can take.
I'm trying to stay focused
and make it to the end
obstacles are hitting me from everywhere
again and again and again.

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Can You Imagine

Can you imagine growing up
with no one ever around
nobody in the distance
not even one sound.
can you imagine laying in a bed
all curled up and cold
trying to be brave
trying to be bold.
can you imagine harboring emotions
that are eating you inside and out
scratching every part of your skin
begging to get out.
can you imagine going through this
or is it unreality
I would know all this first hand
because these things happened to me.

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Come Back To Me

Where did you go
this love, that once filled my heart
you were such a big part of me
without you, my heart will fall apart.
I'm trying desperately to find you
but your no where to be found
my body and chest feel so cold
without your love around.
I wish that you would come back to me
this difference is quite clear
the thought of you not coming back to me
is something that I fear.
everyday that passes
the walls seem like there closing in
on the love, I had once inside my heart
never to fill my heart again.
please, lord I am begging you
help me find a way
to erase all of this numbness
that fills my heart everyday.

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Darkness

Darkness, will enslave your soul
if you let it in
taking over everything,
living your life from within.
this darkness that I am living
was because no one was ever there
I was always vulnerable,
and never was aware.
this darkness eased its way in,
without me even knowing
as time was starting to pass,
this darkness started showing.
from the pain inside my heart,
to the emptiness in my eyes
I no longer have a smile
and my soul always cries.
I'm fighting with everything I got
to take it all away
everytime, I get the chance
I get on my knees and pray.
I don't want to be this person
this darkness isn't me
I lose myself every single day
but no one notices except me.
I have to do this on my own
and fight this all away
suffering is not optional
in my heart, this darkness cannot stay.

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Deceit

You left me all alone
left me to feel nothing inside
I don't know why you do this to me
leaving my all alone to just die.
I give you everything I have
and you take it all away
I don't know what else to do
or even what to say.
I thought you were so close to me
but you turned out to be a lie
I just feel like giving up
not even wanting to try.
your mouth says that you care
but your actions say you don't
you always leave me all alone
even when you say you won't.
all I ask is not to worry about me
I no longer can trust you
It's just how things should be
there is nothing else you can do.
I gave you my all
and you gave me nothing in return
the knife that is stuck in my back
continues to sting and burn.

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Fight! ! !

Fight for what you want
fight for what you believe
fight for all your dreams
that you want to achieve.
fight for whatever's right
if you think it's wrong
fight for all the things
you wanted for so long.
fight for the people you love
fight for the things you love to do
fight for the faith you have
that always carried you through.
fight for the freedom you have
fight for the soldiers that keep it that way
fight with everything you got
fight for it everyday.
fight for whatever you want
whatever it may be
fighting makes a difference
fighting is the key.

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Fresh Start

I'm looking for a fresh start
but where do I begin
I need some kind of solution
to help my broken heart to mend.
A fresh start I think is necessary
at this point in time
It's going to be a mountain of obstacles
and for happiness, I must now climb.
I need to have a starting point
to help these wounds to heal
life is so unpleasant
when you have nothing left to feel.
I want my smile to come back
the way it used to be
when I didn't have to try so hard
It just came so naturally.
I know this process is going to be real tough
but I have to do everything to stay strong
If I can make it through all of this
I'll get what I wanted for so long.
I know It's going to take some time
But you just wait and see
after everything is said and done
the new person I'm going to be.

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Friendship

You are a good friend
in many ways than one
you have done alot for me
more than I can say for some.
I treasure every minute
from the good times and the bad
evertime I looked at you
a smile is what you had.
I don't know how
you always put with me
maybe, it's because you see
something that I don't see.
I thank you so much
for always sticking around
keeping my head up
catching me before I hit the ground.
I never understood
what it took to be a friend
now my eyes are open
because the person that you have been.
for this I am grateful
because you helped me see the light
this is where I'm happy
this feeling just feels right.
I know my feelings are buried
but I'm trying to find a way
to tell you that your friendship
means more to me than I can say.
I just want to say I'm sorry
I'm not this person that you see
the person that your looking for
is trapped inside of me.
just please, help me stay strong
while I fight this demon inside of me
after everything is said and done
my smile is what you'll see.
I can't wait for that day to come
because I want my heart to feel
everything is longs for

and happiness that is real.

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Grandma's Poem

I miss you so much, grandma
I bet you miss me too
I wonder, if your watching me right now
as, I write this poem to you.
I hope your doing ok, grandma
tell my grandpa, I said hi
I'm trying so hard to hold it back
but when I think of you, I cry.
you meant the world to me, grandma
now, my heart feels so incomplete
I try to make myself feel better
by thinking of your smile, so sweet.
you broke alot of people's hearts
the day you went away
god, only does take the best
he proved it, by calling you home that day.

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Gravesite Confessions

Here I am sitting
right beside your grave
I know you hate to see me cry
so, I promise I'll try to be brave.
I miss you so much, grandma
life is just not the same
now, all I do is talk to dirt
on the gravesite where you lay.
It has been six months already
since you went away
the pain and memories are vivid
as if it happened yesterday.
I have to put my sunglasses on
because I don't want you to see me cry
I gave you my word, I wouldn't
I promise, I did try.
I miss your presence around me
I miss your smile so bright
the one that made me feel so good
when my days weren't going so right.
I wish you could be here with me
to see the things that I have done
the poetry I have written
and the writer that I have become.

I MISS YOU AND LOVE YOU! !
I HOPE, I MAKE YOU PROUD

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Hate Me

Hate me if you want
hate me if you might
hate me if i'm wrong
or hate me if i'm right.
hate me because i'm good looking
hate me because your not
hate me for whatever reason
hate me with everything you got.
hate me for ignoring you
hate me for walking away
hate me for not sinking to your level
hate me every minute of everyday.
hate me for being stronger than you
hate me because i'm the person you want to be
hate me because your pitiful
like everyone that judges me.

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Have You Ever

Have you ever loved someone so much
your emotions are at there high
you can't seem to control it
no matter how hard you try.
every minute your away from them
it feels like eternity
waiting for that moment
when your hearts can feel complete.
no one can compare to them
there perfect in every way
there the only person you want to be with
every second of everyday.
you start to find it hard to eat
and find it hard to sleep
the love that you have finally found
is something real and deep.
all your life you wanted to feel like this
and now it finally has come true
you are in love with a person
that completes this person, that is you.

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Helping Hand

Homeless man,
where did you run off to
the money that you asked me for
I got it right here for you.
you asked me for a dollar
so, I thought I'd give you five
hopefully, this will help you out
getting that hunger satisfied.
I hope that you take care of yourself
and as I was walking away
he shouts out ' god bless you,
and have a good day'.
My heart was touched at that moment
as i made my way back to my car
doing your part in a little way
can go very far.
Do what you can, when you can
when someone is in need
prayers can be answered
and blessings shall be received.

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Honesty

If there is one word
that people never stay true to
it's the word, honesty
and you know this fact is true.
What is so hard about being honest
this is something I cannot see
is it that people would rather lie
than to face the hardship of reality.
Nobody in this world is perfect
everyone lies once or twice
but if you over step that boundary
the consequences are never nice.
I believe, honesty is a good word
to be part of your personality
you can see the people who lack it
just pay attention and you will see.
To me I'd rather be honest
it's just the way to be
people who love to love a lie
will fall on there face eventually.

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I Found Myself

I found myself,
through struggles and pain
everything I fought for
would be the things that I gain.
I found myself
through the positive things
writing poetry and my kids
and the happiness that they bring.
I found myself
by never giving up
people go around mountains
but I choose to go straight up.
I found myself
by taking on the obstacles in life
never losing focus
taking everything in stride.
I found myself
through the tears that I spared
having many nights
feeling lonely and scared.
I found myself
by turning and walking away
my pain is finally gone
but the memories will stay.

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I Still

I don't know how to say this
but I'm still in love with you
I can't seem to shake it
no matter what I tried to do.
Everytime, I'm around you
my hands they start to sweat
my heart starts to beat faster
with every look that I get.
After, all there years
I thought this feeling would go away
I guess, I was only lying to myself
because I still love you to this day.
Everytime, I look at you
I remember, the memories that we made
I never did forget your love
because in my heart you stayed.
I wish your heart could still be mine
just like it used to be
but now, it belongs to someone else
and that person isn't me.
My heart will always be yours
It's something I can't take away
being without the person you love
Is the price I have to pay.

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I Wish

where are you grandma
I wish that you were here
life is just not the same
without your presence near.
I dream of you quite often
which always ends in tears
I don't like to dream of you
I'd rather have you hear.
I feel so angry grandma
why did you break my heart
I didn't want you to leave just yet
were not suppose to be apart.
I thought the pain would get easier
but my heart still calls for you
I tried to take my mind off of it
but there is nothing that I can do.
I wish that I could have you back
just for one more day
to feel your arms around me
while you hear me say.
I love you with all my heart, grandma
and miss you so much it stings
how do I approach life the same
not knowing what it brings.
ever since you passed away
all it seems to do is rain
the heavens seem to weep
as if they feel my pain.
I know that you are happy
wherever you may be
dancing upon every cloud
smiling, with my grandpa, Jimmy.

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I'M Moving On

I'm moving on from my past
it will no longer affect who I am
I been this way for to long
it's time to take a stand.
I have to move forward
behind me, is where my past needs to stay
the past is the past for a reason
tomorrow, is a new day.
I will not look back
I will not lose track
I'm going to keep moving on
that's all I have to say about that.
my focus is on the future
it has more to offer me
my past just kept holding me back
from being the person I wanted to be.

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Imagination

My imagination help me escape
the loneliness, i knew as a kid
going deep inside my thoughts
in my mind, I did.

It was my solution to everything
to escape the world outside
my imagination took me to a different place,
a different world, a different side.

It gave me something to look forward to
when things were going bad
just close my eyes and invision
this happiness, I wish I had.

no one or nothing, could ever harm me
when I was in my happy place
I felt like I was invisible
leaving nothing, not one trace.

every now and than

I still feel the need to go
to this happy place I know so well
when my emotions are feeling low.

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Inspirational Words

Something, my grandma always told me
is to always be who you are
never let nobody change that
no matter who they are.
people, will always say things
to make you doubt your heart
but never let no one stop you
from finishing things you start.
you have to stay strong, my son
inside your heart and mind
the world is full of obstacles
that you must fight to climb.
always reach for the stars, my son
and fight for all your dreams
live your life without regret
no matter what it shall bring.
just take one step at a time
and embrace whatever comes your way
listen to and follow your heart
will lead you to your dreams one day.

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January 14th

My tears are overwhelming my eyes
they just can't seem to stop
right on my blue jeans
is where these tears drop.
I just got a phone call
my grandma just passed away
I just closed my eyes and wept
askn why, was all I could say.
As I made it to her house
I wasn't prepared to see
my grandma just laying there
lifeless, as was she.
My heart started pounding
as I stood there by her side
I'm trying to find the strength
but these tears I cannot hide.
I gently grabbed her hand
and kissed her on the cheek
I told her that I loved her
were the only words I could speak.
I bowed my head in agony
my heart was full of pain
every second her hand was getting colder
just like the winter rain.
Our bond will always stay strong
wherever she may be
everytime, I look up and smile
I know she's smiling back at me.

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Just A Dream

A cold feeling surrounds me
just like a cold winter breeze
this shivering is to much,
I fall down to my knees.
taking a deep breath
I look up at the sky
where it is dark and grey
getting up, I have to try.
the wind starts to blow
which makes this task hard
the winds moving me back and forth
this feeling I have to disregard.
slowly, but surely
I make it to my feet
my legs and body are trembling
this coldness, I must beat.
I start to make my way forward
enduring what comes my way
take my focus off the pain,
In my mind, I say.
the sky is growing darker
the thunders roaring with such force
the rain is hitting the ground like hammers
trying to guide me off course.
my eyes open quickly
realizing it was just a dream
asking myself instantly
I wonder what that could mean.

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Karma

I don't even know who you are
I don't even know if your y friend
all you did was lie to me
and for 6 months, try to pretend.
to be this, honorable person
but that's far, from who you are
it took me sometime to see it
and deceitful, is what you are.
you don't love people
you love, what they represent
all you want is money
and use them for whatever you can get.
all you do is care about yourself
and walk over people's hearts
there is a lot more where that came from
I'm just barely beginning to start.
your pitiful and a sad excuse,
how do you live with yourself everyday
lying, cheating, using me,
remember, those games you use to play.
you need to be taught a lesson
and that's what I plan to do
the next time you plan on using someone
I hope, it back fires on you.
It's just a matter of time
before, everything catches up with you
the consequences, that you must pay
are from the things you put people through.

bobby kramer jr.

Kind Thoughts

Tomorrow, is not promised
is what, I was once told
live everyday, like it's your last
wild, free and bold.
love every single minute
never let hate hold you back
because every minute that passes
you can never get it back.
show compassion to everyone
no matter, who it may be
poor, rich or any race
were all god's children, technically.
show a smile, when you get the chance
give a couple cents here and there
being kind, can make a difference
when you open your heart and share.
the feeling, will overwhelm you heart
I promise, you will see
you will walk away from that experience
a gracious person and happy.

bobby kramer jr.

Lessons In Life

Everything happens for a reason
to the likes that we don't know
god, has a plan for us
and in time that plan will show.
Some lessons come from failures
some lessons come with gains
some lessons come with happiness
and some have frustrations and pains.
It's what you do with these lessons
that makes you who you are
keeping a positive attitude
in life, you will go far.
You have to take the good and the bad
and embrace it, however it may come
if you miss these opportunities
the lesson you have learned is none.
Take on the obstacles in life
don't always try to find the easy way out
you will never learn anything
if you continue to go that route.

bobby kramer jr.

Look Through My Eyes

If you had the chance
to look into my eyes
you would notice a person hurting
with a soul that's fighting to survive.
if you had the chance
what would you hope to see
a person that is happy
smiling constantly.
looking through my eyes
will give you a first hand view
of feelings that are unpleasant
and pain that is so true.
when your finished looking through my eyes
all I ask for is no sympathy
still see me as the same person
please, don't treat me differently.
by you taking this chance to see
everything that I go through
I hope you have an understanding now
through, this poem I wrote for you.

bobby kramer jr.

Losing Control

Uncontrollable, emotions
this anger's getting the best of me
no, no, I can't let it
this person isn't me.
I feel like I'm losing control
there is a war going on inside of me
I have to keep it buried
so, no one will see.
I don't want people to know
so, when you look at me
this smile that you see on my face
is fake, as can be.
losing control
of the person that you are
the emotions that you have
is the worst feeling, by far.

bobby kramer jr.

Love

What is love
and is it even true
is there really someone out there
meant for only you.
does it really exist
or is it just a word
do people only say it
because they feel it's preferred.
could it be that pain in your chest
and that stinging in your heart
the one that you feel
when the person you care for tears it all apart.
could it be all those tears
that slowly stream down your cheek
is all of this pain evidence
of this love that we seek.
maybe, love exist
or maybe, it don't
maybe it will find me
or maybe, it won't.
where is this precious love
that people talk about
a feeling that is mentioned
but is it ever felt.
so, please ask yourself
do you think this emotions real
if you think you have the answer
let me know just how you feel.

bobby kramer jr.

Love For Pitching

As I stand here on this mound
and stare the batter in the eye
right before I take my sign
I let out a relieving sigh.
the first pitch is a fastball
on the outside black
the batter never seen it coming
the bat never left his back.
he stands back and takes a second
to think whats coming next
by the look of his body language
a curve is what he expects.
I know that he can't touch me
so this is what I'll do
I throw a four seem fastball
and watch him swing right through.
now, the count is 0-2
and his mind is everywhere
right before he steps back in the box
he turns his head to stare.
as I step back on the rubber
I start to feel this thing
and that's the overall happiness
that stepping on this mound can bring.

bobby kramer jr.

Love Lost Forever

You think that I don't care for you
you think that I am mean
you think that I am this bad person
but one half of the story is all your seeing.
you think that I don't want to talk to you
you think that i'm forgetting what we had
you think I always have an attitude
you think i'm always mad.
why, don't you think of all the things you done
plus, all the things that you have said
all the lies that you have told me
that are imbedded inside my head.
someone special, you portrayed yourself to be
and it blew up in your face
you took everything we had, for granted
that's what put you in this place.
I can never see you as the same person
everything, we had is out the door
nothing will ever be the same
you changed my thoughts, forever more.

bobby kramer jr.

Mis-Understood

I tried everything I could
to get them to understand
I wasn't this person all my life
they made me who I am.
every time they look at me
all they see is negativity
they only see the cover of the book
instead, of finding out this person that is me.
I have learned to be very quiet
and keep my feelings bottled inside
sometimes, I feel like running away
into a dark hole and hide.
I wonder if they would miss me
it's a question that plays in my head
as, I sit here all alone
at the feet side of my bed.
I know, i'm a good person
hopefully, one day they will see
this loving person that I am
and be excepted into my family.

bobby kramer jr.

My Daughter's Poem

March 30th is the day
when it all begun
I held my daughter for the first time
a sweet lulaby I sung.
I held her in my arms
as she stared into my eyes
my life and heart belong to her
a special love i realized.
I would give my life
to keep my daughter safe
from the danger's that surround
this is the risk I'd gladly take.
my heart now feels complete
her love has set me free
gave me a reason to live
molded me into the father I want to be.
she will never have to worry
because I'm always going to be there
through all the smiles she's going to have
and all the tears that she will spare.
she is my little princess
who makes my life complete
from the twinkle in her eyes
to her smile that is so sweet.

bobby kramer jr.

My Father, My Hero

When I look back
at everything you've been through
those good and bad times
were what made you, you.
through the worst of those times
I shedded many tears
trying to find the courage
facing my greatest fears.
these emotions run heavy
like a 3 ton truck
my shoulders are buckling
but I will not give up.
If my dad taught me anything
it's how to be strong
to always keep fighting
even when all hope is gone.
my dad is my everything
a hero in every way
god truly gives blessings
what more can I say.
my dad is my angel
that god had given to me
who gives me the strength to go on
when I can't find it inside of me.
words can't explain
what my dad means to me
all I know is that his love
made me the person I want to be.

bobby kramer jr.

My Godfather

I wish, I knew my, godfather
they say, he was a special man
he anticipated the day for me to be born
to smother me, with all the love he can.
they say, he was committed to me,
and he loved me with all his heart
but he was murdered before I was born
so, our relationship never got to start.
I wish, I had the chance to hug him,
and tell him, how much he means to me
he will always and forever be my, godfather,
they can't take that away from me.
I think of him every single day
as, I stare at his photos inside the frame
I wish that you could be here, Nino,
is what, I always find myself saying.
I know, that his love surrounds me
like the coolness in the air
even though, I can't see him
I know, that he is always there.

bobby kramer jr.

My Happiest Moment

Baseball, baseball, baseball
is the game that I love
everything this game represents
from my bat, to the balls, and my glove.
everytime, I step onto the field
I feel this sense of pride
something only a baseball player can feel
a feeling I can't quite describe.
ever since I was a little boy
playing baseball was my dream
putting on my uniform
walking onto the field with my team.
the only bad thing about baseball
that I wish I could of had
everytime I looked into the stands
I was hoping to see my dad.
every game that I played in
I wanted him to see
the accomplishments I made on the field
and the pitcher I trained so hard to be.
some games I couldn't take it
and emotions would take there toll
so I would sit in the corner of the dugout
trying not to let it show.
I know my dad wants to be here
I told myself that everyday
I know that he would give the world
to cheer and watch me play.
I remember the one game my dad made it to
It's vivid as yesterday
I remember picking my head up
seeing my dad walk towards my way.
that was my happiest moment
to finally have my dad there
I've waited so many years
to have this moment we can share.
so, now when I step on the mound
and I look in the stands and I don't see
my dad not sitting there watching

atleast, I know in my heart he will be.

bobby kramer jr.

My Life

When I was growing up
the life I lived was hard
I couldn't quite comprehend
why, life would deal me this card.
I grew up without my parents around
so, basically I raised myself
from everything like ironing my clothes
to putting food into my mouth.
I hated this feeling of being alone
but there was nothing I can do
just imagine everywhere you look
the only person you see is you.
I remember, everyday after school
I would sit on my porch and see
all the other kids playing and laughing
happy as can be.
I wanted to share these emotions
but no one was ever around
couldn't hear a single voice
or any footsteps on the ground.
The only thing I had to offer
was a lonely frown
I'm treading in this ocean of sorrow
hoping that I do not drown.
So, I just spent most of my time
just staring at the front door
with the hope that someone will walk right through
with a promise of something more.

bobby kramer jr.

My Motivation

My kids give me the strength
through there warm embrace
they give me the strength to go on
through the things in life I face.
I will never let them down
my guidance is what they need
I will give them all the essentials
in life, to take the lead.
daddy, will always be here
is what I tell them everyday
they will never have to worry
my love will never stray.
I will always come running
whenever they call for me
a fathers love is a blessing
it taught me who to be.
god, has given me a miracle
it is the honest truth
just take a look at my kids
they are the living proof.

bobby kramer jr.

My Son

What can I say about my son
he is a little me
evertime I look at him
my reflection is what I see.
I can only hope
that someday I will be
the father that he looks up to
everything my father was to me.
each day that seems to pass
my job seems to get rough
growing a boy into a man
is a road that is quite tough.
I made him this promise
the day when he got here
he will never have to look to far
my love will always be near.
I promise to be a great father
and give you the guidance that you need
I will give up everything I have
In order for my son to succeed.

bobby kramer jr.

My Strength

I would say my best quality
is the strength that I possess
not like many people,
different from the rest.
people take there chances
and try to take me down
this is something they'll never do
as cocky as that might sound.
My strength has pulled me through many battles
and still I stand here tall
my head has always been up
you will never see it fall.
My battle wounds that I have with me
are a sign of where I've been
I wear there scars proudly
but the pain I hold within.
My strength has made me a leader
and gave me the will to succeed
I will always give my all
failure is not an option for me.
In this day of life
It never rains but always pours
my strength will keep me standing strong
through, the worst part of these storms.

bobby kramer jr.

My Thoughts Of You

If you asked me what I thought of you
the first thing that I would say
you are an amazing father
I hope to be like you one day.
evertime I look at you
I can't help but smile
this feeling isn't going anywhere
It's going to be here for a while.
you are my inspiration
my strength, my heart, my soul
I couldn't ask for a better dad
I just thought I'd let you know.
I know I havn't been the greatest son
but I promise dad I'm trying to be
I'm trying to be the best father
the kind of father that you have been to me.
the times I thought I'd hit the ground
you would catch me before I fell
I'd never took the time to see
but I see the reason now.
I hope that I continue to make you proud
with everything that I do
the man that you have raised me to be
is exactly, just like you.

bobby kramer jr.

Never Again

I bury my head in between my knees
from the judgments people make
I can only put it off so much
there's only so much I can take.
my fire is getting bigger
I feel it inside my core
shooting through my body
from my head down to the floor.
no more shedding tears
I have to keep standing tall
this is the last time
these tears will ever fall.
from this day forward
your comments shall cause me no more pain
the things you have said and done
everything was in vain.
your level, I will not sink to
I stand for so much more
here is where I walk away
closing this chapter's door.

bobby kramer jr.

Never Forget Me

If, I die tomorrow
I want people to remember me
making a mark on this world
through, my poetry.
no one can touch it
or take it away
with standing all of time
my words will live everyday.
being one of the best
is what I was meant to be
leaving my mark through this pen
for everyone to see.
my heart is in my pen
there is no beating in my chest
my hand just keeps on moving
never stopping to rest.
emotions, covering every inch of paper
reading every verse that is shown
reminding you, of what I've been through
the greatest pain I have ever known.

bobby kramer jr.

Never Give Up

You can try to take me down
with everything you got
I am made up of many things
but a quitter I am not.
you can hit me from every angle
but I will never break
I have been through many battles
there is nothing I can't take.
you took away so many things
but my faith has carried me
I am going to win this fight
you just wait, watch, and see.
everyday is a battle with you
from the pain you always give
you only make me stronger
and give me the will to live.
some days you might get the best of me
and knock me to the ground
you better believe i'm going to get up
and go another round.
you will never get the best of me
and this is a promise to you
keep on giving me obstacles
my strength will carry me through.

bobby kramer jr.

No Place To Call Home

I remember, there was a point in my life
when I had no home to go
living out of a motel
money was tight and emotions were low.
I always hated the feeling
of going to bed at night
sleeping in a bed that isn't yours
is a feeling that doesn't feel right.
even though I was quite young
I was a witness to it all
harbored many feelings
and remember the things I saw.
My father started selling drugs
to take us out of this place
he was doing everything he could
to put a smile back on our face.
I couldn't go outside
because there was nowhere to play
so, I would just stare out the window
watching the sunlight fade away.
I remember the day my dad got back
with a giant smile on his face
told us to pack our bags
were saying goodbye to this awful place.
I couldn't explain the feeling
just pure happiness
It was hard for me to stop smiling
that feeling was the best.

bobby kramer jr.

No You Can'T

No you can't
is what they always said
reaching your dream is impossible
trying to put all these doubts inside my head.
in one ear and out the other
these comments just flew
I can't let this negativity get me down
it's exactly, what they are trying to do.
I have to stay focused
and keep following my heart
people can say whatever they want
me and my dreams, will not be apart.
there are always going to be people
who will try to slow me down
I have to keep my shoulders steady and strong
and my feet firm inside the ground.
they will not be the end of me
this battle I will win
I will overcome them all
now, my journey will begin.

bobby kramer jr.

Nobody Knows

Nowhere to run
nowhere to hide
nobody knows
the pain that lives inside.
I tried so many times
to escape the demon that lives on
but no matter what I do
I'm forced to face it alone.
In it's grasps
I try to fight
pulling me under
my light has turned to night.
someone please save me
I'm stuck here all alone
I don't know how I got here
this feeling isn't home.
I hope someone will find me
I hope that day comes soon
this demon's coursing it's way through my veins
I'm scared and don't know what to do.
I will continue fighting
until, I see the light
nobody will never know
until, there light has faded into night.

bobby kramer jr.

Outsider

What goes on inside of a family
does anyone seem to know
is it the closeness that they have
or the love that they choose to show.
I wish I had this understanding
of what it takes to be
a member of my family
I'm looking but cannot see.
I feel like this outsider
who's always looking in
why do things have to be this way
does this feeling ever end.
I'm always in the spotlight
and I have no reason why
I can't seem to shake it
no matter how hard I seem to try.
they don't see what they do to me
and it hurts me deep inside
around them I can't show it
these emotions I must hide.
I never asked for any of this
but these cards I have been dealt
my eyes are so tired from crying
and I have no more strength to shout.
I guess there's nothing else to do
but to turn and walk away
there is nothing here for me
so, there is no reason for me to stay.
these scars will always be with me
no matter what I choose to do
if you can relate to these feelings
remember, I know what your going through.

bobby kramer jr.

Peices Of My Heart

I sit here looking out the window
as the rainfall hits the ground
watching the trees sway back and forth
listening to the roaring thunder sound.
Once again, Ive been cheated on
and I have no reason why
I'm just going to give up on relationships
there's no reason for me to try.
Everytime, I give my heart
someone breaks it into two
putting these peices back together
is no easy task to do.
I hope you get what's coming to you
and one day you will see
the heartache you have given
along with these scars I carry with me.
My heart is damaged forever
I don't know if it can ever heal
the best thing is to block it out
so, I don't ever have to feel.
Cheating is one of the worst things,
you can ever do to someone
a heart shattered into peices
a feeling like it, there is none.

bobby kramer jr.

Protector Of My Heart

A wall that will not budge
a wall that will never break
a wall that surrounds my heart
blocking out the hurt and hate.
a wall that doesn't allow me to feel
but allows me to get by day after day
after, years of torment
this is the price I have to pay.
I walk with my head up
because I don't want nobody to ever know
my family treats me as if they do not care
so, why? should I let it show.
on the inside, I am damaged
with these scars from my past
flooding my body with, numbness
so, quick, painful and fast.
this wall will protect my heart
from this pain, shaped like a spear
it will keep my heart safe
so, there is nothing that I should fear.

bobby kramer jr.

Reasons

You're the reason, for my hate
you're the reason, why, I am this way
you're the reason, why, I am lost inside
because the games you choose to play.
you're the reason, I don't believe anymore
you're the reason, love left my heart
you're the reason, my heart is empty
you're the reason, it broke apart.
you're the reason, for the tears at night
you're the reason, I can't love again
you're the reason, I have all this pain inside
I will never be the same person, again.
you're the reason, I can't trust no more
you're the reason, I feel this way
you're the reason, for these unpleasant thoughts
that remind me of that day.
you're the reason, for all of this
I won't ever be the same
these wounds are bleeding heavily
and it's you, that holds the blame.

bobby kramer jr.

Reflections

When I place this pen to paper
these reflections play in my mind
of everything I been through
everything combined.
these reflections show me where I have been
this is the reason I am this way
to many wrong decisions
put me in this position, I am today.
God, as my witness
I am trying to move on
from these things people have done to me
but these reflections are just to strong.
what do I need to do
what direction must I look
to get back everything I had
because everything is what they took.
I just want to be myself again
and leave everything behind
in the past, is where is it needs to stay
this closure, I must now find.

bobby kramer jr.

Relationships

Relationships are a part of life
that I know a little too well
everytime, I entered one
on my face is where I fell.
these women that were in my life
have only brought me confusion and pain
the only two words to describe it
enough to make any man go insane.
some of them wanted too much
and others didn't want enough
it seemed like no matter what road I chose
the decision was always tough.
I just want a woman
to be the person that she is
have confidence and laugh a lot,
have fun and want to live.
I know that she is out there
wherever, she may be
everynight looking up at the stars
hoping, that one day she will find me.
in time, I know it will happen
I don't know exactly when
but I'll just continue to be patient
for this new love to begin.

bobby kramer jr.

Restless Nights

These dreams are haunting me
I wake up in a cold sweat
I don't know why I keep having them
it's something I just don't get.
I think there trying to tell me something
I wonder what it can be
is something going to happen
to something, someone, or just me.
maybe, it's just a nightmare
it's probally nothing more
but why do they keep coming back
what reason and what for.
my nights are so restless
my body is tired and weak
these nightmares have me wide awake
searching for an answer, so bleak.
hopefully, they will go away
and give me some kind of peace
let my pleasant dreams come back to me
and have all these nightmares cease.

bobby kramer jr.

Shadow Games

I'm scared to go to sleep
I'm laying here wide awake
these shadows are stalking me
my body they want to take.
lights, they do not help
they don't keep them away
just gives them more shadows
to float into and play.
my eyes are always moving
watching every shadow on the wall
I don't want them to get me
there's one in the corner I just saw.
I'm clinching my rosary tighter
praying inside my head
it's starting to move closer,
to the feet side of my bed.
stay still, stay still, stay still,
is all that I could say
I'm trying to be as calm as I can
hoping, that it will turn away.
it disappears for a second
than I feel cold wind around my head
I close my eyes real tight
and brace for whatever's ahead.
I opened my left eye slowly
to see whatever I could see
the figures right next to my stand
which is right next to me.
It floats back to the corner
and back into the wall
this isn't the last time I'll see them
not even, not at all.

bobby kramer jr.

Shattered Dreams

A dream taken away so quickly
it happened four years ago
playing professional baseball
a year and a half away to go.
pitching in my last summer game
I felt this pain begin
didn't think nothing of it
and continued to keep pitching.
than the worst thing happened
I heard a loud pop
I tore my shoulder,
to the ground I would drop.
the pain was enormous
and it didn't go away
my chance of playing professional baseball
just got flushed away.
my future was now gone
in a blink of an eye
everyday, for four years now
I always ask myself, why?

bobby kramer jr.

Special Love

Love is a blessing
love is a gift
love will sweep you off your feet
like a breeze, so swift.
love will engage your heart,
your mind, body, and soul
love will find you wherever you are
no matter, where in life you go.
love in something special
when you have someone to share it with
someone to keep your love going strong
giving your heart that emotional lift.
having love in your life
opens emotional doors you never knew
if you ever have the chance at love
take it, and see what it can offer you.
love can and will conquer all
love can with stand all of time
just take a look deep inside your heart
and it's love that you will find.

bobby kramer jr.

Steps To Fixing A Broken Heart

What steps can I take
to fixing a broken heart
I'm thinking and wondering,
just where I should start.
I'm trying to find an answer
to help me understand and see
broken hearts are a part of life
why, does it seem they only happen to me.
It feels like a bomb,
that goes off in your chest
It only gets harder,
for the person who comes next.
I try to tell myself
not every girl's the same
they just have different ways
of the game that they are playing.
after, being cheated on
a wall has formed around,
my heart never allowing me to feel
a love that is so profound.

bobby kramer jr.

Take Me Away

Take me away
to a place I never been
take me away
from this life of sin.
take me away
this stress is building up
take me away
it's never going to let up.
take me away
where no one knows my face
take me away
to this happy place.
take me away
where the smiles light up the night
take me away
to this precious sight.
take me away
leaving all my worries behind
take me away
to this happy place of mine.

bobby kramer jr.

Taking A Stance

I guess it's time for me now,
to turn and walk away,
putting my trust in you,
now, the consequences I have to pay.
you will always and forever,
be a liar in my eyes
you used to be my sister
but it's you I now despise.
to me, you are nothing more
than the dirt that's on the ground
our love is now forever gone
never to be found.
your nothing but a fake person
with everything you do,
everything you say,
always a lie and never true.
you are a pitiful person
your just a waste of space
I can't believe I'm related to you
your nothing but a disgrace.
I can see right through you
you think you are so tough
your nothing but a poser
all you are is just a bluff.
if you ever have anything to say
have the guts and stare me in the eyes
oh yeah, I forgot you don't have the heart
that's nothing short of a surprise.
people, always build you up
to be something that your not
you think you stand for something
when really, you do not.
I will break you down
for the person that you are
everything, you had said and done
you took it just to far.
now, it's time for payback
and it's you I must now bash
I'll sum your life up in one sentence

your a lowlife that is trash.

bobby kramer jr.

The Feeling Of Emptiness

Do you ever feel empty
like you have nothing left inside
I wish this feeling would go away
it's to much I just can't hide.
I wish I had the answer
to why I feel this way
every night before I go to sleep
I close my eyes and pray.
I ask god why is all this happening
can you please, shed your light on me
I'm not this person people see me as
if they would just take the time to see.
this emptiness hurts to a point
that I just can't seem to explain
nobody ever pays attention
to understand what I am saying.
this feeling of emptiness
took away my smile
I didn't think I'd lose it yet
atleast, not for a little while.
some days it gets the best of me
and I wish that someone can be there
to help me get through all of this
instead, I just lay in the dark and stare.
hoping that someone will find me
and take this emptiness away
my eyes are so tired from crying
and my days are constantly grey.

bobby kramer jr.

The Power Of One

When I hold this pen
the power's inside of me
to be the kind of poet
that some people wish to be.
I give people the influence
through the words that I write
giving them the motivation
to soar to a new height.
having this power
to touch someone's heart
it doesn't matter if I touch all of it
it just has to be some part.
I want to gain the respect
and be known as one of the best
through this pen I will do that
standing at the top with the rest.

bobby kramer jr.

The Road To Happiness

A lonely road I walk on
with nobody around
just the trees in the distance
and the rocks and dirt on the ground.
I was told there was happiness
beyond, where this road goes
happiness is what I lack
and in my smile it shows.
this emotion I long for
It has been quite sometime
since, I felt this inside my heart
a happiness that's all mine.
I know it's out there somewhere
to the end, I must now go
walking down this lonely road
what to expect, I do not know.
embarking on this journey
is something I must do
I felt this emptiness for too long
and somehow I seen it through.
I can't let nothing get me down
I have to give all of me
I have to make it all the way
at the end, happiness waits for me.

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Trust

What does it take to give back trust
when someone took it all away
people take this word lightly
it's not a word you can just say.
it takes alot of hardwork
and dedication inside of you
to give this word it's meaning
I hate to say it, but it's true.
trust is never given
it is something that is earned
many people see it's meaning now
after the lesson they have learned.
trust is a word I hold real high
because it means alot to me
being in a position to lose my trust
is a position I wouldn't want to be.
so next time when you hear the word trust
think about what it means to you
and if you ever been in a position
when trust was taken from you.

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Un-Answered Questions

What if I told you
that my heart still calls out for you
do you think it's possible
that you could feel the same way too.
What if I told you
your on my mind all day
every minute, of the day and night
in my thoughts, you stay.
what if I told you
I'm still in love with you
my heart doesn't want nobody else
all it wants, is to be with you.
what if I kissed you
what would you do or say
would you bother to kiss me back
or push me back and away.
what if I told you
that we were meant to be
would you even listen
or turn and walk away from me.

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Uneasy Tears

I keep seeing your face
deep inside my head
I thought you wanted to give me your love
but you took it away instead.
do you not have a heart
do you know the pain you caused
I live day after day in sorrow
for your actions, my lifes on pause.
crying doesn't get me nowhere
but I just can't seem to stop
these tears are full of my pain
and for that, they must now drop.
A nightmare you created
I feel like I'm going insane
you don't understand this feeling
this feeling of heartache and pain.
You had a good person
but you threw it all away
now, your nothing more than a memory
and in my past you'll stay.

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Unforgettable Love

You came into my life
and stole my heart away
I never got it back
ever since you took it away.
No girl can ever compare to you
no matter who it may be
girls have tried to measure up
and gave up eventually.
Your shoes are impossible to fill
because the person that you have been
a girlfriend at one point in time
and now a very special friend.
Our time has come and gone
it's a hard thing for me to face
I will always have our memories
those can never be erased.
I will always remember that point in life
when I was yours, and you were mine
our hearts are never going to be one again
so, now i'm going to stop trying.
All i'm doing is chasing a heart
that doesn't belong to me
I wish things could of been different
I guess, it wasn't meant to be.
You will always be a special person
and you deserve the very best
I hope that one day you will find it
don't settle for nothing less.
So, now I'll say goodbye, My love
and smile as I walk away
just like I had told you before
in my heart is where you'll stay.

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Unity

Wherever you look
people unite everyday
in schools and in libraries
even in churches where they pray.
all over the world
for whatever reason it may be
people are uniting
for a cause unknown to me.
uniting for freedom
uniting for support
uniting for changes
of all things and all sorts.
wherever you look
there is unity in some form
it could be just a few people
or maybe you'll see a swarm.
unity is needed more
in this world, we live
standing strong together
is how we all should live.

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Unspoken Feelings

Do you really love me?
do I make you proud?
I can't tell the difference
your actions are clear and loud.
I ran out of solutions
I ran out of things to say
my opinion doesn't matter
why, do they treat me this way.
they always point there fingers
and shine there lights on me
turning me into this person
that I tried so hard not to be.
I am always in the wrong
in there watchful eyes
everything I say and do
is full of hate and lies.
they should take a look in the mirror
and the reflection that they see
here they see the real problem
it has nothing to do with me.

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What Goes Around, Comes Around

What goes around, comes around
are words I always told you
you never seemed to listen
kept doing the things you do.
Sometimes, I get so angry
and I want to retaliate
I have to take the time to think
before, it is too late.
I'm just going to be patient
and take what you have to give
because whenever that time decides to come
the consequences you must live.
I would hate to be in your shoes
when that time bell rings
I'm not going to help you out
you asked for everything.
So, next time when I tell you
what goes around, comes around
you will think twice about
this new lesson you have found.

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What Poetry Means To Me

I had someone ask me
just the other day
what is it like to write poetry
and the first thing that I could say.
It is the most beautiful gift
that I could have ever received
god, has given me a blessing
with a promise to acheive.
My goals that I take on in life
through, this pen my heart will bleed
every sentence and bar that you see
my feelings are what you will read.
The best part about writing poetry
are the hearts and live's you touch
there is no better feeling
when your words can affect someone so much.
I can only hope
that one day my poetry can be
read and heard in many places
for everyone to see.
Poetry, is in my heart
where it will always stay
I have to continue to work hard
to make my dream come true one day.

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When I Was Young

As, a little boy growing up
I always strived to be the best
I always gave everything I had
and didn't settle for nothing less.
when I was young, I could see my dreams
and wondered how I would get there
i just kept telling myself
to work hard, stay focused and prepare.
prepare for all the obstacles
that lie ahead of me
hitting me from all angles
but staying strong, is what I must be.
I will not be broken
my dream is waiting for me
I know it will take me some time
but I will get there eventually.

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Where I Live

The part of town that I live in
there are many dangers that surround
watching your back constantly
checking who may be around.
It's hard to stay focused
with everything that you see
cops harrassing people
and the murders on t.v..
These events happen daily
It's like a war zone here
people are afraid to walk out there doors
because what might happen, is what they fear.
Everynight, you hear the sirens
and helicopters flying everywhere
shining there lights into your house
It's an awful feeling to bare.
You have to be very cautious
about what you say and do,
wearing certain colors and clothes,
even staring at people too.
Things many people take for granted
in there everyday part of life
here the future has no dream
and reality is real as a knife.

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Why Me

I ask myself
why pain chose me
I bare these scars
so everyone can see.
I hate being this way
but I have no choice
I feel like screaming
but the pain overwhelms my voice.
people who I thought
could find the real me
dropped me like a dime
this pain is killing me.
people don't understand
what they never been through
I wish they could look through my eyes
and see this pain is true.
as time goes on
your heart and feelings become numb
your body rejects emotions
this is what I have become.
why pain chose me
I will never understand
all I know is god will not give me
nothing I can't withstand.

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Wind Beneath My Wings

Sometimes, I wish I were a bird
I could fly and get away
leaving all these stresses behind
that occur to me day after day.
seeing things I never saw
from a different point of view
have the freedom to do whatever I want
that's what I wish I could do.
everytime, I see a bird
they fly so swift and free
gliding with the gentle breeze
somewhere, I cannot see.
It's such a soothing sensation
to watch a bird take flight
up and out of the tree they go
flying out of sight.
I wish that I could be a bird
and feel the wind beneath my wings
going from place to place
and seeing many things.

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You Will Never Know

You don't know
you will never understand
where was your presence at
when I needed that helping hand.
look into my eyes
and see if you can see
this pain that is living
deep inside of me.
you stand there and tell me
that you really care
actions speak louder than words
and your actions are never there.
my energy that I put into you
is being wasted away
I have no more strength
to argue about this today.
all I want is some compassion,
some love and some care
I want you to show me
instead, of telling me you'll be there.
it's not much to ask for
but you treat it as if it is
i'm not going to continue with this
it's not the life I want to live.

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