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A New Hope

Walking through the twilight of my life at times is sad
Thinking about the rough and tumble times I've had
The amount of time wasted on foolish dreams
That looks good at the start but never end up like it seems
I was taught to stay true to my heart through thick and thin
And by following that path more often than not I took it on the chin
Life's cruelty had me down and out hanging from the end of my last rope
Yet still I see a light in front of me portraying a flicker of hope
A new friend with a sweet smile and a kindness like none that I have known
Leading me from the abyss and the cold that had chilled my bones
How can I thank her for all that she has done?
Maybe all it will take is to show her she is number one!

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My Broken Heart

I remember a song about a man with a broken heart
Asking how to fix it when it was ripped apart
Some say you should never love that hard again
So that you will not have to take it on the chin
To me this would not do
As my heart needs to be one of two
Losing a love that was so right
Makes me yearn for that feeling again every night

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My Friend

Through the darkness of the night
With only the radio to keep me upright
I have a thought of you with that radiant smile
With that I am good for another lonely mile
Delivering newspapers to a sleeping town
Wishing we were together so I would not feel so down

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Someday

What magic is it that you possess
That has taken away all of my stress
Each time we meet I see that smile
This makes me want to stay with you for a while
Alas life has us traveling by different means
Your path filled with love and hope, mine with broken dreams
I am confident someday in the future my luck will turn
Then two hearts as one will burn

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Suzette

Many people get excited when they come into money
Others when they taste foods as sweet as honey
For me it is the fifteen minutes each day I get
Talking with my special friend Suzette!
Before we met my life was dark and I felt sadness
Her caring friendship changed that to gladness
I hope someday she can equate
To how her compassion made me feel great!

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Suzette's Dream

Under the sea, the big blue sea
There is a special place Suzette needs to be
A place that will allow her to live without fears
Nevermore to be saddled with heavy tears
May her dreams never fade
About becoming a mermaid
Swimming under the water for however long
With Joy in her heart singing her favorite song

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The Light That Rescued Me

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How can I thank her for rescuing my soul
I am not sure but that is now my number one goal!

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Yesterdays Sadness

In the shadows of my heart lies a vision of a love long lost
A love so true it was worth it to try to keep it at all cost
She had a beauty and inner strength twice her size
Wisdom beyond her years always looking towards the prize
Somewhere in all of that love we forgot about each other
Went through times we did not want to be lovers
This vision haunts me from then until this day
For all of my sins I regret and still pay
She was a kindred spirit my love my soul mate
To lose her forever sealed my fate
A life of loneliness a life of sorrow
No love could be bought sold or borrowed

My whole life revolved around her every whim
Singing songs going to the movies and working out at the gym
She liked to dance to rock and roll as for me country was my thing
When she got mad the words from her would burn through my heart and sting
In all there was a tenderness and kindness to warm the heart
I begged pleaded and cried for months when she said we had to part
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