Sangeetha Pandaram()
Ah Love, If This Distance Were No More...

If I could ride upon this sandstorm
And whirl myself to you
Ah Love, if this distance were no more...
If I could sit upon this moonbeam
And travel at the speed of light
I would fall into your sweet embrace
Before the end of night
And this distance
Would be
No more.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Come Walk With Me

Come walk with me
in Autumn's Sun
Come take my hand in thine
Across the Meadow
of Memories
and into the Valley of Time

We'll share a smile,
a laugh or two
We'll talk of times gone by
We'll shed a tear
We'll chase a fear
We'll mend a heart or two

And then, when
Autumn's Sun doth set across the
Mountain yonder
We'll make a pact
to never Forget
and swear to love
Forever

Sangeetha Pandaram
Could This Be It?

My heart skips a beat
when he walks into the room
And his is the smile that brightens up the gloom
He is the one who sets my dreams aflight
His, the name on memories I write
Beloved... Treasured
Worshipped... Adored
As long as he is mine
Everything is fine
He sets my world ablaze
For certain he's my craze
Could this be IT?

Sangeetha Pandaram
Cyber Lover: Ain'T No Lover Like You

There ain't no Love like your love
There ain't no Lover like you

Love borne by secret sultry whispers
Filters nightly passion
Reaches
Sensuously Scented Semantic altars
in the middle
of Cyber-Somewhere

There ain't no Love like your love
There ain't no Lover like you

Sangeetha Pandaram
Desert Rain

Rain softly drapes
the trees
flowers
streets
and
the city sleeps...

Then morning embraces the desert
in shivery hugs, misty kisses and dewy smiles
and a passionate shower of raindrops
the city awakes.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Duanna's Song

You are the strawberry on my sundae
The tinkle of my ice
The calm of the ocean
And the early morning Glow.

You are the flowing rhythm
of silken dreaming
The gentle swan on
Life’s river sailing
The tender fragrance
of forget-me-nots,
The crystal dewdrop
in my crown.

For my daughter, Duanna, with love

Sangeetha Pandaram
Dubai Creek, Cradle Of The World

A million lights adorn your moonlit waters,
like glittering pearls from long ago dives.
From pearl divers to today's strivers,
Dubai Creek, You cradle the world.

Your heart throbs with engine motors
as Once upon a Time
merges with Today
Across the ages, and beyond a million faces,
Dubai Creek, You have cradled the world.

[Written on crossing the creek from Bur Dubai to Deira...]

Sangeetha Pandaram
For Salalah, With Love

I carry you
Sacred One
in my henna stained hands
preciously engraved in the intricate
pattern of my life,
Forever.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Forever Be Mine

Just so that you know
And never have to wonder
How I feel about You
It's more than simply Love
You pulsate within Me
Your rhythm My rhyme
Your life My time
Two hearts
Entwined
Forever be mine

Sangeetha Pandaram
From Zameen

In that moment my heart shattered
I remember it was you
Who told me that No More
Shall be
A Time of Love
For you and me
A space belonging
to us and we.

Your words were cold
As the frozen ice on
A blood red rose
In full bloom.

My love the rose
Your words the ice
That caused the end
and my demise

Alas my love
Distanced are we
In two separate worlds
Distance unfurled

Yet I love you still.

Sangeetha Pandaram
In This Moment

In this moment
In this time
In this heartbeat
You are mine.
In open spaces
In secret places
In the unforgettable
In the Divine,
In the joy of laughter
In the warmth of a kiss
In the breath of Forever
It's You I find.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Indian Sunrise

The Sun Rises
Temple over temples
Presiding golden over morning
Awakening cow-eyed to the day

From mountain peak to pathways steep
In shifting sands the mystic seeks
And within each heart the passion to pray

Sangeetha Pandaram
Indy My Love

My love for you is a tapestry
crossing many skies.
It stretches through the galaxy,
far and wide and wraps you
around me in eternity.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Invitation To Love's Buffet

Oh my Love
if you would allow
the touch of your beloved
upon your skin of velvet
then you would taste
the nectar of her kiss
upon your lips
And sup at love's buffet.

Sangeetha Pandaram
I've learnt that...
Life's too short and there's no time for regrets.

The train's left the station, admire the landscape.

I've learnt that...
We make mistakes 'cos that's how we learn.
We slip, we fall, how else do we get up?

The train's got engine trouble, admire the landscape.

I've learnt that...
Who needs an enemy, when we're harshest with ourselves.

The train's looking shabby, the seats are torn, admire the landscape.

I've learnt that...
When it comes to hell, we're masters at creating our own.

The train's going haywire, admire the landscape.

I've learnt that...
it is in letting go
that we allow ourselves to flow
into
This Moment, This Life, This Heaven.

The train's moving, admire the landscape. It's Your Heaven.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Jewel Of My Heart

I empty the contents of my heart  
And amid its glittering treasure  
You appear  
in your Splendour  
And I declare You  
Jewel of my Heart.

for my daughter, Duanna, with love

Sangeetha Pandaram
Journey Of My Soul

'Come, ' said my soul, ' and I will show you where I go...
To the fairest glen to taste the newborn snow
To sail on the waves
and to sleep on the shore
Amidst starfish and sea
in the early morning glow.
To ride on the wind
as it sings out loud
To lick the raindrops
As it falls from a cloud.'
'Come, ' said my soul, ' Tarry not and do not fear...
Take my hand and we will go
to wherever God is near.'

Sangeetha Pandaram
Listen My Love...

Listen my Love
Listen quickly
Lest the wind blows my words
Like Autumn leaves aflutter.
Listen my love
Listen to my heart whisper...
I am Yours,
No other.
Many times have I hungered
Many times, searched
Never found the perfect imprint of another, upon my soul
... until You
Listen, my love, Listen
lest I falter
Lest courage fails
and the whispers of my heart
fragile fragments that they are, fade
... But if by chance thou never hearest
these heart whispers, Dearest
All is not in vain
For I will wish them into stars of night
that glow and guide
your Heart to Mine.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Moonlight Serenade

I walk in the light of the Moon
Boldly
Blissfully
Privileged
Protected
Bathed in Silver
Draped in the shimmering silk of the night sky
Accompanied by the evensong of beetles and crickets
In a Serenade to the Moon.

Sangeetha Pandaram
My True Beloved

You are my true beloved
for you love me
fragmented though I am.
Golden or unworthy deed, you embrace me in my multi-ness.
Your love, a lamp that leads me home
Your gentle heart, my bed to rest
this weary self
this ragged breath
And from your Mighty Strength
I grow.
Amen

Sangeetha Pandaram
Ode To Evie

You who were never given
a chance
to see the light of day
to move along Life's way
hopes joys untold
cries fears on hold
smiles tears halted
thwarted
aborted
Crystallized in Time
Wrenched from Tomorrow's grasp.
You who are now free
to sing the songs of the wind
to dance on golden sunbeams
to sit on my shoulder
an Angel unseen.

Sangeetha Pandaram
Ode To Shattered Vows

I walk along the corridors of my life
Searching all familiar places
For You
But
You are Nowhere

I smell
Trying to capture Your scent
But I inhale a whiff of something
Fresh and New
And
You are Nowhere

I touch
Seeking to rekindle the memory of Your embrace
But instead I feel this Moment's kiss
And
You are Nowhere

I walk along the corridors of my life
Looking in all familiar places
In search of you
But you, absorbed by the passages of Time, fade into Nothingness
Leaving Me
And I...
I am Everywhere

Sangeetha Pandaram
Son Of Mary

Crimson drops adorn your precious brow
Yet no frown mars the gentle look
That saves my tortured soul

Wounds pierce your precious palms
Yet your touch calms
My aching heart
And makes me part
With doom and gloom

And Your Pain
Your Pain
Restores my being
Again

Sangeetha Pandaram
Song In My Heart

You put a song in my heart
and a dance to my step
You make me feel like I'm asailing on a cloud
You placed this smile on my face
You make my world a happy place
And all of this
Because I simply love you

Sangeetha Pandaram
Sunrise

Colours of Dawn
Lighting up the dusky corners
of a Heart seeking its dreams
Sun Rising
Beckoning a New Life
Fresh with dew-filled promise...

Sangeetha Pandaram
Swan Lake

My life a lake of ice
And you the Swan upon it
Then bit by bit
The shattered ice... I realise
that everything I thought was true
Is no longer
And the only Love I ever knew
Is You.

Sangeetha Pandaram
The Betrayal

It's strange when I think of it... BUT
Never did I see a reason WHY
or a season
WHEN you would not whisper
MY NAME.
Yet it happened
Stealthily
in the Darkness of the Moment
when you crept away
into a SECRET World
that you called Your OWN.

Sangeetha Pandaram
The Unforgettable Joy

Flames and firewood
Crackle with joy
Once upon a Time
A girl flits by
Smiles and laughter
Happy Ever After
Echo in the ribbon
of Time

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Love...

This love is a fire
raging relentlessly
-growing ginormously
-persisting
-against all odds.
This love is a law unto itself
revoking anything and everything that stands in its way.
This love is luscious, delicious, lip smacking, atrocious
maddening, damning
And utterly audacious.
This love is exhilarating ...
This love is Ours.

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Silent Love

I saw you in the park today
I tried not to look
But I couldn't look away
I imagine what it would be like
if we didn't have so many walls between us
all these Ifs and Buts and Cannots

If I had a wish it would be
to feel the touch of your hand against my cheek
And to whisper in your ear... I love you
And if I had another, it would be to ride with you to the ends of the earth
telling the stories of our lives...

But all we have is this silent love
this unuttered passion
and when I go to sleep at night, the dream that we will wake up together.

I saw you in the park today
But you were with another.

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Silent Love: Part Five

And like the Phoenix
we rise
Hopes Anew
Dreams Afresh
A love reborn

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Silent Love: Part Four

I watched you go
As silently as you came
into the darkness of the night
into the silhouette of the trees
leaving me in the agony of broken dreams
in the ash of splintered promises.

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Silent Love: Part Three

I saw you in the park today
And this time
You saw Me too

In your eyes I see a million hopes and dreams and wishes
In my eyes, there is only YOU
So we walk together
You and I

Amidst the trees and the creatures of the night
And we discover that deep within our silence, there is a love song...
Our love song

I saw you in the park today...
and my heart danced to the beat of
a Silent Love.

Sangeetha Pandaram
This Silent Love: Part Two

I saw you in the park today
But you were with another
So I hugged my thoughts to myself
And watched you with secret eyes
  And
I imagined us together
Floating high above the city
Singing the songs of our childhood
Deep into the night
  Until
I plucked a star from the midnight sky
and placed it in your hand
As a reminder of a Love
that will always be a Light
even in the darkest night

I saw you in the park today
And this time
You saw Me too.

Sangeetha Pandaram