

Poetry Series

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I was born on October 12th 1990, I love hockey and hanging out with my friends and i like trying to write poems and i love playing and watching hockey.. i love the pittsburgh penguins and sidney crosby..yumm

## **\*before I Give Up\***

After an hour drive  
we're in the same place  
We're competing with each other  
we can't seem to win this race

Your words, they linger from your lips  
as they wrap around my heart  
You pull me in closer  
before I fall apart

You think I have something to say  
but I'm waiting to hear you say  
That you don't want me to go  
I'm the smile in your day

But it's another restless night  
ending in a circle going around  
Before I give up  
the silence kills the sound

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# Hooked

I've hung and tied the ropes of my past,  
Looked into your eyes, fell way too fast,  
Hooked on toxic narcotics from hearts,  
Beating as one, this is where love starts.

Words from lips travel to destined ears,  
Hands so dry wipe away cryptic tears,  
Exposing strong feelings cloaked inside,  
Showing me happiness when faith died.

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# My Hockey Friend

A friend of mine, loving hockey  
Watching it every day  
She loves almost all the players  
And the unique ways they play

She loves our team especially  
With a wall full of stuff,  
Dedicated to them  
She can't get enough!

Knowing certain player's stats  
Most of them, anyway  
She gets all of her lucky charms  
When they go to play

A little bit obsessed  
Is what her family might say  
She'd go and watch our team  
Any night or day

Going to open practice  
And alumni games  
Collecting pics and signatures  
To put them into frames

If she didn't watch it every day  
I believe she'd go insane  
Hockey's more than just a sport  
The passion's within the game

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# Not There

I stare at you across the room  
I see your warming face  
I try to see the inside you hide  
Your feelings I try to embrace

I realize as I look at you  
As I just sit and stare  
I can see you perfectly clear  
But for some reason you're not there

I see your eyes, I see your face  
But yet I can not see  
Your loving inside that you had  
I can't see your personality

I realize how much that you have changed  
How you don't seem to care  
I stare at you across the room  
But yet you are not there

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# This Boyy....

This boy.....  
This boy this boy.  
This boy I know.  
Oh this boy I know.  
How I love him so.  
This boy I know.  
His hair.  
His face.  
His clothes.  
His smile.  
His laugh  
Him.  
I love this boy I know.  
His attitude.  
His art.  
His jokes.  
The way he can make me smile.  
This boy I know.  
This boy I know.  
I love this boy I know.

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# When You Love Someone

When you love someone so deep inside,  
It seems like it's so easy to hide.  
You've loved him for so very long,  
You would think he could do no wrong.

Every day you would hope and pray,  
That he would always stay this way.  
He treated you like you should be treated,  
You thought your life was finally completed.

You thought your love was growing true,  
And then one day it was all so blue.  
He started putting you down and it hurt,  
You thought all you were to him was dirt.

He started ignoring you and you wondered why,  
All you wanted to do was curl up and die.  
You thought your relationship would never end,  
But that was all so fake and pretend.

One night he was so sweet to you,  
You thought all those things were maybe untrue,  
Two days later he was back the same,  
You thought you were the one to blame.

He thought the relationship was getting too serious  
And that you had become a little too curious.  
By this time you knew it wouldn't last,  
All the nice things he said were in the past.

You thought that you would marry him some day,  
But this time God wanted to get his way.  
You wanted things back how they were before,  
But you knew this couldn't happen anymore.

It was a Saturday night about ten o'clock,  
You heard the news and it wasn't a shock.  
You knew this was going to happen soon,  
As you laid there and cried in the pale lit moon.

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# Why Did U Do It?

Just tell me why you did it?  
You have scared me now,  
that i know you might get convicted,  
I don't know if your going to go to jail,  
I love you,  
I need to know if your alright,  
I just need to know why you did it?

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