

Poetry Series

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Even If

Even if I still love you today
Even if I so much need you to stay
Even if I still want you to be mine
Even if I so much need you to be fine

Even if a life without you is death
Even if your heartbeat is my breath
Even if I'm terribly missing you
Even if I pray for a hope anew

If your heart changed and your love is gone
I must say goodbye 'cause I'm not the one
Who'll hold your heart as tight as you held mine
who's destined by God for your love so divine

I must accept the fact that you're not mine
And in your life I must take off the line
I must let you go and set you free
For now I know your heart's not with me

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Except Us

When the cloud's belly bleeds with the sun,
When the sea shimmers a path to the sunset,
We will be walking together on the loose ground,
Scrunching pebbles and shells underfoot,
And then we will stop,
Hand in hand,
And kiss.
Sea shushing to and fro,
Watching our dreamy eyes eat-up the horizon,
The wind will gently pull your hair,
And draw you closer in my arms,
Time will leave us in a vacuum,
And all will seem meaningless
Except us,
Except us.

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Forever My Love

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Forever I will love you
No matter what
Forever I will love you
And I won't give up
For my love to you I can never stop

You will always stay in my heart
No matter how long we will be apart
No matter how much people will blame
Forever I will love you
Forever I will be the same

You eyes are my guide
I'll stay always by your side
I won't let go of the love I find

Your smile is my light
I loved you even before my first sight
Forever you'll be mine

Your hair.. your ears.. your lips
All your face
I love you all
This love will never be replaced

Your heart.. your words.. your voice
I love you all
I was born to love you, I have no choice

We're born to be together
I'll love you forever
No matter how much I'm gonna suffer

My love to you will forever exist
On you I'll always insist
Be sure that I don't care for all the rest

You are my fate
Forever I will love you
I'll never hesitate

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Have You Ever Felt

Have you ever felt,
the cold and lifeless hand of an infant,
gazed into their unblinking eyes,
and observed the face of death,
when masked in bittersweet innocence?

Have you ever touched your dreams,
and felt the simplistic joy,
of feeling them become reality,
only to abandon them,
for reasons you cannot explain?

Have you ever watched your family,
who once shared the greatest of loves,
suffer an unforgettable and unforgivable tragedy,
that will slowly, painfully, and inevitably,
tear them all apart?

Do you know, firsthand,
the evil that resides deep within the heart of every man,
every woman, and every child?
Have you seen its face as it randomly seeks,
a soul to torment and destroy?

Do you know the darker side of life,
the one that awakens you,
in the still of the night,
crying to the unknowable God's,
Save me from myself.?

Does your heart constantly question,
whether humanity is obtainable,
in a world corrupted with suffering,
and where war,
is the favored solution for peace?

If you really want to know me,
and understand the forces that compel me to move on,
then take these questions,

and take this pain,
for this is who I am.

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I Am Alone

I am alone,
so very alone

I hurt,
so very bad

I am ignored,
just thrown aside

I am security,
for others to have

I am lonely,
there is no one close,
no one sees the pain

I cry,
hope is gone

I am alone,
and no one knows

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In Cold Silence

So I lie here paralysed by my dreams,
I can feel my body twitching, ticking and rhythmically pumping to keep me alive.
But instead of exploring the world with my brain carrying craft,
I would rather explore the possibilities of daydream.
How strange! To give up the real in exchange for what is not real.
To waste minutes and hours thinking about what has not happened,
And what could happen.
When will I get up and do?
And when I do get up,
What will I do?

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Let Us Run

Let's runaway
back to a time
when life was simple
and you were mine

Let's runaway
from all this unrest
from hurtful words
pressures and stress

Let's runaway
and save ourselves
just you and I
and no one else

Let's runaway
from fancy stuff
from bills and bosses
that break us up

Let's runaway
please take my hand
travel back to a time
when love was grand

Let's runaway
be issue free
no ties to bind
to this society

Let's runaway
and love again
free from upset
as we did back then
Let's runaway

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Life Is A Gift

Today before you think of saying an unkind word - Think of someone who can't speak.

Before you complain about the taste of your food - Think of someone who has nothing to eat.

Before you complain about your husband or wife - Think of someone who's crying out to God for a companion.

Today before you complain about life - Think of someone who went too early to the grave.

Before you complain about your children - Think of someone who desires children but they're barren.

Before you argue about your dirty house, someone didn't clean or sweep - Think of the people who are living in the streets.

Before whining about the distance you drive - Think of someone who walks the same distance.

And when you are tired and complain about your job - Think of the unemployed, the disabled and those who wished they had your job.

But before you think of pointing the finger or condemning another - Remember that not one of us are without sin and we all answer to one maker.

And when depressing thoughts seem to get you down - Put a smile on your face and thank God you're alive and still around.

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Me Without You

I've found my world and there's only you in it
fell in love in just 1 minute
always and forever ill be true
because what's you without me?
what is me without you?

It's like night without its moon
summer without its sun
stopping a flower from blooming when it's almost done

it's like Dalmatians without spots
piglet without pooh
it's like Dori not being in Nemo
that's me without you!

It's like Juliet telling Romeo she just doesn't care...

so imagine what we would be if we had never met? you're one thing in my life I
won't regret

you're my sun, you're my moon shining on me no matter what I'm going through

you make me so happy with just one touch...
ask yourself... did you ever think a guy could love you so much?

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On The Outside

The sun is setting on a lonely day
The colors are splitting, the perfect way
You're strolling home as you see this too
And I watch from a window thinking of you

From this day on, I'll look forever
That magical sunset, our memories together
To help me through when my life gets tough
And when I feel that I've had enough

The sun you see makes me think of you
The miracle of it, the wonder too
I see you both everyday as you know
To stop seeing either, I'd have to say, no

The bright colors shine from within my heart
The colors of a sunset, a special part
Of a day in my life I wish you could see
Just what it's like, just to be me

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The Light Inside

If I was one thing, I'd be a candle
Lighting the way so you can handle
Your life easier without woes
Not having to fight with your foes.
I'd help keep you from stumbling over
Things blocking your path to an open door.
If I light your path, life is easier,
Even strong winds, my light will not deter.
No matter what, I'm here for you
To cheer you up when you are blue.
Do not fret when times get tough,
If things look down or kind of rough.
Just remember, I'm always here,
In your heart, close and near.
I will help you out in every way,
Happiness and love in your heart will stay.
Don't blow me out, that's one request
Unless it's me you do detest.
I do not try to hurt anyone
That isn't good or any fun.
But one day you may leave me behind
You may no longer need my light to shine.
If that day comes, go on your way
And I will hope to see you again one day.
If one day, I don't appear,
Do not worry, do not fear
I may be gone, but in your heart
The light I gave you did not depart.
It will be there forever and a day
To always bring happiness and light your way.
Farewell for now, I'm needed elsewhere
If your path grows dark, in your heart, I'm there.
So I'm really not gone, just not seen,
I would not leave, I'm not that mean.
Only one simple request that I must say,
Please, never forget those who lit your way.

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The Proof

My love for you is so passionate and true
I wish I could prove this to you
I will climb the highest mountain to touch the sky
And bring down that rainbow so high in the sky.

Oh if I could prove to you that my love is real
I'd swim that river oh so wide to prove
That you are my joy and pride
And my love is so real.

But all these things are so impossible for me
To do I can't climb a mountain oh so high and
Bring down that rainbow from the sky, and no
I Can't swim that river that is oh so wide.

But to Prove my love is true and
I really want to be with you is say
I love you and mean it with all my heart!

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Time To Live

When you startle awake in the dark morning
heart pounding breathing fast
sitting bolt upright staring into
dark whirlpool black hole
feeling its suction
Get out of bed
knock at the door of your nearest friend
ask to lie down ask to be held
Listen while whispered words
turn the hole into deep night sky
stars close together
winter moon rising over white fields
nearby wren rustling dry leaves
distant owl echoing
two people walking up the road laughing
Let your soul laugh
let your heart sigh out
that long held breath so hollow in your stomach
so swollen in your throat
Already light is returning pairs of wings
lift softly off your eyelids one by one
each feathered edge clearer between you
and the pearl veil of day

You have nothing to do but live

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Why I Love You

I can be myself when I am with you.

Because you make me feel like, like, like I have never felt before.

I can tell you anything, and you won't be shocked (mostly) .

Your love gives me the feeling, that the best is still ahead.

You never give up on me, and that's what keeps me going.

I love you because you bring the best out of me.

Your sense of humor

Every time I look at you, my heart misses a beat

You're the one who holds the key to my heart

You always say what I need to hear (You are perfect) .

You have taught me the true meaning of love.

When I look into your eyes, I can see your heart.

I love the way you keep your cool when I do something stupid.

Just being with you feels like I can defy the whole world.

You mean the world to me.

I love your small gestures that speak volumes about how much you care.

The way you always try to help others

How you are always understanding with me even when I don't deserve it

You love me even with all my faults.

You're the light in my life

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