

Poetry Series

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I am currently a progressing poet in my second year of college trying to stay devoted to one of the many passions I developed as a child, writing. My dream job we be to write screenplays and become a successful playwright and poet. I hope you read and enjoy my poems. The opinions of others means a lot to me and helps me improve my work please so don't hesitate to comment and tell me what you thought and how the poem made you feel. Thanks :)

# Boy Love

I love u  
it kills me to trust you  
must you tear me apart  
break my heart  
I jus cant do it  
with the problems we have  
memories fade  
the brightness is gone from the dawning day  
take me away let me feel your love  
blessed from above  
yours only though lonely  
your love fresh and real untouched by the world  
your my boy i'm your girl  
respect me dont touch me  
teach me  
complete me  
where are you boy  
i need you to keep me sane  
you keep the blood running through my veins  
past the deepest pain  
with you i gain love  
through the hardships we stick together  
our love is forever

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# Carry My Heart

let the dove fly forever in peace  
never does she need to rest her wings  
carrying my heart for me  
soaring and conquering all though she is fragile and small  
held by the gentle breath of the breeze  
n teased by the sweet flower bended and twisted with ease  
never falter or stall for i fear if she pauses my heart will fall  
take the burden n the weight n carry my heart to his gate  
let it rest eternally  
let the dove fly forever in peace  
never does she need to rest her wings  
carrying my heart for me

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# Loss

Unattainable perfection  
Highlighted flaws projected through a reflection  
Glanced at through lowered eyes made heavy  
With unanswered cries  
Pleading for attention  
Seeking redemption  
Emotions seep through thin skin  
Tightening the jaw making visible the tension  
Which has taken residence within her  
A body that betrayed her  
Attention sought  
Found in him  
With their greeting  
She loss the labels pure and innocent  
Bestowing on him a gift she had yet to understand  
In his wake she felt tainted used and self-hatred  
Painfully aware of the absence of something that could never return  
Failed attempts at ignoring the hurt  
Carrying the mistakes of the past over every ledge  
Onto every doorstep they crept  
Regretting the moment allowing him to own it  
Hating what can never be undone  
A memory only and always  
Provoking fantasies of different outcomes  
But As the days go by fresh wounds fade to scarred flesh  
Leaving only remnants of what occurred  
Etched forever in the skin  
A subtle mark the final reminder of her sin

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# Love

as love is elusive it is contained  
bound to me by those love I've gained  
whether love be offered or denied  
love unconditional is the rarest kind  
love, if you dare at all  
to love with a love that consumes your soul  
choose to love but never whom  
blindly led love blooms

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# Secrets

the greatest secret is the one unspoken doors left open  
naked in the crowd only you stand out  
your safety has gone and the your inner self is shone  
though their your secrets to keep, of which you dare not speak  
with these secrets we seek for someone to whom we can confide  
living each day with the burden of this secret  
I'm slowly dying inside with it exposed  
who knows the damage done the cursed one  
from your secrets come regrets  
lies told not wanting you life to unfold  
take them to the grave forever in silence  
cutting your wrist, finding comfort in pills  
allowing this to be your guidance  
live for the secret that fills your soul  
live for the day it will be told.....

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# To Be Young

youth bestows a gift of errors  
when in the mirror the reflection is absent  
of wrinkles and lines  
the wisdom to is also not present there  
confusion abounds  
searching..seeking a truth denied by youth  
to which we steadily cling  
this escaping thing holding  
tighter we grasp  
but it is already lost  
favoring adolescence over that stray grey  
attempting to lengthen today  
because with to many tomorrows we fade away...

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# War

lingering emotions victorious  
when battles are waged  
resisting the inevitable  
a soldier  
takes the stage  
ravaged by war witnessing its casualties  
he kneels before the altar  
pleading that it cease  
but forever is the war  
endless is its cause  
him and his men are fated to fall  
down unto the earth  
upon the ground below  
where reality awaits  
lay down arms and  
surrender to thy fate

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