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'A person's words can be a source of wisdom deep as the ocean fresh as the flowing stream.'

))) Voice Of Nature(((

))) Hear ye, (((

))) Hear ye.(((

Creatures on earth,

Nature wants to speak.

Greetings from Nature echoes everywhere.

Here's how nature commence her piece;

I, nature was perfectly created by the omnipotent creator,

Everything your eyes can see is given to you freely.

Everything that you hear gives music to your ears,

Everything you feel gives comfort to your being.

Most especially, Earth was created as your perfect abode.

On Earth, everything is present.

She's like a mother who gives everything her children needs.

All living creatures were created as your daily companion.

But, what did you do to them?

Were you a good steward of all this things?

I also give you light to shine on you 24/7.

I always keep you warm when you're cold.

I provided you with crystal clear water to quench your thirst.

But what did you do to me?

Did you preserved my beauty?

Now, don't blame me for all the catastrophe,

It's not because of me,

Its because of what you did to me.

Humans, I always care for you,

What I need Is for all of you to take care of me.

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"a Day Like This"

Once I walk on this narrow isle,
With winds that made the trees leaves waves.
With butterfly that goes by and by.
with crickets sounds that keeps whistling on my ears.
I love this one wondrous day.
It makes my spirit alive!
Be able to smell this fresh morning hay
Seeing the sun shine in its first ray..
I love it when its always like this!

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A Day To Ponder

When i no longer feel my heartbeat,
I sense the wind is getting into my skin,
It slowly blows and runs into my veins,
As i hear its soft whisper,
Suddenly, it awakens my senses.
As I hear scattered sounds everywhere,
I saw leaves lifted up in the air.
They're like catching one another.
As the dust follows its pattern,
Its direction I can hardly trace.
As I realized that I'm gasping for air,
I now feel my heart beating.
As I tried to regulate my heartbeat,
I now notice, I can only roll my eyeballs,
Then I happened to read a large sign that reads, 'E.R.'

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A Goodnight Haiku

I just close my eyes.

Wishing you here at my side.

In this so calm night.

You may not be here,

But as long as my heart beats,

Your presence I feel.

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An Ambitious Kite

One windy site,

Two kites are extremely excited for their first flight.

With a diamond body and an elongated tail.

Each boy holds their own kite.

Boys climb on a mountain top,

They throw the kite and release the string.

The two kites joyfully wiggle their tails.

Boys ran as fast as they can.

Higher, higher they uttered!

Up up the azure sky,

The two kites are dancing from up high.

From east to west,

North to south,

Up and down,

They sway and sway

Let the wind lead their way.

I noticed, one kite

that fly higher than the other kite.

It glides,

It wobbles,

Until it hits an electric wire.

The boy holding it shouted in dismay.

For he can no longer play,

While the other boy,

Still guiding his one humble kite.

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'Angel's Right'

Highest Mountain I climb,

Deepest Sea I dive,

Every problem I survive,

For you're always on my side.

In sadness, tears and anger,

Conscience fighting often.

My guardian Angel

Is my Comforter.

Storm will come,

Fear will weaken,

He'll be my shoulder-

My Guardian Angel.

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Because You're There

*As I looked back in those days of my life,

I'm grateful I made this far.

I may had once gloomy past,

But you're eternal light served as my guide.*

When I felt that I wanted to give up this fight,

Your love always lifted me up.

When I almost recede,

You are always there to revive my faith.

*As I looked back in those days of my life,

I'm grateful I made this far.

I may had once gloomy past,

But you're eternal light served as my guide.*

I may not had a lavished life,

But you're always there to provide.

To larrup all the odds of life,

My fortress is your steadfast love.

*As I looked back in those days of my life,

I'm grateful I made this far.

I may had once gloomy past,

But you're eternal light served as my guide.*

When I thought I had no one to turned to,

Unexpectedly You sent someone that reminded me of You.

Someone who forever changed my way of life.

He's You're way of assuring you're always there for me.

*As I looked back in those days of my life,

I'm grateful I made this far.

I may had once gloomy past,

But you're eternal light served as my guide.*

I asked Thee to help him with all his undertakings,

To bless him each day of his life,

Be with him as he continues to be an instrument of your love.

And to constantly reminds us You're always there for us.

Because you're there always watching us,
Teach us how to trust in your Love...

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Behind All This (A Mother's Love)

Behind all my pains,

You are always there to heal.

Behind all my failures,

You are always there to give me hope.

Behind all my triumphs,

You rejoice more than I do.

My mother, your love is overwhelming given without asking anything in return.

Before I speak,

You always know what I wanted to say to you.

With all my actions,

I want to show you how much I love you.

Dear mama,

My words are not enough to let you know.

For all my hurts,

you're heart is broken twice as I do.

For all my fears,

You are always there to give courage to continue.

For all my dreams,

You're always a beacon to push me through.

For all I accomplished,

I offer this all to you.

You may be behind all of this,

But, without you I am worthless.

Your words of wisdom are my strength.

Your loving care is the life you give.

You are my everything,

My Mom, My Mama, My Nanay.

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'Deep In Shade'

Once in this gloomy night,

A voice echoed from afar.

As one waddled and wallowed in this land;

No one knows what awaits them in the midland.

As one trembles to cross this navigable river;

He always tried not to fall.

This one hopeful wayfarer,

Never gives up to reach his goal.

One maybe a warmonger,

But never hesitates to be at peace with a stranger,

One maybe a wanton person,

But never forgets to wake up for a call.

There maybe a time that a vengeance will splurge,

This maybe because of a voracious nature;

But when one will triumphantly crosses this viaduct,

One will glow in the dark.

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Distant Love

Longing and waiting to be there with you
To comfort you when you're down,
To make you SmILe whe you FrOwn,
To let you know that I was made for YoU.

The feeling that I have for YoU was not so long AgO.
When I told you ' I IOvE yOu',
I'm loving the whole of you.

Everyday I'm waiting to hear your PiNg.
Hoping that you will remember to give me a RiNg.
To end this uncertain queries that I have in mind.
To know that you are fine-
eases my heavy load of worrying about you all the TiMe...

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Essence Of Love

Love begets love; hatred begets hatred!
But time will come that love begets hatred.
I wonder why this was so...
And why should I gripe it?

Love is such a wonderful feeling as I thought,
A feeling that will lift the ocean waves...
That only an expert surfer will know how to passed it.

Sometimes the love you want may not be the love you need.
The one that gives you strength may be the one that will make you weak.
The one you love may be the one will broke your heart apart.
But, worry not for someday someone will mend it back.

For when you let go of love, you'll know the essence of it.
That loving is not all joy but pain.
The joy that you feel will not be paid by any material wealth.
And pain will make you appreciate the real essence of love -
A wondrous emotion that makes your heartbeat is incomparable
Knowing that someone truly cares.
A love that is found may not be a love that is meant for you.
For the essence of love is loving someone without regret.

If pain is over, you'll taste the bitter sweet emotions of loving.

A feeling that will make you realize that love gives color to life!

And in your memory it's like an overflowing river that is full of queries and
mysteries.

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Finding My Way

In my deepest solitude...
Memories flashed in my mind;
My experiences, my struggles, my family, and my Happiness.
With all I recalled, I felt so empty inside.

I'm craving for something
Which until now remains hidden inside
I had various questions....
But don't know where and when to start and to end...
Sometimes it perplexed me
Sometimes it bothers me.
I think it's all about life's Journey.

Somehow, today I'm glad that someone touches my barren heart;
Do you know who He is?
Its Jesus, the King of kings, Lord of lords and the most compassionate and
merciful being that ever lived and will forever live.
He who guides me in my dark path, He who loves me for who I am, He who
teaches me how to trust, how to live life as wonderful as I had first this kind of
life.
He who comforts me when I'm down and weary, when I found no one to turn to
and talk about me, He who knows me before I was born.
Oh! How Grateful I am to know Him and share His Kindness and Great Love to
my fellowmen!

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Fix Your Eyes On Me

When I kneel down to pray,

I look at your image in your altar of shame and blame.

With my eyes fix on you today,

I want to let your eyes to always see me.

As my gesture of desperation;

I'm here because I have no one to talk to.

When I continuously stare at you,

I realize you never take your eyes off me;

Everyday of my life,

You always follow me wherever I go,

I soar and wonder in this battlefield;

I bow my head and pay my great reverence,

To your greatness and continued guidance each day of my life.

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How Can I Not..

How can i not love you,

when all the things I wanted is in you..

How can I not love you,

when you showed me that love changed you.

How can I not love you,

When everything that I know of love I found in you.

How can I not love you,

When you're there always showing me what real love is.

How can I not love you,

When I think of Love, I think of you.

How can I not Love you,

When in everything I How can i not love you,

when all the things I wanted is in you..

How can I not love you,

when you showed me that love changed you.

How can I not love you,

When everything that I know of love I found in you.

How can I not love you,

When you're there always showing me what real love is.

How can I not love you,

When I think of Love, I think of you.

How can I not Love you,

When in everything I do, I did it for you.

How can I not love you,

When everytime I hear you, my heart leaps for joy.

How can I not Love you,

When you showed me what real love can do.

How can I not Love you,

When I'm writing this for you.

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In This Wall

IN THIS WALL

Inch by inch,

End to end

Your flat surface I feel

It's somewhat rough

But hard as a sword of cipher.

I paste and paste

The papers that will make you glow

Piece by piece

I join you

To make you look colorful as the rainbow.

Day by day

You hide me from my misery,

You protect me from my enemy,

I may become a hag someday

But you're always there to cover me.

My great wall, your sides comfort me.

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My Farewell

Thrice I tried to take flight,
To test my might.
In this dark solemn night.
To take one big stride in my journey called life,
Many times I falter but you put me under the care of your wings.

In my first day you gladly welcome me.
As days go by, I found a home far from home.
Various friends I met in your class room.
Everyday of my life I joyfully fit in.
Days and days passed we harmoniously blend.

In your mantle, I found my circle of friends;
Laughter we shared everyday,
Teasing and caring for each other each step of the way.
Capturing every minute of our day,
Picture taking is what makes us happy.

From sunset,
To sunrise.
We gladly spend.
You smile, I smile.
As if it will never end.

Hanging out,
Drinking beers,
Saying cheers.
But we never forget,
The reasons we're together.

Threesome
Awesome
Until Six and seven some...

Together we take on an exciting adventure.
Loving and being with nature.

As we're racing this fast pacing time,
Little do I know,
I need somewhere to go.
When life seems to have forlorn hope
I need to find a stable place as my cot.

Now, its time for me to bid farewell.
The laughter and some tears,
I will always cherish,
I want to say thank you for all your loving care.
So long my friends! ! !

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My Hanky

In an array,

My Hanky are displayed,

You're in different colors,

And you always serve your purpose.

You dried my sweat,

You blow away my fears,

You cover my wounds,

You're my shield.

It maybe hidden in my pocket,

But it always came out

Every time I need it.

To wipe my tears,

Calm my fears,

Heal my pains.

My hanky,

That's how it serves me.

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My Hidden Friend

Searching for a friend
-is easy to pretend.
Selecting a true friend,
-is very hard to determine.

Someone you can trust
-with your secrets she can kept.
She's righteously frank
In a way she doesn't like it.

I'm grateful for my friend!
My real friend!
Whenever I need her,
She's always there to be my comforter

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My Pen, My Bestfriend

Every time I take hold of you,

I feel something new.

In this piece of paper that eagerly waits,

An ample of words I can write through you.

In my every works of art,

You're my confidant.

In my every draw

You gladly follow,

In my every stroke,

You willingly make your move.

What am I without you?

My pen, my best friend,

When my emotions overflow,

You're there to help me show.

In my every thought,

You're always there to decode them too.

My dear pen, Thanks to you!

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Prize Of Fame

With all the hardships I did;

Its time to reap the fruits of my deed.

Overwhelmed with my pride;

Feeling viciously happy for a while.

As I look on the roadside;

My beautiful faces are displayed.

Hanged in a huge billboard,

That once fold will be forgotten in time.

As I go on to the other side of the road,

An ample of my fans symbolize my fame.

The many screams I hear

It lessens my shame.

As I pace forward to another avenue,

I realized I'm in an adjustable cell.

It stretches to places I wanted to go,

But where's the exit gate?

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Reminiscing...

In my inmost being,
I kept on wondering,
On people's on my surrounding,
As drops of crying rain.

Their voice sounds like a buzzing bee.
Their personality is vague as a tea.
Sometimes I used to plea
As a source of remedy.

Life is such a mystery,
Can't be understood clearly,
Despite of my curiosity,
It left an unveil reality...

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Shy Moon

Star light,

Bus light,

Where's the moonlight?

In this calm cold night.

I gaze and gaze,

Walk and walk,

But still I can't see your light,

Where are you tonight In this calm cold night?

Don't you want to show your light?

In this wide cottony sky,

I can see only the stars that sparkles from up high,

Where are you shining tonight?

I gaze and gaze,

Hope and hope,

Where's the moonlight?

Why can't I see your light?

I gaze and gaze,

Hiss and hiss,

Wait and wait,

So sad, you're still hiding from afar.

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Sister At Heart

As you came out from afar,

Your radiant smile, reveals the true beauty of your heart.

You maybe out of my reach,

But because of the propinquity of our thoughts,

You became my sister at heart.

For all the special days you wrote on my page,

The thought of it gives food to my heart.

With everything you did,

You always painted a sun on my face.

Don't you ever forget, you will always be my sister at heart.

If Kitty is your favorite buddy,

You are one gifted lady.

You maybe stubborn for sometime,

But, your sincerity defines your authenticity.

My sister at heart, you will always stay forever in my heart.

For decade,

I had this longings in my heart,

To be in your place,

Give you my hug,

And be with you, my sister at heart.

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So Bless

So bless,

I want to sing an unending praise,

So bless,

fire in my heart continually burning

So bless,

I want to share my blessings.

So bless,

I can surpass all hindrances that life may bring.

So bless,

I need your guidance to make good use of all this

blessings..

So bless...I am so bless...

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Space

I wonder what's in that place?

The Aliens,

The Stars,

And all things in the space that comprises the universe.

In a hubble space telescope,

I can see the wonders of your Heavenly bodies.

And it mystifies me!

Space, I want to be in your surface.

Each night you reveal your magnificent beauty.

The constellation of the stars, amaze me!

Will I be fill If I'll use small dipper when I drink?

Specially I like to watch the one that looks like a rosary.

Space, something tells me,

You're beauty is far more than just a discovery.

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Thunderbolt

In the abyss of my thought,

I saw a thunderbolt.

It draws a crooked line in the firmament,

And sounds like a deafening agape.

When your whip strikes,

A sturdy tree will die.

Every time you rumble,

My eardrum will fall.

When nature's in rage,

Everything will be sweep.

If mankind don't take hold of it,

Everything will perish.

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Ticket For A Dream

For all their yearnings,

They're one step ahead to fulfill their dreams.

They packed their things,

Yet sobbing.

What awaits them in the land of dreams?

Holding their tickets,

A ticket that will make their dreams a reality.

They traveled a thousand miles,

Be able to ride the cotton clouds,

And fly like fireflies in the sky.

For a thousand winks,

A hundred yawns,

For tenths of stretches,

They now make their first step-

To achieve their lifelong dreams.

When they reached there,

Some fit in, Some didn't

Some survived, Some died,

Some left traces,

Some just passed by.

Desolation is their foe,

Wandering in a so cold place,

Their love one's images,

And their memories

Are all they need to feat their loneliness.

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Until My Last Breath...

I've been to the four corners of the earth.

I went to the majestic places in the west.

I traveled to the coldest places in the north pole.

And I went down to the farthest south pole.

** I spent my whole life

Searching for this special someone.

Someone that will make me whole again.

Until my last breath.

I've been to many places.

I met various races.

Mingled with stunning beautiful faces.

But I can't find this one special phrase.

Now that I came to my senses,

I wanted to feel your sweet embrace.

Though I may not be given that grace,

But I will look for you until my last breath.

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What Day Is Today?

What day is today?

Sometimes we asked...

With our life's in routine;

We sometimes notice time is so fast.

Our pace is sometimes faster than the tic tac of the clock

Every morning we rise up,

Greet our love ones,

Take a bath,

Prepared for their breakfast,

Check the kids if they all set up,

Go to work,

Then evening came,

Another day passed,

Rooster crows,

Welcoming another blissful morning,

But we sometimes ask, WHAT DAY IS TODAY?

We spent times with friends,

We went on mountain trails,

We surf the ocean waves,

We soar like vulture's in the sky,

We watch movies,

Spent most of the times with our computers.

With all these,

Can we still remember all our friends full names and their birthdays?

Or can we still remember how many times we yawn in a day?

If we can't, we will continually ask, WHAT DAY IS TODAY?

Did we even bother to say;

Thank you God for every minute of our lives?

Thank you for every breath that we're taking,

Thank you for the good health that we're enjoying,

Thank you for our dear friends who never stop caring,

Thank you for all the gifts that we're sharing,

Thank you for everything that life brings.

If we did, Its time to mark our calendar,

Today and for every coming days is for the GLORY OF GOD! .

HAVE A GREAT DAY EVERYONE! ! !

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When I'M Down

When I'm down and tired,

I lay in my bed with thoughts about you..

Feeling alone I want to see you in that rainbow.

Longing to be there next to you.

*When I'm down,

When I lost my way to you.

When I'm down,

You're always there to lift me through,

And I put my trust in you.

As I continue to travel in this world of strangers,

As I fight to face my fears.

For all this, I feel your presence.

When I'm down,

When I lost my way to you.

When I'm down,

You're always there to lift me through,

And I put my trust in you.

Now I know, why I walk bravely each day.

Knowing you're always there to guide me.

And never will I be afraid to fall again.

`coz when I'm down

You're always there to hold me.

Even in my most trying times,

You're always there to lift my spirit high.

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X & Y

In the slope of time, X and Y collide.

Where M & B designate constant,

The variable X is multiplied by a constant one.

To form sets of solutions in a straight line.

If M determines the gradient of that line,

Constant term B determines the point which the line crosses y axis.

If x-intercept x coordinate is form.

If y-intercept, y coordinate of the point crosses y axis.

Since linear equation can't contain products of distinct or equal variables,

Nor any power other than one,

A non-linear equation will be found.

To determine a straight line, a graph must be drawn.

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You, In My Dream...

Despite the numbness of my being,

I tried to opened the portals of my dream.

No matter how impossible it seemed,

But, I'll always wanted you to be a part of my every dream.

Every time I closed my eyes,

I tried to free my mind.

We may be miles apart,

But, I felt that you're close to my heart.

Every time I wonder,

How is it like to be with you in a dream?

It made me ponder,

And I wanted to think of you twenty four / seven.

With my eyes shut tight,

I tried to open this shuttered mind.

Merging this thoughts of mine,

Now and for always – you that I find.

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