

Poetry Series

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# A Prayer

Dear Lord this is my prayer  
You sent me an angel,  
I fell in love  
She doesn't wish to know me  
We are still apart  
Why tempt me and test me  
When you know my heart  
This burden I endure  
And true I remain  
Grant me I pray, give me her heart.

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# A Prayer To God

Grant me patience to love without doubt  
To support and be there for the one I love  
Test me as you will, help me steadfast to stay  
I promise to honor and respect her throughout the remainder of my days Grant  
me her heart, the wisdom to know what is right,  
Help me give her what she needs  
Grant that she knows, the depth of my love, without doubt  
That is all I ask Lord  
You gave me so much already  
I met her for a reason I'm sure  
Such an angel I couldn't have envisaged, with a soul so deep  
I only have one wish  
That we grow old together and someday  
Both of us meet at your heavenly gates for eternity.

Holly Moon

# Adios

I decided to say adios  
I built a wall  
To protect my heart  
from you

his silence is killing me  
I need to talk

But steadfast I'm going to be  
Since you do ignore me

You take me for granted  
You just call when you need

Not to say hi, how are you  
It's pretty obvious,  
now I see  
You don't have any feelings for me.

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# All Day Long

From sunrise to sunset  
From one cloud to another  
All day long  
Be it cloudy or fine  
I'm thinking of you.

Sunrise bring me hope  
Which lasts all day long  
As night falls  
And the moon rises  
My wishes turn to dreams of you.

The stars in the sky  
Are witnesses to my loving you  
So constantly and truly  
All day and night long  
'Cos even if you don't see them  
They are there witnessing  
My very thoughts.

Our paths were written in the stars  
From time immemorial  
No accident was our meeting  
It was meant to be.

Have courage, give me a call  
I will not run after you any more  
It's your decision to make  
Mine was made the day we met  
The minute I told you how I felt  
You ran out the door.

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# Anger

Why are you so angry with me?  
What have I ever done except honor thee?  
Have I not always been there for you?  
No matter what the time?  
Easier to be angry,  
Better than facing me,  
Or facing you.

Does your anger cover fear?  
What do you fear from me?  
Do you judge me falsely?  
Do you judge me true?  
Since when do you play God?

Is this irritating you?  
Too bad, if it is,  
Don't blame me for what I write,  
I don't blame you for how you act,  
You might not know better,  
Judging you would only make me feel bad.

So instead I choose to love you,  
To honor you instead,  
What use is anger to me,  
No good would it do me.

I don't wish to get sick,  
Or to go mad,  
I've learnt to let go,  
Of all that's bad.

Don't dare call me weak,  
Because of how I act,  
Let me tell you weak I'm not,  
So better think twice,  
Before you cast your dice,  
Make sure to win Be strong and smile.

I know your anger hides something deeper,

You're afraid to face,  
A weakness or fear,  
Maybe love, no less,  
Think about that!

They say the opposite of love is hate,  
Not I though,  
The opposite of love is indifference.

So the more you hate me the better,  
Wish you to hate me more,  
The more you hate me the more you love me,  
Therefore you're welcome to hate me more!

Hate me more,  
Hate me do,  
Hate me forever, as long as you're true.

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# Artificial Intelligence

Artificial Intelligence,  
Now what is that?  
Does it refer to me?  
Now I do wonder,  
I guess it does,  
Nothing original,  
All handed down.

First it's language,  
Then it's lore,  
Customs or habits  
With a twist,  
To make them mine,  
Now what intelligence,  
Worthy to be call such,  
Would accept,  
The concept,  
To be treated as such.

We are molded,  
And formed,  
With no real choices,  
We look at monkeys,  
And are amazed,  
How clever they are,  
As clever as us.

What intelligence is that,  
To be a mirror,  
Like the rest,  
We call robots,  
Artificial intelligence,  
Don't we know,  
We also qualify for that!

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# Attitude

Does my calmness bother you,  
Would it be better if I freaked,  
Instead of being understanding,  
Of your needs.

Would you rather, I was brash,  
Would you feel better if I used,  
Harsh language to get through to you,  
You'd have an excuse to leave.

I am the way I am,  
If you don't like me, leave,  
I'm tired of trying to please.

It's about time,  
You made an effort,  
No more silly games will I play,  
If you don't like it, you can leave.

I would be better off,  
With someone who cares,  
Someone who shares my needs,  
You are only interested in control,  
In getting your needs.

I've had enough,  
I'm now immune,  
I'm too angry to care,  
Too even try,  
I't over,  
So over,  
So please,  
Just leave.

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## Basic Needs

We hunger for so many things,  
For someone to truly love,  
For money it's called greed,  
But the rich know not what it means,  
To hunger for food,  
Such a basic need,  
Like the poor homeless man on the street.

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# Be Mine

I loved you before I met you.  
I met you and loved you more.

To everyone we're one,  
Only we are playing,  
This senseless game,  
Of single and fine.

Alone we yearn for courage,  
to admit our love.  
I know you love me,  
Even if you say you don't,  
I know you've been hurt,  
And find it hard,  
To trust.

We're wasting time,  
Life is short.

The distance we choose to put between us,  
Isn't going to change how we feel.  
Let's be honest,  
Can't be worse than how we feel apart.

I promise to love you forever.  
I have loved you for so long already, apart.

Are you afraid I won't love you when I know you better?  
Do you think true love will ever die?

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# Benevolent Heart

Benevolent heart  
Capacious nature  
Forbearance your forte  
Sometimes brusque  
Superfluous never.

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# Brand New Day

I woke up at 5,  
My first thought of her,  
Wonder if she's asleep,  
If she's had a goodnight.

I sit in front of my pc,  
Preparing for work,  
I have a few minutes,  
To write this before work.

I wonder what the day will bring,  
If she will call?  
If I'll be rushed off my feet,  
Too busy to miss her?  
Or if thoughts of her will peep,  
Like the sun behind the clouds.

I haven't had my tea yet,  
So I'm going to rush off for that.  
Nice day to all,  
In 5 minutes I'll be gone.

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# Changing Jobs

You said you're going to move,  
Starting a new job,  
I didn't comment,  
But I do wish you well.

The thought of your leaving,  
Is like a knife in my heart,  
I cannot say I'll miss you,  
Even if it's breaking my heart.

Don't want to sound needy,  
Don't wish you to think me bad,  
Or trying to hold you back,  
It's just hard for me to miss you,  
I hurts too bad.

I always knew, it would come to this,  
One day,  
I never thought the day would be near,  
I won't bear it if I lose you,  
But lose you, I will.

Work is so engrossing,  
You will not keep in touch,  
Working together,  
Even now,  
It's hard,  
To keep in touch.

I wish to speak but cannot cope,  
With telling you I'll miss you,  
My heart is breaking,  
I can't bear to see you go,  
I wish to say it,  
But you'll think me weak.

I'm writing it down,  
Who knows I might send it,  
Then if you do think me weak,

I won't hear it in your voice,  
Spare me that irritation,  
You'll feel.

I wish you well,  
Success,  
And all you wish for.

I'm not going to say it,  
But I'll write it down,  
Hope you'll keep in touch,  
I wish it so much.

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# Cheese

Salty kefalotiri

Is not creamy like laughing cow

Which spreads easily on bread

Cheddar with ham in toast is nice

Edam less fattening I like

Blue spreads if warm and a tasty spread it makes

Ricotta is also considered a low fat cheese

In pastizzi it's typically Maltese

The world over re-known

Of cheese beware, it's fattening I'm told.

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# Chemicals In A Frame

If we're but chemicals in a frame,  
How come we judge,  
Make different choices,  
Take decisions,  
Perhaps there's more to it than that!

Now as to the laws of attraction,  
Perhaps we attract the chemicals  
That give us balance  
For those of us who are balanced.

The unbalanced  
Might have made bad choices  
Not knowing which chemicals to choose,  
Alas we're not all scientists with a degree.

It's hit and miss  
Or more miss than hit  
No wonder the world is in such \*\*\*t.

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# Cold Hearts

Not oceans  
Not mountains  
Nor valleys  
Or seas,  
Galaxies or space  
Can separate two hearts who love.

Two hearts turned cold,  
Though near,  
Do what oceans can never do,  
Distance is measured in feeling,  
Or lack of,  
Not miles or light years  
How strange is that.

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# Confidence

You sweep in like a queen,  
Giving orders,  
Here and there,  
Taking no nonsense as you say,  
It's urgent, do it now.

Your arrogance is unsurpassed,  
As if I'm here waiting for your call.

It's an act, I know,  
I allow you to do your thing,  
Small things make you happy,  
It's so easy to please you.

Some lessons I have learnt,  
Alas, that is the only thing to do,  
Some frown in anger,  
See your act for fact,  
I know better,  
And don't react,  
You're acting confident,  
But it's just an act.

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# Destiny?

Are we free to choose?  
Or have the paths already been hewn?  
Long before we walk them  
Destined to be  
You and Me

The stage was set  
Long before we met  
I knew your heart  
The first time I heard your voice

I challenged you from that first time  
Testing you all the time  
Perhaps you knew this  
Being wise  
You never fell for it, not once.

Stronger than me in more ways than one  
Yet more vulnerable too  
I have to tread carefully  
Lest you're testing me too.

The first time we met,  
I was surprised it was you.  
How perfectly lucky, it was you.

I couldn't have made you if I tried  
There must be a God, don't you see,  
You're perfect for me.

Or silly me believes I'm lucky  
When all it is, is gullibility  
Perhaps you see me as I am  
Weak and vulnerable  
And use me at your will.

Always doubting my luck,  
That's me. Is this my destiny?

I reach out to you  
But you keep your distance,  
With your hard and fast rules  
No budging, not an inch  
No contact after hours

What am I to do.  
Win your heart I can't  
It's your my I have to win  
Trust is an issue with you.

Give me a chance  
To prove I'm worthy  
I'm loyal and true.  
Patient as well, even if you can't tell.

So here I am not missing you  
Hoping one day,  
Maybe soon  
You'll see me and think, I've been missing something  
Someone, ahh it's you.

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# Don'T Go There

Don't go there with your thoughts  
You'll be caught in a trap of your own making  
And you'll be back at the bottom of the pit  
With thoughts of hope trying to win her heart.

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# Dreaming

I wonder what you're doing  
This fine morning  
Me not thinking of you  
For sure...

Wonder if you're sitting with a pen in hand  
Or sweeping to your hearts' content  
Wonder if you're rushing here and there  
Or at the hairdresser doing your hair  
No, that's Friday, I recall  
That much I know  
A regular appointment  
To keep up appearance  
No hair out of place  
Or at your mum's for lunch  
As you do none of that stuff  
It's no wonder you're rushing here and there  
Perhaps afraid to be alone  
As you might recall  
Those who you normally forget  
Like me for instance  
Or thoughts that bother you  
Like questions about life  
See I do know you a bit  
I might even see deeper  
But I'm not saying \*\*\*t.

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# Emotions

Your emotions are deep,  
I can feel them in your voice,  
So raw is your emotion,  
Wish I could feel like that.

Wish I could reach in to your soul,  
Swim in your depths,  
Nothing else I'd rather do,  
Let me do just that.

You're one of a kind,  
Never met anyone like that,  
Wish I felt your love,  
As I do your hate,  
Your impatience with me,  
So raw and tangible,  
So real, I love that.

I'm totally opposite,  
I play cool,  
It's an act as I don't wish to look a fool,  
I'm afraid I'm not worthy,  
I'm afraid I'm too weak,  
I'm afraid to come on too strong,  
I'm afraid of rejection,  
I'm afraid to move on.

Wish I could win your heart,  
What am I to do.

Holly Moon

# Games People Play

We used to be so close,  
Like pages in a book.

Time changes everything.  
Or is it that we change over time?

My feelings for you have not changed  
Though they have been tamed.

Somehow I see you differently  
You seem to have moved away  
Or so I think  
Until I protest and tell you to let me be.

Then you try to get close,  
But for me it's too late.

I've lost my trust,  
My belief in you.  
My doubts are pushing me away from you.

I don't like to be played,  
I'm not a tune.  
My feelings are now hidden,  
Away from view.

You may ask if I miss you?  
Sure I do.  
If I think of you as much as I used to do?  
For sure, I do.  
But will I let it show, most certainly no!  
I'm afraid of being hurt.  
I don't dare tempt fate  
Like I used to do.

I showed my feelings too early perhaps.  
Perhaps you didn't believe,  
Or didn't care.  
Don't tell me that now you do!

I hate these games people play,  
They are not for me.  
I'm a simple soul.  
I know me and what I want.

I trust easily,  
But if you hurt me beware,  
No second chances with me.  
I won't dare.

So if you love me let me know.  
And if you don't know, let me go.  
Or tell me to wait,  
Don't play silly games,  
Letting me try to read your mind.

I don't assume anything,  
Unlike you who tries to guess,  
I'm lazy,  
Give me facts.

Mysteries drive me crazy,  
If you play games, I will too,  
But my games will be cruel  
As I will be so cold with you.

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# Gathering Storms

I'm having coffee,  
You're having tea,  
On many things,  
We don't agree,  
We talk at once,  
No consideration,  
Driving each other crazy.

Our worlds don't meet,  
We live apart,  
Make no effort to bridge,  
The distance apart.

We think we are friends,  
Or play pretend,  
Both know it will end,  
Rather sooner than later,  
If we don't make amends.

We were friends,  
Or so we thought,  
Until one day,  
Something went wrong,  
We started to despise each other,  
No specific reason to be sure,  
But something was wrong.

We grew apart,  
No longer reaching out,  
I don't know what,  
It was that caused,  
The rift that grew,  
Too wide to bridge,  
Waters running too deep,  
We drowned, afloat,  
We couldn't keep.

I reached out with an oar,  
Which you broke over my head.

That was too much to take,  
So I let you drift out in the storm.

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# Golden Eyes

You sat beside me and then you turned, I forget why.  
I looked into your beautiful golden eyes surprised  
Those three seconds will forever be with me  
You turned in confusion  
Rushed off to hide  
So typical of you to hide your feelings  
Lest someone might know your mind!

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# Gossip

I heard you name mentioned,  
Behind your back,  
Bad mouthing you,  
Behind you back,  
I couldn't bear to listen,  
My temper was rising,  
I wished to speak,  
But held back,  
I knew it would be no use,  
They'd just turn on me,  
This verbal abuse,  
This cowardly act,  
I wished to stand up,  
And tell them this was no way to act,  
I sat down and bowed my head,  
All I could do was vanish,  
So as not to act.

I felt small and all alone,  
I wished to cover your back,  
I was standing alone,  
Ignorant how best to act.

Holly Moon

# Happiness

I was once sitting in a bus  
At a terminus if you please  
Out of the blue this feeling  
I never had before  
And for no reason at all  
Absolute happiness  
No thought, no reason at all  
So now I have to say  
Happiness must be a chemical fluke  
In the brain that day  
Because there was no reason  
And I was so happy, unreasonably so.

This lasted for a few minutes  
I was floating on air  
Alas that feeling so rare  
Never was again.

I remember it so well  
I captured it like on film  
But alas I have no control to play it again.

Holly Moon

# Happy Birthday

Hi Stranger  
Long time no chat  
Guess you prefer it like that  
Saw too much of you  
For so long  
Now I hardly miss you  
Just wish to say  
Happy Birthday  
Just in case  
I forget  
When you're back home  
Wish you well  
Even if I don't see you  
Adios.

Holly Moon

# I Came Upon Your Write

I came upon your write,  
With some delight.  
Wishing to know you more,  
I read and read some more.

Mysterious and secret As ever,  
Hints yes,  
whole truth never.

I walked the length of your verse,  
Even the terse,  
Perhaps the shorter The better.

Your heart has been broken,  
That much I gathered.  
Have faith and trust,  
It's better.

You may have been unfortunate,  
But don't let that set you back,  
You're a man of courage,  
Even I can see that.

Forget the past,  
Look to the future,  
With bright eyes  
And confident smile.

Trust me a bit,  
You owe me that,  
You might be wary,  
But sure not to regret.

I have your interests at heart  
That much you can trust.  
Don't let me down,  
Give me a chance,  
We'll both be happy  
You'll see. Trust me.

Don't be short and rude,  
Test me if you will,  
Patience is my forte,  
Don't you see,  
It's been so long  
Waiting for you to trust  
More I'll wait,  
If I must.

Don't grumble for lack of love,  
If you have it and don't trust,  
You can't push people away,  
And have them too,  
It doesn't work that way.

Risk is to take,  
Lose is to win.  
It's all about give and take,  
Not take and take.

Once bitten twice shy,  
But who can say,  
They never hurt another,  
Even if they're saint,  
Just doesn't work that way.

I phone and call,  
I sms too,  
Ignore me you did,  
And still do,  
What am I to do  
To get through to you?

You are so right,  
Relationships are trouble,  
But if you're lucky to have one,  
Take it on the double.

It's good if you treat it well,  
And it has to be forgive and forget,  
No regrets,

'Cos if you look back,  
It's either all roses or despair,  
Depends on your outlook  
If the glass is half empty or  
Half full.

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# I Cannot Decide

How I should act

I think I know  
But I doubt as well

I have a feeling  
You feel the same

But for reasons I know  
You don't act on how you feel

Choosing to hide  
Don't know how long you will survive

Choosing to push me away  
Even if you feel you shouldn't

Preferring to act for the crowd  
Even if you're losing out.

I want to hold you  
Never let you go

Take my hand and don't look back  
To seek approval of your mum and dad

By the time they'll give it  
I'll probably be dead

On the otherhand they might approve  
If you see how happy you can be

It's a risk you'll have to take  
If it's good for you to be with me.

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# I Need To Speak

We have to speak,  
We must,  
I try to start,  
But you're busy,  
You don't want to hear,  
More like,  
What I have to say,  
Or aren't ready,  
With a retort,  
Of your own.

I give you time,  
So much time,  
Yet I have to speak,  
Sometime.

I cannot start,  
You won't listen,  
All I need is a minute,  
Too much to ask?

This isn't going anywhere,  
Is what I wish to say,  
Something has to change,  
This isn't my place,  
I feel frustrated,  
So insecure,  
I need attention.

Don't turn away,  
Do something else,  
To avoid a subject,  
I wish to speak.

If you cannot give,  
What I need,  
Be honest and tell me,  
How you feel.

If you're unsure,  
And need time,  
ay so and we'll see,  
But don't play games with me.

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# I Realize

At last,  
Finally,  
I realize,  
You're not good for me,  
Adios my friend.

Don't text,  
Don't call,  
Don't reach out to me,  
I've had enough,  
Of the games you play,  
It's over,  
Never was,  
Never will be.

I thought you were too good for me,  
Well truth is, I'm too good for you.

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# I Remember When

It was one of those days  
As busy as ever  
Rushing here and there  
Trying to meet  
Deadlines that were pre-set  
Typical me, doing too much  
Being stressed  
The phone rang and I wasn't in the mood  
For another time waster  
I was abrasive and a bit rude  
The other was silky and smooth  
This struck me at once  
How could she be so sweet  
When I'm being such an a\*\*\*  
I was so impressed  
I wondered who she was  
What age and status  
Ahh alas it's a one off  
But she rang again  
On other matters  
This time I was nicer  
I yearned to hear that voice so much  
Months passed quiet a few  
I changed jobs and guess what  
The first person I met  
On my first day  
Was her of the voice on the line  
You can imagine my surprise  
When she told me her name  
I couldn't stop looking at her eyes  
How lucky am I  
And what an a\*\*\* I was  
I'll never forget that voice over the phone  
And how bad I behaved that day  
Today we're friends and hope for more  
If she can ever forgive me, I hope  
I know I'm lucky to have met  
My one and only angel  
I wonder what she'd think

If she knew how I feel.

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# I Turn To Ice

Your talk  
Your actions,  
Provoke my anger,  
So called friend.

Don't provoke me,  
Unless you wish,  
To turn my heart cold  
Unfeeling  
Self-protective  
Distant,  
Ice Cold.

You never show regret  
Never say sorry,  
Pretend all is ok,  
Well it's not,  
Not this time,  
Enough is Enough.

I'm taking a stand,  
Till you apologize,  
I'll stay away  
Maybe forever  
If need be.

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# If Only

If only you didn't just fantasize,  
But spoke to me  
Such words as I wish to hear,  
The mediterranean waves  
Would carry me to your arms.

I'd wake up to your whispers,  
Enchanted by your many charms.  
If the gentle-wafting wind  
Could breeze you to my bed,  
Our longing lips would kiss and kiss,  
In hungry emotions wed.

Your scarlet love does linger in my heart.  
We can live our dulcet dreams,  
Not constantly live in fantasies,  
Never, ever be apart.

We could be together,  
Watching the starlit sky,  
Blissful destiny,  
Forever,  
I'd hold your hand,  
My lover and best friend.  
My listener,  
My passion and only romance.

I'd love you to infinity,  
Till universes' ends.

If we could be together  
Not just dream of gossamer vast sands,  
Nor threaded silken sheets,  
On palm trees' lands.

We could hear the sweetest sounds  
Of shells and corals play.

I long to hear you whisper my name,

To hear your dulcet tones  
Play with my heart everyday.

If I could turn my face,  
And find you looking my way,  
With that deep thoughtful look  
Which captures my heart,  
You'd always find me by your side,  
Not just today, but tomorrow and forever  
To brighten your day!

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# Inconsiderate People

Inconsiderate people,  
You find them everywhere,  
Be it in the family,  
So called friends,  
Neighbors,  
Work Colleagues,  
Dog walkers and so on.

If there's one thing I don't tolerate  
Is how some think that what is your is theirs too  
No consideration  
They just take and do as they please  
Without a by your leave!

I'm raging,  
I'm furious,  
My water's been shut off,  
By a neighbor if you please,  
Not once,  
But twice, as if once was not enough!

He needed to do the roof,  
But failed to consider,  
The needs of others,  
Flushing our water  
What a waste,  
Such arrogance,  
I can't fathom,  
How some think they can get away,  
Without a by your leave!

You'd think he would say  
The second time around,  
Alas, it didn't come to mind,  
Of course, it wasn't him,  
To suffer the inconvenience,  
Otherwise all hell will break loose,  
For the inconvenience!

Should I be patient and wait?  
Go for a walk to calm down?  
Sulking and fury isn't any use,  
Won't help to get the job done!  
And now I've caused you to frown!

Perhaps you're remembering a similar case  
Of neighborly inconvenience,  
Seems we never learn,  
Respect.

He's just made my day!

Holly Moon

# It Takes All-Sorts

It takes all sorts  
To make the world go round  
But for me  
It's your soft center  
Your chocolate brown eyes  
With orange filling  
Or mint breath  
Not the hard bites  
That drives me nuts.

Holly Moon

# Judgemental Me!

When she's busy she's engrossed,  
Thinks of no-one at all.  
Work, work, work,  
And all on ignore.

I'm the same you know.  
But do I even consider this,  
When my only thought is a loss so deep,  
And the nagging feeling that she doesn't care,  
For if she did she'd call.

I decide to call,  
She's busy and brushes me off,  
Without a second thought,  
But now I'm no longer mad,  
I feel bad for being such a fool,  
She's always sweet to me,  
Even when she's rushed,  
She doesn't hang up before,  
She's sure that I'm not fussed.

Sometimes I'm a pain,  
Nothing to gain,  
I need too much attention,  
Her attention span is short,  
She's busy,  
She doesn't want to know.

I know we both feel the same,  
We could have been twins,  
In some ways,  
Most ways,  
Until we clash on silly matters.

We don't do regret We just move on.  
It's not important,  
More urgent matters.

I've not heard from her for so long,

Long for me is counted in hours not days or years,  
It's like we're on different planets,  
All down due to work,  
But it's always like that,  
I called to ask if we've quarrelled,  
She was busy,  
Her reply, short and sweet,  
If you can call it that,  
Another day,  
I'm exhausted, Hungry and overloaded with work.

I said great,  
You've brushed me off again,  
Well fine, ok.

I'm sorry I cause her such disturbance,  
I do honestly regret,  
My insecurity and judgements,  
Am I wrong to expect,  
To be more important then work!

Till next time,  
Same old routine.  
One day I might scream!

Holly Moon

# Life's Lessons

You sweep in like a queen  
Giving orders, here and there  
Taking no nonsense as you say,  
It's urgent, I need it now.

Your arrogance is unsurpassed  
As if I'm here waiting for your call.

It's an act, I know.  
I allow you to do your thing.

Small things make you happy,  
Yes, I'm laughing at you.

So easy to please you.  
I'm harder to please.

I don't expect much of you  
I just let you be.

A time will come,  
You have to grow at your own pace,  
See I'm patient, even if it doesn't show.

I know what's important and what is not.

You think you're manipulating me,  
Perhaps I let you think so,  
But the greater manipulator, is me  
Who will let you grow.

Don't believe I'm weak, I am not.  
I have learnt to be flexible, that way I won't break.

Some lessons I have learnt,  
Alas, that is the only thing to do,  
Life's trials make us strong, unless the break us before.

## Holly Moon

# Likes

I like  
To capture  
Sunlight  
Shadows  
Smiles within  
No frown please  
On film.

I wish to capture  
Your face  
In every mood  
But alas it's cameras you hate  
You run from me  
Sadly I have no choice  
But to give in.

I wish to capture your heart  
Your dreams  
Your essence  
On Film  
But alas you're camera shy  
No chance  
I'd ever win.

Holly Moon

# Living

The sun rises and sets  
I wake, eat, work, love and rest  
Full circle tomorrow another day

Flowers rise up and bloom  
Sneezing, wheezing, asthma, itching and heavy breathing  
Spring blows in the wind

Seaside full of naked bodies  
Swimming, sunbathing, Blistering, tanning and sand everywhere  
Summer heat rising off the sand

Colours change, leaves fall down  
The weather is colder, warmer clothes wear  
Autumn brings rain down everywhere

It's freezing cold and snowing  
Chimney fires keep us warm and cosy  
In winter everything freezes over.

Holly Moon

# Lost

I seem to have misplaced you,  
I look for you everywhere,  
Here and there,  
I'm at a loss,  
Don't know what to think,  
What to say,  
If I should worry,  
Give up  
Or persist  
What am I to do?  
I'm at a loss if I can live without you.

Better still,  
I don't know if I'm better off,  
Surely not,  
I seem to think of you,  
Constantly.

I'm on my break,  
For ten minutes  
And look at me,  
Writing about you,  
Think I'm crazy?  
Do you?

I must be,  
Can't give up on you,  
Alas I have to trust,  
In God above  
And let  
What will be  
Be.

Holly Moon

# Lost Friend

You came to in a dream  
I walked up to you to shake your hand  
You didn't seem to know me  
We never actually met  
I asked if you knew me  
You nodded slightly and moved on.

I wonder how I came to dream about you  
We've not chatted for so long  
The last time we spoke you vanished  
Without an adios.

Since then, we've not spoke  
Nor have I seen you on skype  
So why did I dream of you, last night?

Hope you're ok and feeling fine  
I sometimes do drop you a line  
We spoke daily for months on end  
I know you're now living down-under  
In that upside down world  
Our time difference is huge  
But I know it's not the reason you don't speak  
I guess you don't need me any more.

Holly Moon

# Lotus Pond

In Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad, India,  
A lotus pond of such beauty,  
Floats like a mirage, awesome scene,  
With flowers the colors of the rainbow,  
Pied Kingfisher, Moorhen, Grebe and other birds,  
Make it their home,  
A beautiful scene surrounded by lush green,  
Can it be only a dream?

Holly Moon

# Love Is A Gift

I gave you my heart  
I gave you my soul  
And my mind  
Alas I find  
You don't need my heart  
My love is unwanted  
Rejected  
I do mind  
Just give me back my heart!

Holly Moon

# Love Rejected

I said I love you  
You turned away  
Stop calling me you said  
Stay away

I turned away  
Tears in my eyes  
Don't wish you to see  
What a mess you've made of me

A deep sadness  
Overwhelmed me  
I felt your rejection so deep  
Was it your sadness I felt, or mine?

Holly Moon

# Loving You

Every second away from you  
Is like a raindrop lost to sea  
When the land is parched.

I'm afraid to wish  
I'm afraid even more  
Of my wishes being denied.

If I were to wish  
I would only dare wish  
That someday you would dare  
Speak of that which I dare not.

You must know how I feel  
More than I do myself  
I'm so afraid of loving you  
I know I can never have you  
Of this I feel so sure.

We're pulled apart  
Even more than we're pulled together  
I'm so afraid of losing me  
If I were to love you.

I dare not speak  
Silence is wiser  
Forever apart  
Yet forever in my heart.

Holly Moon

# Me And You

Me and You,  
You and me,  
Always we,  
Never apart in life,  
In dreams, one,  
Forever, even if,  
We are never  
More than fantasies,  
Never be reality.

Holly Moon

# Memories

Memories

On 1/11/11 I stepped into your life with a crash

On 2/11/11 You marked your birth

On 3/11/11 You smiled

On 4/11/11 You stared

On 5/11/11 You glared

On 6/11/11 You heard tongues wagging

On 7/11/11 You withdrew

On 8/11/11 You pounced with your sarcasm

On 9/11/11 You got a come-back

And I can keep going on

But readers will be bored

And my memory fails

All I remember is how much I love you

Today our third anniversary

Tomorrow you celebrate your birth

And I will love you forever

Even if you're miles away

Out of sight

But not out of mind.

Holly Moon

# Memories Of You

You work at your desk  
Oh what a mess  
So typical of you  
So many files open  
Slipping and sliding  
The mess I can't abide  
I now consider  
A beautiful mess  
As it reminds me of you.

The empty desk  
Beautiful chaos  
Catches at my heart  
And I'm so missing you.

Holly Moon

# Mep Interrogation

Why am I stuck to this pc,  
Listening to the interrogation  
Of MEPs designates re Migration  
When I could be having a nap!

I'm listening to elicit  
How this designate intends to act  
Given our problem of illegal migration.

What do I expect?  
I'm just listening right now.  
All agree there's a crisis but  
Who's going to do anything about it?

Solidarity is the policy,  
But apparently one has to define  
What 'solidarity' means  
As some assist whilst others not so much.

Do we just speak for the sake of speaking,  
Listen for the sake of listening,  
But then stop there and do nothing more.

Had I gone to nap,  
Nothing would have changed,  
And I would have been rested!

Holly Moon

# Missing Someone

Wonder what she's doing  
But I know better than to ask  
I know no answer will I get  
She's like that  
Just ignores me.

I guess that's the way she copes  
Doubt she cares how she seems  
Too absorbed in her dreams or fantasies  
Probably likes solitude  
Or needs distance and space to rest.

But alas sometimes I miss her  
And would like to hear her voice  
Guess I better do something else  
I have no choice  
I don't dare phone.

She will not budge  
She steadfast in that  
She drives me mad  
And I wish to pay her back  
Let her taste her own medicine.

But when she calls  
Because she needs a friend  
I forget all my resolutions  
And be of help  
How sad is that.

Holly Moon

# Missing You.

No word from you today,  
Silence.

What are you doing?

Where are you hiding?

What are you planning?

Or scheming?

Brewing?

Or stewing?

Someone is missing you.

Holly Moon

# My Heart Is Breaking

My heart is in my throat  
I wish to cry so much  
The knife you know  
How to pierce my heart  
Your indifference  
To my love for you  
Is tearing me apart.

You play this game  
Of hide and seek  
Giving me hope  
Yet saying naught  
You know I love you  
I told you so  
In a so subtle way  
Many times before.

The distance you decide to keep  
Is tearing me apart  
Now if there were a reason  
Or someone else  
I might be able to part  
But you play this distance game  
The mask in place  
You let me hope  
For the day  
Which might never come  
And you're tearing me apart.

If you love me let me know  
If you don't let me go  
I can't go on  
Into the unknown  
It's been three years come 1st November  
I can't take it any more.

Holly Moon

# My Periphery

From the first time I saw you  
And every single day since  
Every time I awake  
Every time I go to sleep  
And every minute between  
You're always with me  
Constantly in my heart and  
In the periphery of my every thought.

Holly Moon

# My Trick Or Treat

It's your birthday month  
Sugar Puff  
Darling, my trick and treat

Your favorite color is black  
You're a flying witch  
I once called you that.

Wonder what your doing  
Brewing something squemish  
I'm sure  
Casting your spells  
To keep me Caught in your shadow  
Always at your beck and call.

Holly Moon

# No Big Deal

So many disasters  
Are actually not such a big deal  
Everyday they happen  
In succession  
Be they as they may  
Little things and big  
Things go wrong and we overlook them  
Not giving them due importance  
Turns them into nameless disasters  
Because we do not learn  
And take no action to remedy  
The case and issue  
Like the one about the generator  
That was supposed to work  
Come Eurovision night  
The blackout was unheard  
Do we even know how to panic  
It' absurd that in 2014  
Something would have been planned  
Everyone sitting in the dark  
Pinching ourselves..  
Am I awake... is this a dream?

Holly Moon

# On Bullying

Your bravado you can show  
If a coward you're not  
By being altruistic instead of a pain  
Do good if you dare  
Have a heart and share  
Your bravado is a show  
To covers a weakness  
You bully to show cool  
You seem to know no better  
But it's better to be kind  
Be different for a change  
You can be unique  
If you weren't a coward  
You'd be one of a kind  
Kind being the operative word.  
Karma says what goes round  
Comes around  
Sermon over, this is profound.

Holly Moon

# On Domestic Violence

Why do some feel so inadequate  
That they have to resort to the use of force  
Instead of reason?

Is it a tradition  
Or a period of transition  
Spoilt brats to grown adults  
That need educating  
Empowering  
Or a brain transplant?

Is it addiction  
That turns humans to lesser beings  
Stop these excuses  
Grow up and now face the music.

If force you use  
It's the Police Force you'll have to face  
Law and Order please  
We cannot have beasts  
Hitting anyone  
Be it in the home  
Workplace or behind a wheel.

If you can't take it don't wed  
Better free then bleeding  
You don't need a partner to survive  
Single parents abound  
Silence your enemy  
In such cases speak out  
You don't have to take any sh\*\*  
Not from anyone.

Don't love those who don't deserve it  
Don't stay unless you wish  
To be treated like a punching bag  
YOU deserve love  
Not black and blue eyes  
Smiles not scowls

So if you can't find them with a partner  
Be strong and alone  
Say good riddance to bad rubbish  
You deserve freedom  
Divorce the b\*\*\*\*

Holly Moon

# On Healing

I was walking in circles  
Trying to get you off my mind  
I needed something to write on  
So I typed.

I did a google search  
And this site came up  
I registered and started to write.

I got things off my chest  
And I felt better  
Releasing pain and anger  
Reading and understanding  
That I'm luckier than most  
So this has turned out to be a second home.

I'm still a new member  
Only a couple of months old  
I've been made welcome  
By more than a few  
So thank's to Poemhunter  
I'm better than alright.

Holly Moon

# On Skype

I said Hi  
She did not reply,  
She was busy,  
Painting,  
Cooking,  
Eating,  
Cleaning the mess  
She made  
Skype open  
And I'm waiting  
In vain,  
I go  
She comes in,  
Leaves a message,  
Says I seem nice

Strangely  
She doesn't like me otherwise,  
Or so she says,  
All because I said,  
It's a nice day for a walk,  
Alas we're an ocean apart.

She's so strange,  
Drives me mad,  
Now can I say we're an ocean apart  
When she's by my side?  
What I say is let's go for a walk  
But she ignores me,  
She's so lazy you see,  
Just wants to watch TV.

Holly Moon

# On Sunday

Stillness,  
Heavenly illumination,  
Sunbathing in serenity,  
As though by the seashore,  
Carefree, Absolutely fine,  
Lacking nothing,  
Lacking no-one.

This is heaven,  
It's Sunday,  
So good to be free,  
With another,  
Somehow, it's not the same.

Better to love someone,  
But live apart,  
I can't bear the intrusion,  
I'm meant to live alone.

Holly Moon

# On The Hour

Here I'm sitting  
Waiting for the changing of the hour  
2: 59 and counting  
The last Sunday of October  
Brings with it, the end of daylight saving hour  
The clock is ticking  
And voilà I see it  
It's now 2: 00  
I'm a witness, to going back in time  
The first time in my life  
And I'm 52  
I've gained an hour  
Which I can use  
Not sleeping through it  
I'm actually writing scribbles  
Living it, not dreaming through it.

Holly Moon

# One Of Those Days

Today was one of those days  
Days I feel lost  
Without a soul  
It rarely happens  
But alas it did today  
Don't tell me from where this feeling  
Of loss and emptiness comes  
I blame it on chemicals  
Nothing else.

But that's simplistic though perhaps true  
Not romantic or sad  
That's me, not looking for anything bad  
Because actually nothing happened  
I'm just out of sorts  
Tomorrow is another day  
And I won't even remember this day.

I say this because  
I just wanted you to know  
If this happens to you  
You surely are not alone  
The trick is to live through it  
Without giving it importance  
I never did till today.

I don't like to feel like this  
Must be the planets  
Or whatever  
Nothing special of note  
Just a day wasted  
Writing about it  
Has made me feel better.

Holly Moon

# Out Of Sight

The ferry leaves port  
It is soon a tiny speck  
On the open sea  
Heading for Home  
And away from me

Out of sight out of mind  
But I still think of you  
Sometimes...  
Memories fade  
Out of choice  
To forgive and forget  
The wrongs we made  
Distance helps  
Me get over you  
Because you don't love me.

Holly Moon

# Perception

You hide your feelings so well,  
The mask is in place,  
I read you,  
I get you,  
What you say,  
How you act,  
So cold and aloof,  
The way you walk away,  
From conflict,  
The carefully chosen words,  
The crazy humour,  
Go contrary to my perception,  
Of your reality,  
Am I right,  
Do I read you wrong,  
I think not.

Holly Moon

# Pillars

My world seems sheltered,  
I have a roof over my head  
Pillars too many to count, all around me  
Some are quite high, others lower with a bar across  
I bump my head and I have to crawl lower on my knees  
I bump my head on something softer I have to turn to find some air It's soft  
under my knees and I smell cat pee.  
You'd think you'd pull my other leg  
You must be laughing off your head!

Holly Moon

# Power Out

I'm at work  
Power has gone out  
No longer alienated  
You fill my thoughts  
I recall your entrance  
Yesterday  
Goodmorning All  
But looking at me  
We had quarelled a week ago  
Silence and distance we kept  
I looked up and said hi  
In a very dry, distant mode  
You came over on a work matter  
And off you went again  
I don't wish to make up  
I ignored your attempt at a compliment  
I don't need superficial communication  
What I need is heartfelt, even if, angry words  
I'm back in my protective shell  
Nothing will reach me whilst there  
I'm not going to act friendly  
That relationship is over  
It's better like that.

I'll keep my distance  
Don't attempt to reach out  
Unless it's me you really want

I don't have time to waste  
On superficial mumbo jumbo  
You made it clear when you said  
Don't sms  
You're not one to litigate or give reasons  
Well I'm not going to persist  
If you want me, you know where to find me  
This is my exit.

Holly Moon

# Promises

We say so many things,  
Make so many promises,  
Marry you I wish,  
To love and honor you forever,  
I indent to keep,  
You are my whole world,  
I see the future so clear,  
But silence I keep,  
Right now you're the only one,  
But will I be strong,  
Where others have failed,  
I don't know what the future might bring.

Holly Moon

# Provocation

The silence is pierced  
By an angry keyboard  
A pause  
Words fly  
What an assault  
Tap tap tap  
To and fro

This routine  
An everyday thing  
Used and abuse  
A fact  
No-one contradicts  
Till I hear  
This unhealthy exchange.

Peace at last  
One is away  
No tapping today.

Holly Moon

# Revelations In Dreams

A quilt, patterns of different hues  
Comes to me in dreams  
As a child so young  
What it meant I knew not  
Until my life unfolded bit by bit  
Like jigsaws pieces falling into place  
Somehow I knew that what passed was meant to be  
A piece of the quilt  
Coming to be.

Holly Moon

# Roses Are Red

Roses are red  
I must be mad  
Violets are blue  
I sure love you

What am I saying  
This isn't me  
Versing in rhyme  
Isn't my style

I'm blunt and to the point  
Not a softie am I  
I hope you love me  
Because try as I might  
I can't be trite.

I won't try to woe you  
With nonsense of roses and violets  
You're much too clever to that  
I'll woe your mind  
With a different challenge  
I'll let you read me  
Without a word

Let me look into your soul  
Let me read your mind  
Words we don't need  
Since we're of one mind.

Holly Moon

# Saluting Those Under The Sign Of Scorpio

I just don't know from where to begin  
Describing the many scorpio traits  
Knowing a scorpio is sure not boring  
It's like diving into the deepest ocean  
And finding a treasure chest  
With precious stones and gold  
Riches untold  
The best part of scorpio  
Is their unique soul  
They love deeply and hate as well  
Sharp of intellect  
Impatient and patient  
Charming and seductive  
Serious and passionate  
All the contradictions  
Magnetic and attractive  
Did I say they are obstinate  
And bossy  
But I sure can't live without them  
And that makes them run a mile..dpuf

Holly Moon

# Saturday Morning

The day doesn't seem to take,  
It's started slow,  
I cannot wake.

What am I waiting for  
What's different today  
No work to go to  
She's avoiding me like the plague  
Wonder what she's doing  
She has a rule  
Doesn't talk after work  
We're workmates you see  
She holds the rule fast  
When she breaks it, I ask  
Why? But no answer comes.

She must have her reasons  
But I know better than to ask  
I know no answer will I get  
She's like that.

From her rules she doesn't vary  
She's steadfast like that  
Don't talk to me after hours  
Don't sms  
If I do, she won't answer  
She said it to my face,  
If you can call it that,  
Over the phone one day  
She just ignores me  
I guess that's the way she copes  
Doesn't let her guard down.  
Doesn't want to think of work  
After hours and no-one.

Unless she needs something of course  
Then don't you dare not pick up the phone  
Egoism at it's best, I know  
That's the way she is.

Doubt she cares how she seems  
Too absorbed in her dreams or fantasies  
Probably likes solitude  
I can understand that  
Or needs distance and space to rest  
I concur with that  
Doesn't bother me,  
As I too am like that.

But alas sometimes I miss her  
And would like to hear her voice  
Guess I better do something else  
I have no choice  
She will not budge  
She steadfast in that.

She drives me mad  
And I wish to pay her back  
Let her taste her own medicine  
But when she calls  
Because she needs a friend  
I forget all my decisions  
And be of help  
How sad is that.

No wonder she treats me like dirt  
I let her do it  
Despite my resolutions  
I'm weak where she's concerned.

Holly Moon

# Selfies

Now why would I send you a nude selfie  
I wouldn't send it out of my own free-will  
Much less if you ask for it  
Now that would tell me you're not cool  
That you have bad intentions  
Which would turn me against you  
If you ask for it, more fool you.

If you care you wouldn't dare  
Ask me such a thing  
If you were wise it wouldn't even enter your mind  
So if it does,  
Let me know, as it would surely help me show you the door.

Holly Moon

## Sensible Me

Now I'm a sensible person  
My mind rules my actions  
I am in total control  
My heart works against me  
There is my greatest weakness  
Upon a wishing well,  
I wish, please  
Let my mind control my heart.

Holly Moon

# Silence Hurts

This silence is killing me  
But silence I'm going to keep

My heart yearns for yours  
But I seem to yearn alone

The distance is great  
No bridge will you build

You are so cold  
So distant sometimes

It saddens me so  
But sad I'll have to stay

Since your will  
Is to stay away.

Holly Moon

# Sleepless Nights

Sleepless Nights

Sleepless nights,  
With you on my mind,  
Always you,  
No-one else,  
It's true.

I seem to be stuck,  
In the only place I know,  
Stuck on you,  
With no glue.

I wonder what you think,  
Do you even think of me,  
Wonder what you meant,  
By things you say,  
In jest and not,  
Why you're wary,  
What to reveal,  
How far to go,  
Then meet a wall.

Solutions I cannot find,  
I don't read your mind,  
Are you aloof for fear,  
Or keep distance for a reason,  
The reason being...  
Ponder as I might,  
I can't decide.

Talk to me you can't,  
Or won't,  
Too early to trust,  
Might also be too late,  
I've exhausted my wait.

Having said that,  
I can't help it,  
I love you,

I'll wait,  
Please don't leave it too late.

Holly Moon

# Something Tells Me

When I met you I knew  
I felt it deeply  
You denied it repeatedly  
You said you like boys  
I wasn't convinced  
Something told me  
You were not just lying  
You really believed  
You only deceived  
Yourself not me  
Years later I knew  
I saw you looking at her  
As you walked holding her.

Holly Moon

# Sorrow

I saw a silhouette behind a door  
I wonder who's that I thought  
The lady stepped back  
And she came into full view  
The lady in black  
With alabaster skin  
Was the one I cared for  
Up to a week ago  
She turned her head a little  
I guess it was enough to see  
That the one looking at her was me

The lift came and I vanished  
Didn't wait for her to think of sharing  
Would not have been a comfortable ride  
Proximity being too close  
In a metre square space  
With the one who I can't take off my mind  
My heart is full of sorrow  
That cannot be expressed or measured  
I cannot look at her and smile  
Not after she tread on my heart  
Even if she didn't mean to  
She did.

Holly Moon

# Stations

The train comes into the station  
All puff and noise  
Passengers alight  
Others board  
A babel of sound  
Reigns for a while  
Until it's time  
For the next journey  
Growing distant  
Silence of sound  
All is forgotten  
Till the next time  
It comes around.

Holly Moon

# Still Hazy

I got the shock of my life  
When I realized I wasn't alone  
Being watched by another in whilst in the shower  
Caught off guard being still half asleep  
Who's that? Oh... it's just me.

Holly Moon

# Sunday Afternoon

The room is lit,  
With a heavenly light,  
The silence profound,  
It's as though I'm alone,  
No-one else on Earth.

No wishes do I have,  
I am totally serene,  
What more do I want,  
Freedom I have,  
Love I don't need,  
Peace engulfs me.

It's Sunday afternoon,  
It's always like this,  
I miss no-one,  
I am whole though alone,  
One with the universe,  
Thank God.

Not the same during the week,  
It's stressful at work,  
Useless comments,  
Lack of help,  
No co-operation,  
Teamwork doesn't exist,  
Jealousies yes,  
One can't please people like that!

Holly Moon

# Survivor

Why do you ask us,  
To write about you,  
Something so personal,  
Shouldn't be allowed,  
Who are we to judge you,  
Why do you give us such a task?

Whatever is past is past,  
Move on,  
Don't look back,  
Or you will be stuck.

You're a beautiful person,  
Inside and out,  
Your past might have hurt you,  
Made you sensitive,  
Broken, but you've grown.

Your present is what matters,  
This very minute,  
Don't look back,  
Don't let your past be your present,  
You sure don't want that.

You're a survivor,  
Appreciate that,  
You're stronger than most,  
Go ahead,  
Live the moment,  
Breathe deeply,  
Conquer your world.

Your future lies before you,  
No matter what comes along,  
You will be fine,  
God above will be with you,  
On your every journey,  
No matter what happens,  
No-one can really harm you,

Not really,  
Not ever,  
Let them try,  
You're fired steel.

Holly Moon

# Teasing

They tease me at work  
About a mate  
They say I have a soft-spot  
Reserved for her  
They don't know we quarrelled  
I sure won't tell  
Nor will she  
That's the way it is  
Little do they know  
They are stuck in the past  
Not up-to-date  
They don't know she broke my heart  
And teasing won't help.

Holly Moon

# Tell Me What You Need

I know you so well  
Every fibre of your voice  
I can read your soul  
From your chords

Your emotions I feel so deeply  
And I know you feel so bad  
Just by hearing your voice

I love you so very much  
I just don't know what to do  
How I should act  
What I should do  
Sometimes I think it's better  
I stay away from you  
Sometimes I think it's better  
I stay near you  
Fact is, I have no idea what is best  
So tell me, what am I to do?

Holly Moon

# The Approach

I know what I want,  
What I must have,  
How I go about achieving it,  
Won't be direct,  
I'll get there you can be sure,  
But I'll do it through the back door.

Holly Moon

# The Battle Is Acceptance, Life Is For Loving

Your eyes are dark pools, scanning my soul.  
Can so easily be lost in their depth if I wasn't alert.  
Under your gaze I tremble to give away feelings that you might not wish to return.

I run before I'm pinned to the wall behind me  
You gaze dares me to stay  
Hey you scare me  
Never sure how you feel,  
I run for fear of being caught wanting

Your standards are high,  
mine are higher  
Scared still of not making the grade  
yet fear more that you don't

I know you not  
Yet love you I do  
It's the liking part that bothers me

Do you constantly test me  
Who are you when you're not acting  
would I like you if I knew you?

Let me know you, we can only but try.  
Life is too short to play these silly games.  
Too long to wait forever  
Cut the crap and let me in  
I treasure you so let me learn to give you what you need.

Holly Moon

# The First Time We Met

The first time we met,  
I'll never forget  
You looked into my eyes as you told me your name  
I remembered the name from way back  
On the phone a year or so ago  
You were someone I admired, I recall  
Though attracted I was when I heard your voice  
And the way you spoke, so softly that day  
I didn't want the conversation to end  
This I recalled when you told me your name  
I couldn't stop looking at you, your eyes were penetrating  
Your ears listening but your eyes reading deeper  
Today I know it's your way, that is how you are  
But to me that day, it looked like you were interested in me  
It looked like attraction and I believe it was  
For a time you also ran after me  
I felt this magnetic full every time you were near  
I couldn't help looking, couldn't take my eyes off you  
A smile would appear on my lips every time you appeared  
Try as I might, I couldn't hide it  
You were awesome and still are  
But today you act distant and live far  
I resist the urge to phone you since you rejected my love  
I'm miserable when I think of you far away from me  
I've decided to try and avoid all thought  
Until you come back to me... if only you will.

Holly Moon

# The Journey

I packed up my bags  
Full to the brim  
With overflowing garbage bags too I put them outside  
For the van to take  
But I closed the door  
No intention to journey did I have.

I know deep in my heart  
The journey is within  
No need for world goods  
To take me to Him.

All I need is faith  
Of the steadfast kind  
To love neighbor and foe, alike  
Without judging is what I find Will lead me to Him.

The battle is within  
Bad thoughts I discard,  
Peace I keep within  
Trouble I avoid  
By trusting in Him  
To keep me safe and sound  
Not wishing for anything  
But to do good when bad things happen.

That I find Is the journey to God  
I tried it and tested it  
And advise you to take A journey within.

Holly Moon

# The Old Lady

The old lady is sitting in her armchair  
By the window in the attic of the old house  
Going over old memories  
I watch her with interest  
Wonder about her past  
What she went through,  
what secrets she holds  
I'm sure she has secrets no-one knows  
I wonder if she holds memories of friends and lovers  
Interesting to find out  
I ask her what's on her mind  
Try as I might she holds her secrets close  
Finally she says a few words  
But she whispers them softly,  
Too softly for me to hear  
Secrets of old, stories untold  
But they're too soft to be heard.

Holly Moon

# Thinking Of You

If thinking of you brings you to me,  
You would always be with me.

If only I could manifest you in flesh, I would.

If wishes do come true,  
Then I must not be wishing enough.

If this were also true for you,  
Then you do not wish me at all.

It's the reason why I don't wish you more.

Holly Moon

# Time To Heal

She marches in,  
Cold and aloof,  
Totally ignores me,  
Marches to a colleague,  
And like a fool I say hi,  
Can't help it,  
I'm always too nice.

We might be warring,  
But we sure don't show it,  
Except by being aloof,  
Only the observant can see  
But it's too subtle  
For the innocent observer.

She marches out and says bye  
To no-one and everyone,  
But I'm now aloof,  
And don't reply.

I meet her later,  
She busy and sulking,  
I point something out,  
And she barely acknowledges,  
I walk out  
Having said my bit,  
Won't waste time or space  
Not when she's in this mood.

She'll get over it  
When she's good and ready.

Two can play her game,  
Hope she realizes,  
That I'll only treat her,  
Like she treats me,  
If she can do without me,  
I can do without her twice as much!

I tried to break the ice,  
A couple of hours later,  
By sms, the modern way,  
Said are you ok?  
She was out on business,  
So her phone was off,  
I got a read receipt,  
But that is all I got.

Well you can sulk all you like,  
Treat me well and I'll treat you better,  
I've had it up to here  
And there, and everywhere.

If you can't talk to me don't  
But if we are to heal, we must.

Holly Moon

# To Strangers

From close friends to strangers  
That's how it goes  
One day the heart is laughing  
The next it's crying for what has gone  
When friends turn into strangers  
It's twice as cold.

Holly Moon

# Treasure Chest

The treasure chest lies abandoned and forgotten  
In the attic of the old house  
Covered in dust and rust  
Locked with a heavy padlock  
Wonder what's inside  
Sure to be memories and secrets hidden from all eyes  
Sure not to be treasure of the conventional kind  
Gold nuggets, coins or diamonds  
Guess it holds treasures of another kind  
Photos, papers or love letter  
Interesting to find out  
I look for a tool  
To break open the lock  
Bang as I might, not a dent do I make  
I find a saw to cut through the lock  
Finally it breaks open  
And you'll never guess what secret it holds  
Secrets of old, stories untold.

Holly Moon

# True Friends

She's of few words,  
And unreliable,  
I trust her with my life,  
We walk together,  
Side by side,  
She's aloof,  
I'm too much,  
We irritate each other,  
But we're there for the other,  
We are constantly in touch,  
Never apart,  
Care for each other,  
Somehow.

She's like a sister,  
Better than a sister somehow,  
We're stuck together,  
I have no idea how.

I cannot understand,  
How we're still friends,  
After so long,  
Years and years,  
Nothing keeps us apart,  
No matter how much we quarrel,  
Threaten to leave,  
We never do.

It's like a marriage,  
Though not a marriage at all,  
I don't know how we stick each other,  
It's not love of any kind,  
But I wouldn't change her for another.

Holly Moon

# True Love

Many attractive people I do meet,  
Many beautiful characters too,  
But you stand alone,  
More beautiful than the most beautiful,  
Of them all.

No makeup do you use,  
Though a mask you do wear,  
Contradictory are you.

You're as sharp as a blade,  
And cut as deep when you need,  
You're bold and brazen,  
Shy and discreet,  
Impulsive and slow to act,  
Blunt and wary how you speak,  
Full of contradictions,  
Crazy of humor,  
Soft-spoken and loud,  
Walk in without a sound,  
Unless you enter in a storm,  
Because attention you seek.

If you're anything you're not boring,  
Though you sometimes do repeat,  
Have a great memory for detail,  
Yet forgetful when you need.

If you're anything,  
You're unforgettable,  
I will give you that,  
And no-one else do I need.

Holly Moon

# Two Hearts Belong Together

She cooks his favorite meal  
Satisfies his every whim  
She knows his heart  
Even if she fails to understand him  
Though she tries and waits patiently.

He makes his teeth sparkle  
Rushes to meet her at the station  
A mars bar in his hand  
And a serenade in his heart  
He tries to understand her  
Though he mostly fails.

The need to love and be loved is great  
It's a sadness to behold  
Two who love each other  
But fail to show  
Feelings that might be reciprocated  
This insecurity makes us victims  
Berating ourselves for what could be  
Until they find the courage to speak  
Then minds meet  
And the future is guaranteed.

Holly Moon

# Understanding

Looking into your eyes and not needing words  
Getting what you're saying before you complete the thought  
Knowing your heart without words  
Knowing you will come through when others put you down  
That which makes us one  
Knowing the other is thinking about me  
Or not thinking about me in so many subtle ways  
Understanding what underlies actions  
Though they seem absurd  
Knowing that anger hides something deeper  
That a smile can be genuine or sarcastic  
Understanding is loving all of you.

Holly Moon

# Understanding Pain

Being hurt,  
Feeling pain,  
I understand,  
It's normal,  
A trigger,  
To heal.

But the pain of love,  
Another matter altogether,  
No visible wounds,  
No physical scars.

Help me understand,  
What is the pain for lost love,  
Would there actually be a rip,  
In the heart,  
Or in the cells of the mind?

We are but chemicals in a frame,  
I didn't know chemicals could feel pain,  
What a construction we must be,  
So finely meshed in flesh,  
Now who planned that?

A higher intelligence there's sure to be,  
Call it what you will,  
Truth is there for all to see,  
Unless we close our eyes,  
And actually blind be.

We have no control,  
Not even on ourselves,  
How can we think we can plan,  
Such a universe,  
Sustaining life.

All we do is but destroy,  
And we ask why God permits,  
Simple,

He's patient,  
Just waiting for us to realize,  
That we're allowed freedom,  
To decide,  
Good and bad,  
Bear the consequences,  
Don't ask why,  
When you know,  
You've done nothing,  
To change the flow,  
For one fear or another,  
No excuses,  
you're just another.

Holly Moon

# Unreciprocated Love

My heart is overwhelmed  
Tears flow down it's wall  
Every time I think of you  
When we're apart

My heart weeps  
For thinking of thee  
The hopelessness I feel  
Because you fail to appreciate me

I cannot bear to think  
I avoid thought most of the time  
But somehow thoughts of you  
Break through all the time

I'm happy and carefree  
For the seconds I get through life without thinking of thee  
But as soon as that thought breaks through  
How you're away from me

A sadness so deep  
Overtakes me

I hope you never love  
Someone who doesn't love you back  
It's torture and hopelessness  
Believe me.

Holly Moon

# Voices

I long to hear that soft spoken vulnerable voice  
Of the one I love.

Long to hear her dulcet tones,  
When she's happy and full of cheer.

Or her heavier pensive tone,  
When she's of a serious turn.

Her crystal clear chords,  
When she's all business like and bossy.

Or the voice that speaks from her very soul  
That arrests me by it's very essence.

All those voices, I know so well  
I wish to hear.

Voices that encompass  
All the strings of an orchestra  
From A to Z  
And from Z to A.

She drives me crazy,  
Drives me mad for her  
Her hold on me  
Through her chords.

And she does so play a tune,  
So enthralling and bewitching  
Does she know it's hold  
Who knows?  
I do know.

Holly Moon

# Walking On Air

You're walking home  
One Saturday morning  
You catch a glimpse  
Of the one you love  
Driving up your road  
Your feet float over ground  
Your heart soars to the highest skies  
Surely your eyes are true  
He's coming to see you  
Your mind is racing  
You need to change to look your best  
You hurry your walk  
With butterflies in your stomach  
And a fast-beating heart  
You're agitated and trembling  
You're zipper sticks as you change your dress  
So aroused with the knock on your door.

Holly Moon

# Wall Of Silence

I sit at my desk  
Looking at the stars  
Wishing you'd call  
On some excuse

I recall our last talk  
One sided it was  
Because ignore me you did  
And I called you an \*\*\*\*\*

You turned your back  
And I walked away  
With steel in my heart  
No intention of looking back

We met later  
I gave you my back  
You spoke to another  
And left

The wall of silence  
I will not break  
For sure I will not apologize  
I'm standing my ground  
For my sake  
I will not break  
You hurt my pride  
By looking away.

Holly Moon

# White Lies

I've heard it all before,  
So many lies,  
Too many to remember,  
Or recount,  
Too much effort,  
To remember,  
The need for such lies.

Lies of self-preservation,  
You told many times.

You are too honest to lie,  
You're so easily caught,  
Foolish to even try,  
Lies shouldn't be your style.

Lies, lies, so many damn lies.

Holly Moon

# Wishing And Wishing

She makes me so angry  
This is making me sick  
Just calls when she needs  
Otherwise ignoring me so  
I wish upon a wishing well  
With my heart and soul  
Wish I didn't love her so!

Holly Moon

# Wishing You'D Call

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Looking at the stars  
Wishing you'd call  
On some excuse

I recall our last talk  
One sided it was  
Because ignore me you did  
And I called you an asshole

You turned your back  
And I walked away  
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We met later  
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I'm standing my ground  
For my sake  
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You hurt my pride  
By looking away.

Holly Moon

# Workmates?

The first time we met,  
I knew,  
You were special  
From that one glance,  
I knew I had to take a chance,  
But being workmates,  
I knew,  
The difficulties ahead,  
Hiding how I feel,  
Just in case,  
You don't feel the same,  
We seem to have clicked  
But though you approached me,  
On so many excuses,  
I never quiet knew,  
If you were using me.

I hear your voice,  
And my heart flies,  
To the highest skies.

I never said a word,  
But did give a hint,  
I guess it's obvious to all,  
But us,  
How we feel.

That clear step,  
We never yet took,  
Though nearly three years,  
Since we met,  
Hiding how we feel,  
For being teased,  
It's hard for both,  
We say nothing,  
But I know,  
That we both know,  
What others hint.

Though offices were changed,  
We kept in touch,  
Just to say hi,  
You and I.

It's hard,  
Not knowing how you feel,  
Or what you wish,  
I know you've been hurt.

You're cold to me in public  
But nice otherwise,  
Though nothing has been said,  
Not explicitly,  
It's hard to live like this  
If it's worth it,  
But the step is huge,  
For rejection is hard,  
So I say nothing,  
We grow apart,  
But I regret,  
Every minute of every day,  
My lack of guts,  
But it's easier this way.

Only time will tell,  
It takes guts to show,  
How one feels,  
So many do it,  
Not we.

Perhaps it's early yet,  
And I make a big deal,  
If it's meant to be,  
It will,  
Patience,  
We'll see.

Holly Moon

# You Are So Beautiful

Soft brown eyes,  
Pure white skin,  
That's all I see of your face,  
Your eyes don't want to look at me these days,  
Afraid of what they don't wish to see,  
My eyes adore you,  
But don't implore you,  
I hide what I feel,  
Because you won't look at me.

You are so beautiful,  
You fill my heart,  
I cannot help but smile inside.  
A blank look I give you,  
How funny is that,  
You're cold and sober,  
Always like that.

I wish you to know,  
How I feel,  
But afraid of rejection,  
Silence I keep.

I hope and pray,  
You'll have guts one day,  
To show your feelings,  
For me.

You are so beautiful,  
Inside and Out,  
But fail to show your heart.

You have been hurt, I'm sure,  
Trust is a big issue,  
But you must trust to move on.

Someone as beautiful as you,  
I don't deserve,  
I'm humbled by you,

Wish I can but serve,  
It's too much for me to wish for,  
If you would choose to look at me.

Holly Moon

# You Say You Love Me

You say you love me  
But it's your presence I want  
Not your presents  
Or your money honey  
It's you I want  
To have you think of me  
To have you touch me  
To have you there  
Not there but here  
But if this you can't give me  
Don't ask another  
To tell you how I feel  
Talk to me  
I'm here waiting for thee.

Love is everything for me  
But how that is interpreted  
Is different for you and me  
So don't feel guilty  
Talk to me.

It's the choices you make  
That make me wait for thee  
Hope your choices  
Are wisely chosen  
Now my needs and yours  
Might not always agree  
But let us talk  
Don't let others talk for me.

Holly Moon

# Your Eyes Speak Volumes

Your eyes speak volumes,  
No need for words,  
In silence,  
Your eyes express such depth.

Holly Moon

# You'Re In My Heart

My heart is in my throat,  
About to burst.

With a love so deep,  
I didn't know I had.

Thoughts of you won't leave me,  
No matter how I try.

To forget you,  
For my own sake,  
As much as yours,  
For un-reciprocated love,  
Is no love at all.

Before I met you,  
I didn't know I could feel.

From such emotions,  
I was free.

Didn't know passion,  
I could ever feel.

Felt empty like a doll,  
With no feelings at all.

Holly Moon