

Poetry Series

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I love to write poems. I normally only write poems or short stories when I am specially inspired. Which is usually once a month.

# Anything But You

I can't think  
I can't see  
I can't feel  
I can't breathe  
Anything  
But you

I can't hold  
I can't speak  
I can't touch  
I can't listen to  
Anything  
But you

I can't find  
I can't sleep on  
I can't walk with  
I can't wait on  
Anything  
But you

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# As They Grow

Do you hear the laughter?  
Or feel the happiness?  
See how many smiles there are to gather?  
What has become the joy of craziness...?  
Watch them run  
In their tiny shorts and shirts  
In the shine of the sun  
In a hurry to fall in dirt  
They know nothing better  
Than how to be  
Whether they laugh or argue together  
Life is all they see  
They show love  
And feel it too  
What else to think of  
But learning to tie their shoe  
They run into your arms  
And seconds later, their bigger than you  
Not a moment too soon and no alarm  
Without them, what are you going to do?  
They say, "Not a thing."  
You say, "But I must."  
How can you come so far and do nothing?  
They say you've taught me trust  
And to do right  
To follow the lighted path  
And keep going into the night  
Continue into the day's wrath  
Where the sun keeps shining  
On their future  
It'll come in some timing  
Like recovery from suture  
One day they'll be where you are  
You'll still smile  
As they reach for their star  
They travel for miles  
With you still at their side  
And no one else can replace  
The lessons in their life

From now till the end of their days.

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# Darkness

Sitting in darkness makes me feel scared  
So scared my mind just flares  
Making sense doesn't even come to mind  
My life seems like it's timed  
Sitting here next to my friend makes me feel more comforted  
Less torn and contorted  
More full and respected  
Less alone and rejected  
Sitting in darkness is more fun when playing games  
Not even with the candle flames  
This poem was written to be silly and fun  
'Although it may seem quite dumb  
Rhyming about this scary room  
Makes more of me feel blue  
But enough's enough  
Now its bedtime and it's tough  
Asleep I go  
And it just blows  
Nighty night to you all  
To the pillow my head falls

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# Dying Doves

Who am I?  
To say goodbye  
Too much horror  
That wouldn't stop going forward  
With that, not a single flaw  
There's more heart to draw  
There's less love  
And one less dove  
Seems like one dies each day  
And is replaced with more rain  
Now I cry  
Wonder what caused this sty  
No memory can I find  
For some reason, it's fled my mind  
I wish you could wipe the tears  
But there's no use, you hear?  
Give us some time  
Listen for the chime  
Calling our names  
But for now, we're taking a pause in this game

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# Greed Is Overcoming

Dream... Dream sweetly my love.  
The day is coming  
when we will have  
nothing to fear,  
but nothing to give  
in this world of precious depression

Watch.. Watch that man.  
On the street  
trying to get enough  
money to eat  
but he can't help the fact  
that his life is... Falling apart at the seams

Could you take a step back...  
to realize he's just like you and me..  
and maybe..  
with some compassion  
and a friend to talk to,  
he would care...  
and his life would be worth living..

compassion puts us a whole world apart

so ev'ry line  
in his face  
is another worry  
he had to chase  
it was ev'rythin to him  
but now it's gone

in a world  
that doesn't care  
just needs somebody  
to care about  
him, ya ya



# How Can I Help?

If you're hiding something  
Will you show me?  
If you have a secret  
Will you tell me?  
If you feel death on your shoulders  
Will you let me save you?  
If you cry  
Will you let me wipe your tears?  
If you're sick  
Will you let me comfort you?  
If your heart is breaking  
Will you let me mend it?  
If I gave you a ring  
Will you accept it?  
If I gave you a kiss  
Will you return one?  
If I gave you a better life  
Will it last forever?

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# I Missed You

I missed you

So then came a call

Hoping it was your return

Ignored it when it wasn't

You'd been gone only an hour

I'd already cried a river

Though it seemed you never left

I felt pain when I felt your presence

When you were really absent

Because I couldn't breathe your air

Hoping to see your face

I sat for a day

Which turned to a week

And soon enough a month had passed

As death feels to me

You now are.

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# Me And You

The start of you  
Brought everlasting me  
Each breath you give  
Is another moment I live  
Every blink you take  
I breathe for your sake  
Each time you smile  
I remember it to last a while  
When it all comes down to nothing  
You are still everything  
Nothing more do I want  
Than your love to flaunt  
If you want it too  
Then let it be true  
I want nothing to be  
More than you and me

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# New Friends

I am filled with joy to have met these new friends  
On a bright sunny morning  
When I am with them faith, hope, and happiness; blends  
And a new family is joining  
Believing that I would cry on shoulders that are strangers  
This deletes all dangers  
The sad tears  
Shameful fears  
The life of trust in the hearts will become love  
Every morning I wake up and see a dove  
Since meeting these friends

Peace, no more war; it's at its end  
We have created a bond that is so special  
We are so close that it won't ever be forgetful  
New friends are people that you just can't let go  
They want to stay, you just won't say no

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# Perfect Love

Whisper me a song of grace  
Let me feel your breath upon my face  
Give me a kiss of mysterious taste  
And a love that is a mysterious chase

Say you're weak when I am too  
So that way I haven't an ounce to lose  
Be there when the sky is blue  
Hold me in the cold morning dew

As I touch your skin, give me a smile  
Rest here in my arms a while  
Close your eyes in relaxing trial  
While we dream as long as the Nile

Run with me in a path of flowers  
Let's get lost for a few hours  
We can be free like a couple of cowards  
From now on time is ours

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# Poor Girl

When life is over; you can't get it back

That is when you see nothing, but black

Just a poor girl who can't even ask

Why she didn't have enough time to finish her task

It was not a fault or blame

I guess It was her time to blow out the flame

Or she has lost the game

Life is a time that is impossible to tame

You are given two choices

Hold back or speak your voices

It's hard to work hard

You have to be smart and play the right card

Light your path and walk

Leaving your life clean as chalk

Clear, white, plain, simple

She was so cute, the little dimple

Poor girl, who didn't know what was coming her way

Nor was it her last day

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# So Strong...So Sweet

He was always the person we all wanted to see  
Being with him, having a great time, was where we wanted to be  
Just having a laugh and so much fun  
Walking and running in the sun  
And when he falls out of the fun  
He knows it hurts, but...  
He was so strong... so sweet

He always liked to sound tough  
Say he was fast and stuff  
Sure he would fall and scrape his knees  
He was really tough even if it did bleed  
He was so strong... so sweet

Dearly, for you we pray  
May the lord lift you, we say  
Go to a happy place  
Keep a smile on your face, just for all the grace  
For we know that you are here  
Holding our hearts and letting you just peer  
Into more painless life  
And always a stronger strife  
We can still hear you speak  
'Cause you are so strong... so sweet

We know he is safe  
In our hearts he is no waif  
We will never forget that he is so strong... so sweet.

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# Something Tells Me...

Something tells me you're in my heart forever.  
That all this waiting is all for you  
This is what is meant, us being together  
This love is so true  
Something tells me that you're mine  
And I'm yours, we combine.

Something tells me that our eyes are made for each other  
No matter how hard we try to avoid it  
Our love designs the perfect color  
The separation, we annoyed it.  
Something tells me that we have nothing to prove  
To those that disbelieve  
Or the least bit disapprove  
But show the peace we conceive.

Something tells me you're here for me  
And I'm always here for you  
We don't look close to see  
When I'm with you my skies are always blue  
Something tells me the laughter never stops  
We keep smiles on our faces  
Our limit is higher than the treetops  
For days we will walk several paces

Something tells me there is never an end  
And we are in this as a team of two  
Love is something we befriend  
There is nothing I would change when I'm with you  
Something tells me that you'll never break my heart  
That you'll wipe away my tears  
It'll take longer than eternity for us to part  
And you shatter all my fears

Something tells me you're mine  
Something tells me that we're together for a lifetime  
Something tells me that this feeling is something lovely  
Something tells me that you're softness is so cuddly  
Something tells me that your touch is so perfect

Something tells me that my memory you reflect  
Something tells me that you're mine.

How I see it

Live your life first

Then if I fit

I will quench your thirst

I believe you can follow your heart

And build the puzzle

Color in the chart

And loosen this love muzzle

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# The End

There's something behind these walls  
That's keeping her from running  
Nobody there to catch her if she falls  
The end is so close that's it's stunning

She runs to the end with a smile on her face  
Not even knowing what's coming her way  
When it arrives, it's too much for her taste  
It could be tomorrow, or it could be today

She's forced to stop in her path  
This is when there is no turning back  
She lands in Heaven's bath  
She left behind no following tracks

Mama cried when she was gone  
But then she smiled a nice smile  
Because she realized it wouldn't be long  
It's time to just live a while

It's time to remember the love  
That she gave to us here  
And how much she gives when she is above  
That there still is no fear.

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# The Right Things, At The Right Time

It's been a down day  
She's been waiting for someone to say  
No need to cry  
Just stand up and fight  
Negative luck on that  
No happiness has come back  
She listened to the sound of ring  
Which made her heart sting  
Picked up the phone  
Quietly said, "Hello? "  
"Hey, beautiful, " he replied.  
"Thought I'd call and say good night."  
Then the tears flow  
Just had to let them go  
Sniffle here, sniffle there  
Crying so clear and bare  
He was blank on what to say  
The best thing that happened all day  
"No need to cry, " he say.  
"Just stand up and fight." Like she wanted him to say  
"Try to relax."  
"Take a deep breath and sit back."  
Hearing those words, so easy  
Settles the soul, so cleanly  
"Please smile."  
"I've wanted to see it for a while."  
She let out a giggle  
Not another sound, not even a wiggle  
Slowly smiling, wiping away the tears  
As if it were him for all those years  
"I love you." Was all she said.  
"I love you." He said to her before bed  
He blew a kiss in the soft silence  
She missed so much of his kindness  
Nothing left, but her and the dark  
Closing her eyes, 'til the morning lark.

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# The Tiny Four-Legged Thing

Everything is silent  
Pins are heard  
Slapping the cement floor  
Leveling out a sense of nerves

Little ones await Papa to find it  
Where is that terd?  
Did it run under the door?  
In little lines and curves

That beast!  
The terrible scoundrel!  
Dirty rodent!  
Damned infestant!

Now there is no feast  
The appetites are now down hill  
If it returns, they will stone it  
Until the rat is found, there will be no restin'!

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# The Way I Feel

The way I feel  
Is the way I live  
This is how I deal  
With the love you give

Holding you close  
In my arms; Feeling your breath  
Connecting nose to nose  
Never forgetting the way we left

When we meet again  
We smile and run  
To each other holding onto the grin  
So psyched for so much fun

The love in your eyes  
Shows in every way  
I know there will be no more goodbyes  
The feeling has never changed to this day

Feeling your touch upon my skin  
Gives me a warm chill  
When you hold me softly  
My sadness, you have killed

Looking in the mirror  
At the both of us  
Love is so much clearer  
We find the forever truth in lust

I'm still in your arms  
In my mind  
And in our hearts  
We'll step forward; never to rewind

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# The Way You Love

I love the way you smile like the sun  
Sway like the ocean  
And kiss like lying on wet grass  
Cry like the rain

I love the way you glisten like the stars  
Sing like the birds  
And dance like fireflies  
Cuddle like a blanket

I love the way you race your breath  
Say you're sorry  
Act so innocently in love  
Call me by my name

I love the way you promise forever  
Stay by my side  
Add the laughter to life  
Caress me in your arms

I love the way you smile like the sun  
I love the way you glisten like the stars  
I love the way you race your breath  
I love the way you promise forever

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# This Is Us

I look at you  
In your bright green eyes  
I see the skies of blue  
They are calm with no tide  
No fear, no sign of a frown  
Just a smile that warms my heart  
Now there is nothing that can bring me down  
Nor will there be anything to tear us apart  
Dreaming of the forever  
That starts at this moment  
We're worth being together  
Spray us with some scent  
That means we blend  
Something that goes right  
And stays fresh 'til the end  
That is when we'll fly like a kite.

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# Valentine's Day

Today's the day  
The number one day  
The chance for lovers  
To spend time with each other  
You are the one to do it  
The only one to show it  
A big heart for one  
And many more to come  
Let today be true  
And God bless you

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