

Poetry Series

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This is a shared page between me and my friend.

Some of the poems are mine and some are hers.

Lexi Smith is not a real person just in case you were we are both from Aberdeen.

That`s about it really.

Enjoy the poems.

Alone

^^Alone, crying into an abyss,
You have seen horrors but stood strong,
A few careless words
And you are broken

Alone, surrounded by friends and
Held in loving embraces, Alone
You are anger and everyone's pain
Useless, pitiful, alone. Alone in a crowd.

Clouds, made of water vapour, a hard and ugly truth.
Make gentle seats. You will sit on those clouds
There you and I are wholly and fully alone.
Banished, glad to have expelled yourself.

Alone crying into an abyss
What now?
A loving hand to lead the way
A gentle firm and solid grasp brightens the path from the brink.

Can I trust it
I did before, unquestioningly
But time has aged my judgement
I am made weary by experience

Experience of sleepless nights and hate filled eyes
Of sideways glances at my hollowed core
Of hopeless agony
And worst of all of heaving, swirling confusion.

For now though I am too tired to protest
Too weakened to resist the support
But know now that my trust is cold
And brittle from your repeated chilling
^^

Alone...

They cry but no one cares,
They hug but no one's there.
They laugh but no one hears,
And the others laugh at their fears.

They sit in anger,
They shake with the pain.
They hate them so badly,
And their efforts to escape are all in vain.

You know about this child,
You know about her pain.
But you don't help or even smile,
After all, what do you stand to gain?

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Blind Wonderland

The shadows creeping on the ground
cause me no fear i make no sound
for when true darkness comes i know
that it will banish pain and woe

the ground grows soft beneath my feet
the meadow stretches the smells more sweet
the rags i wear, a gown of silk
rancid water i drink becomes good clean milk

i wander through this land of mine
oblivious to passing time
and in this place nobody cries
no salty tears or shimm'ry eyes

in mirrors, I SEE, my wide eyed face
nobody needs a saving grace
unlike the world which we live in
i feel no shame i have committed no sin

so here i lie beside my lake
how many hours until i wake
i hear no sound i feel no fear
i know my wonderland will disappear^^

Lexi Smith

Break Me

^^Beat me, thrash me, leave me here to die,
you will never break me, you will never see me cry,
and i will live forever, maing your life a living hell,
even if you think youve won there'll be noone you can tell,
you will never marry, you will never fall in love,
for i will be in heaven all controlling from above^^

Lexi Smith

Broken People

more scribblings sorry...

^^for all the broken people

imagine all the tears

as their lives crashed down around them

their hopes becoming fears

though they need not be alone

they need not cry themselves to sleep

their hearts are too far shattered

for them the darkness only creeps

they have cried a river

all upon their own

they cannot help but await the day

that their hearts will turn to stone

Lexi Smith

Dare To Dream

Dare to dream of far off lands,
Dream of deserts, covered in sand.
Dream of rainforests, trees high above
Dream of finding your one true love.

Dare to dream of lies or the truth,
Dream of never losing your youth.
Dream of battles, dream of a spark.
Dream of light, a light in the dark.

Dare to dream of fighting and sadness,
Dream of men, succumbed to madness.
Dream of warmth and heat and flame,
Dream that your life is just a game.

Dare to dream of hate and mistrust,
Dream of all that's true and just.
Dream of drowning, drowning in the sea,
Dare to dream of dreaming, yes dare to dream with me.

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Dreams

^^we can dance forever below an endless sky,
our hearts are locked forever and our love will never die
no broken words or darkening nights can change the way we are,
and we will ride forever on a distant dying star^^

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Eyes

^^They sparkle like moonlight on the crest of a wave,
They laugh and they cry and they shimmer with rage,
They hurt and they love they see and they hate,
Oh eyes have so many such wonderful states,
They see you hide like a cat on the prowl,
They see the tide as the cliffs growl,
Eyes can lie and they lie far too well,
Seeing only the beauty and what they want to tell,
Some eyes have seen death destruction despair,
For eyes like these say a silent prayer,
Cause they have seen hate and they have seen war,
But they must live on to see another shore.^^

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Forbidden

^^I've cried for so long
Been tired and drained for too long
How can this still hurt me?
How much can one soul take?
Surely soon I'll break.

So hold me in your arms some more
Whisper till your throat is sore
Our love forbidden for ever more
But we must be
Surely she'll see

Without you my heart aches and quivers
Outside your arms my whole self shivers
Without you I can't be me
Without you the world can see
My weaknesses, I cannot be.

When we're together I am strong
Even when what we do is wrong
When I help you break your hearts
Tear my friend's to little parts
I know her pain I feel it too
I know the cause of this is you
But still I love
Without a doubt
I love
And cannot be without.
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Four Simple Words

^^you have left me dirty,
empty cold alone,
you wont have to hear me whining,
have to listen to me moan.

you used to make me happy,
when you kissed me long and hard,
but now i feel that every touch,
has left my body scarred.

i guess i never realised,
how easy it was for you,
just to say four simple words,
they are 'i love you too'^^

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I Cry

^^Don't leave me here I'm drowning,
Its getting dark and I cant swim,
I cannot watch you leaving,
turn around and listen.

Listen to the steady beat,
Playing softly in your ear,
Listen hard and listen well,
To the beat, the beat of fear.

My heart throbs beneath the water,
As my eyes begin to drift,
To somewhere far and empty,
Far and empties where they drift.

Lifts up above the thrashing sea,
I leave you far behind,
As I go somewhere empty,
I where I can relieve me mind.

You know my hearts stopped beating,
But still you walk away,
You know your cheating on my life,
But still you do not stay.

My body rolls against the waves,
It bobs from side to side,
I know that you have left me,
So within myself I Cry^^

Lexi Smith

Inevitable Changes

^^Darkness never lingers
when the morning comes to call
and when the shadows lengthen
the sun never fails to fall

and when it comes to winter
spring is never far behind
then i know that after autumn
winter's what i'll find

as i watch the daisies grow
i know that they will die
and when i see the birds go
back to me they'll fly^^

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Insignificance

^^will you leave me here i ask,
disappear without a trace,
the tears i swore would never fall,
are pouring down my face.

in your haste to leave this place,
you left something behind,
you are yet to realise,
that her memory haunts your mind.

forever and for always,
her broken heart will stay,
the tatters thrown across the sky,
characters in a play.

the sun goes down,
the curtain falls,
i see how small we are,
significant as dolls^^

^^i think that the stanzas work better on their own but i'd be interested to know
if you think the contrasts, in this case, attract^^

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Lonliness

^^He dances round the fire,
in the dead of night,
when he thinks theres noone watching,
when he thinks hes out of sight.

he does not know i see him,
he doesnt seem to care,
that i can see him dancing,
wild nettles in his hair.

i dont know what hes doing,
staying up the whole night long,
i can hear his mumbled chanting,
a kind of magic song.

perhaps hes slightly crazy,
perhaps hes raving mad,
but when his little fire burns out,
he seem a little sad.

maybe hes just lonely,
so he does this every night,
just to burn the lonliness,
thats killing him inside^^

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Lost

^^so here i am
again again
i thought i learned
ill count to ten

one the times
i thought you cared
two the love and pain
you spared

three the friend
through you ive lost
now you have her
i paid the cost

four the hurt
i spent on you
five the times
i cried boohoo

six the scars
you left me with
seven, position of
the nearest cliff

eight how hard
you lied to me
nine how i beleived
your glee

and ten oh ten
how can i love?
how can i trust?
when you, you've had enough^^

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No More

When i can dream again
one day i know i will
i shall not waste my hours
of peace, that's calm and still

dreaming of a shattered memory
that never will come true
there was a time i won't deny
when i only breathed for you

instead i'll think of happy times
things that i can change
if only it were simple
my heart not in a cage

if only we were meant to be
if only we could stay
wrapped up inside a memory
for all eternity^^

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Purpose

^^Oh cautious brook why do you flow?
And where oh where do you want to go?
I'm wondering if the wind will blow
After all is said and done will clouds still need to snow?
Up high above us the trees lean to and fro
Why wind do you test them so?
To tear their roots up from below?
To scare the mice and timid doe?
And now I see the fevered crow
Why do you fly till pale moon glow?
For sure as I, You will die
That's why I beg the answer
If all things die, what purpose is there?
For in the end, who is to know?
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Shadows

^^The sunlight,
Casting awkward shadows,
On the dusty wooden floors,
Creates an air of solitude,
Of what cannot be ours.

A while away,
Inside a wood,
Two brothers stand,
Amidst the dappling,
Of autumn light.

Watching out across the moon,
A lonely child,
Locked in her room,
Recounts the tales,
She used to tell,
Of shadows,
And of magic,
Spells.^^

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Tears

i can spend many an hour,
crying my eyes out in the shower,
when in there noone can see,
the crumbling mess of what was me.

i cry until i can no more,
a shaking mess on the tiled floor,
when im there noone can see,
the emptyness of what won't be.

she will not stop though i have tried,
she's irresponsive to my cries,
so i cry where noone can see,
the broken centre of what was me.

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Useless

^^In too deep
The pressure hurts your ears
You made it home
You've let me go

Thought I meant something
Maybe much more than I do
I thought I might have mattered
Of course I'm selfish
You know that you are too

What happened to your laughter?
When did it start to fade?
What happened to our hopes and dreams?
Just a lie? A wild string of fantasies?
To share with only me?

I love you still (I always have)
I'm racked with guilt, I am to blame.
"Of course you aren't" I ask you then
Why do I feel, why would I feel
So hollow, empty, angry, bruised?

How can I go on? I know I'm not enough
What's the point in living with nothing left to save?
"There's hope" they lie, I hate myself.
I can do nothing, only bring pain.
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