

Poetry Series

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I always base my life in this song, so simple but so strong...

Time in a Bottle

If I could save time in a bottle
The first thing that I'd like to do
Is to save every day
Till eternity passes away
Just to spend them with you

If I could make days last forever
If words could make wishes come true
I'd save every day like a treasure and then,
Again, I would spend them with you

But there never seems to be enough time
To do the things you want to do
Once you find them
I've looked around enough to know
That you're the one I want to go
Through time with

If I had a box just for wishes
And dreams that had never come true
The box would be empty
Except for the memory
Of how they were answered by you

But there never seems to be enough time
To do the things you want to do
Once you find them
I've looked around enough to know
That you're the one I want to go
Through time with

***if You Ever Felt That You Needed Me Again?**

What damage me the most?
Is the day that should have been,
one of the biggest in our lives;
The day, you and I supposed to build a dream.

I was troubled,
I desired of you.
I always thought deep in my heart
That you would be there for that exceptional moment,
No matter what our lives could have been.

As I laid on that tiny green grass on the park,
having your thoughts in a room in my mind,
I thought you would show up.
I just prayed so hard that you would come,
but you didn't.

You didn't even call to see if I'm ok.
I have never felt so sad in my life, lost,
and alone as I did that day.
I wish I knew your reasons, I just wish I could understand.

But, if you ever felt that you needed me again?
I'll always be here;
For you have a special place in my heart-
and no matter what,
you'll stay there forever.

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***that Woman Is You! ! ! ! ! ! !**

I always dreamed of that one individual,
That I would allocate my dreams,
Contentment and life with...
I could not see her face but she's always there.
I always felt like she was out there,
I just needed to feel her.
I picture the bond we would have,
The courage she would give me to carry on life's obstacles.
All these years I was all by my self,
And feeling my way through life.
Learning lessons that in a while which would prepare me,
To become the individual that I am now.
For years, I have felt on my own and dishearten.
Then one day my eyes opened
And I became that little young adult again...
Understand that she is here now.
Here in my world was the woman,
That I had dreamed of...
Just hoping that I would not miss our meeting in life...
That woman is YOU! ! ! ! ! ! !

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A Feelings In Words

I am writing to let you know how I feel
I cannot describe my intense affection and emotion
Therefore, I am going to put my feelings in words.
Since the first day, I met you.
I have not been the same,
These abstract feelings I just cannot seem to tame.
I am starting to like you in a different way.
I dream of you every day!
I love everything about you!
Your sweet simple smile,
Your beautiful eyes,
Your tin & long shinny hair,
And you're simple but lovely face...
If you only know, how I feel for you?
I can't get you out of my mind,
I can't get you out of my heart,
I can't get you out of my soul,
Every day my feelings just keep growing
What I am trying to tell you is this,
That I am falling in love with you –
Yes, it's true!
I always understand if you don't feel the same.
I only want you to know how I really feel.
And this is no lie, I am for real.

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A Patch On What I Feel (A Thank You Poem To All Ph Members)

If I haven't say –
I am so lucky to meet you all here in POEMHUNTER.
I will always adore and respect you all for the rest of my life.
All of you are wonderful person,
My words cannot convey how much all of you mean to me.
Just thinking about these feelings
Makes me tingle all over –
It feels like these feelings should be for real poets only –
Because I just consider myself only a die-hard fan, all of your poetry.
I don't know if you do understand what I am trying to say:
It feels great to actually care for you
And be comfort by your words in return.
I never felt less or more when I am with your poems;
You are all so full of wisdom about life
That when you write it really makes me think
That I could stay there forever
Just to listen to your open mind,
For it is very peaceful and inviting.
Your poems always make me feel needed.
I just want to thank you for that,
And I thank God for sending you all to me,
I will do my best to give my everlasting love, care and comfort.
This poem is just a patch on what I feel,
I want to thank you all from bottom of my heart
And deepest of my soul...
The rest is a private conversation between our hearts.
For now a day,
I promise to care,
To comfort and love you and your poems even more...

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A Rare Mixture Of So Many Special Things (A Tribute To All Ph Members)

It might be all the things
I see in all of your heart,
The things that everyone will notices
That I admires in all of you,
All of your persona,
All of your capabilities
And all of your astonishing personality
Obviously allied to a warm and affectionate heart;
These belongings set all of you apart from everyone else.
But it may also be the big things...
The friend you really are that I hope to know more someday.
And it might also be the little things...
The way you engrave your words and all your poetry.
I receive so much bliss
Just being able to see a smile in all of your heart.
If I ever figure out the enchantment
That makes you all so extraordinary,
I'd probably find out that it's a combination
Of all these things.
You are all a rare mixture
Of so many special things.
You are all really amazing.

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A Thousand Words A Day

I resolve to write her up
A thousand words a day
And ask her if she'll want me
In some old fashioned way
But my silent fears have gripped me
Long before I reached the post office
Long before my body has stripped me
Though I tried before to tell her
All the feelings I have for her in my heart
Every time that I come near her
I just loose my self as I've done from the start
Coz every single thing she does, simply amazed me
Every little thing she does, just turns magic on me
Even though my life before was tragic
Now I know with her love it always be a magic! ! !

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All The Wonderful Women Of Poem Hunter

You are all by far a wonderful Women.
I always see how all of you humbled yourself
Into something even more precious and beautiful
With all of your words, every lines and stanza
Made me realize how precious and fragile a friend can be
In addition, although I will not be there to see you all glance
Even more and be a part of all your goals and dreams,
I know that in the distance and in spirit...
I will be there for all of you always.
You all were my neighbors, my mother and my sister.
I want you all to emerge into your greatness
I always had faith in all of you,
To take care of all the things in life on your own.
With that in mind,
I want you all to be the best that you can be
In all that you do.
I believe in all of your dreams as I believe in all of you
In short, all of you made a difference in my life.

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Allie's Dream (Alison Cassidy & Jerry Hughes)

Allie always had a dream for Jerry,
a dream that nobody can accomplish.
She cried herself to sleep thinking of him,
she looked up at their star,
and wished him to get all the best in this world.

She always shows her love everyday
just to give him strength.
When she's in Jerry's arms
he always takes her in rainbow splash of colour -
Her partner...
Her best friend...
Her husband...
Her love...
Her soul mate...

For 45 long years she loved him dearly...
She always loved him at his worst,
and is always there at his best.
Splashed with the freedom of a child
on the canvas of her life,
in the dizzying tempo into each other.
So she stands at the core
of something which is not easy,
yet extraordinarily beautiful.

Every so often, there is peace,
like one of those magnificent colors.
The hue of another beautiful reminiscence,
Washes over and through her
and she smiles through her tears.

You are so dear to me Mother Alison,

Mahal kita!

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And I Call Her 'Just Meggie' (Meggie Gultiano)

I know you'll find it hard to believe me
If I tell you that they describe you in there poems perfectly
I could hardly understand how I can describe you
Knowing that I really don't know
What literal perfect words that will fit for you
I've never been like this before
I really love to give my friend and mentor
The words she will cherished eternally
I just don't know how to pour out my feelings for you
I wanted to find those wonderful and bizarre words
To make you realize how much you mean to me
But words continue to elude me
What would they be?
Something poetic?
I'm sure it should be heartfelt and out of the ordinary
I'm afraid it's no use; every time I see your name and your poetry
The words came out the same
Ahhhh..... This woman will always be my Just Meggie!

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And This Poem Ends As It Began – (Mary Wismer)

Strong and courageous name Mary
For me, she possesses a character of a fairy,
A lovely woman from my country.
Had a wonderful journey from Philippines to Switzerland
A country for a beautiful lady.
Once she makes a vow to God
That she will stand by his side what ever happens,
No matter what the cost or even if it takes her life.
She is reluctant to back down from battle of her life,
Only God are able to heal her and she believe on his miracle.
Just so, she can be there for the people she dearly love most
Who are in great need of her love and affection
She signifies the character of a true Filipina
Because she is willing to risk everything, just to see them happy.
Mary Wismer, who's respected by all of her family and friends.
Moreover, one of them is Me.
She is enormous and possesses superhuman strength,
She has a great deal of compassion
For her friends, family and especially to God.
She isn't afraid to show her emotions.
This is important because at this time,
According to the survival code,
A woman has to show his feelings publicly.
Time will come,
She will no longer possesses the power she once had
To fight the illness' that she have,
Because she is not as strong as she was back then
And we will realizes that the strength she had is fading,
When she battle for her life,
All of us who truly love and care for her
Always pray and will always find a way
Just to make her happy as long as she could stay
I Always bear in my mind that your affection
And true friendship will be ours forever,
I intend to keep it until for the rest of my life...
And this poem ends as it began –

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Because I Make Mistakes By: Karina Leal

Because I make Mistakes

Anguished for not being able to handle
Pressured to do well, to act.
Failed to attend a request.

As a human
Exposing my agony,
Exposing my pain.
Sharing the truth,
Sharing my inbox,
I exposed you.

Somehow so sensible to my pain,
Insensible I was to your pen.
Sorry I truly am not, as I acted,
And you reacted.

So here I am to act again:
Thank you for your teachings,
Thank you for your reaction,
And Thank you for sharing the truth.

Love to you friendly soul, Again, I thank you!

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Broken Heart Of Mine

I have loved and been hurt before,
so I have let down my guard,
just to covered this broken heart of mine.
I always think of given up on love,
I feel that it already gave up on me.

Pls. do not try your chances on this broken heart of mine,
just turn around and find a better person in place of me.
Even thou it hurts,
I'll let the pain remain, just to see you happy

I am sure you will find someone better than me,
who won't hurt your feelings as if I do?
Find a person that will not complicated your life,
for my heart has given up,
this decision, it's really hard for me...

I let go of you and my heart aches,
I can feel the pain,
forever it will remain...
I recognize the confusion you are going through,
I also feel the pain of letting go of you.

You could have been the best thing happened in my life,
you'll see, you will be the one who will profit on it...
For your family doesn't like me,
for the reason that I'm not the man that they expected to be.

Just to prove my love for you,
I'll set you free.
I don't want you to complicated your life,
or choice between your family and me.

So here, I am willing to bear all the pain,
you know what the saddest part is?
I am willing to live with my heart in pain,
never knowing what we could have been.

I will miss the chance today to love you purely.

I promise you after this life,
I will search for you again,
and I will love you more eternally! ☐

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Dream Maker

Dream Maker; make my dreams come true.
As I close my eyes,
Please hold me tight, all night?
Just be here by my side,
When my nights are cold and lonely?
Put your love on me,
Which I crave so deeply.
I cannot imagine my life without you.
You are everything deep inside of me
That I wish I could be and so much more.
I look at my life way back then,
I don't know how I ever survived.
You are my savior,
My angel,
My miracle.
Now that I have you,
I am never letting you go!
I will do anything it takes to make you happy
That is the only thing that matters to me.
You are perfect in my eyes,
And there is absolutely nothing
That I would ever change about you.
I know that no one is perfect,
But in my eyes you are.
It leaves me amazed yet blessed
To found someone as special as you.
I promise to love you every seconds of my life!

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Eternally And For Always

For me, without you,
There really is no point to move on.
If you do love me,
Please look at me with those attractive eyes,
Please touch my arm with your affectionate soft hands,
Please croon to me with your golden voice...
Please tame me with that angelic face
Please- just do it,
I always vision for a day when it's just you and me,
A day my heart can tell
How much I care for you...
How much I need you...
How much I love you...
I always pray for you every day
That you'll share a life with me one day.
For my mind will always dream of you.
For my heart will always need you.
If ever that I will go away,
I am leaving my soul with you.
Eternally and for always,
It will always belong to you.

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From This I Must Say...

It's been month since the last time I saw your face.
I had seen so many desert's and sandstorms
So many moons and sunsets
So many days passed by....
I miss the draft of your face.
My empathy longed for you
As the grass longed for the rain.
Wondering, what have you been doing now?
I hope you still remember
The way I talk to you back then.
There are so lots of things
That I can't forget about you.
The means of your smile
In the outstanding light of day,
The way you enchanted with your persona ...
The way you speak,
Those so precious and very charming words ...
The way you bestow your comfort thru presence
Just to make feel better and better,
The way you shown your care, love and affection
From this I must say...
I will always love the whole thing about you.
I wish I could be there where you are right now.
Just to hold you and tell
The very surreptitious that my soul kept inside up to now
- that your always here in my heart and you will stay here forever.
This is my function in life...
To love you and give all the very best for you,
To serve you the best way I can.
When ever I express my feelings,
I always feel you here inside of me.
I promise to love you forever.
Thank you for lighting my life.

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God Gave Me You

As I would remember the time
When I asked the Lord before we've met,
To give me someone that I could love with all my heart
And would love me in return,
Someone I can grow old with
To spend that rest of my imperfect life,
Someone who I can lean on,
Someone who will give me comfort,
And someone whom I can spend for the rest of my life
Through all ups and downs of my life,
God gave me you.
I thank Him that for all the millions of women here,
He leads you to me.
I promise that whatever struggles or trials
We have to endure in our relationship,
I would still hold on to our love
Because I believe that,
This is just the way of God
To teach us to be strong and faithful to each other.
Again and again, we will still be together
Start a new life to with a better future ahead of us.
I thank God for you and thank you for being you.
I love you now and I'm sure I'll love you even more tomorrow....

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Heart And Soul

We once we're afraid to be reject
After all of the times that we had
Been loved and left before.
Our thought this would be the same,
Therefore, we didn't let ourselves
To keep our faith anymore.
We was afraid to be hurt, left,
Whatever, but God showed us
What we really mean to Him.
He is always there every time we need someone we can talk too.
Someone would listen to us...
Someone we could trust...
Someone we can lean on...
We have been loved and left before,
And God is always there for us
Every time we're in the lowest point of our life.
Now, our lives seem to be empty without Him.
Maybe sometimes we fell that he has done-
Something that hurt us, and He is sorry....
For all we know how much He loves us,
He sacrifice his precious life just to save us,
His love for us continues to grow
Every split seconds of our life,
And even though sometimes we feel
That He is gone for a while.
It will never fade.
Because we are his one true love,
God loves us with all of his heart and soul.
We are his everything.
God Always blesses us!

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Here In Poemhunter, We'Re All Family

Tomorrow's hopes and dreams may never die
For as long as you believe in God
And follow your heart.

Kindness in your heart will guide you
To carry out many things in life
And triumph over all challenges,
All obstacles and love.

Never give up,
Always have faith in yourself
And you will gain the supreme gift of all,
The gift of hope and love you virtuously deserve.

Whatever you may do in future's way,
Never let anyone stand in the way
Of pursuing your dreams and wishes
Know that you will always have families
And friends like us to lean on
And stand by whenever you need us.

Vow to your words and soul
That loving others with dignity
And respect is the key to achieve great success
And everlasting love in life.

No matter what you choose to do in life,
The help, the gratitude,
Will always be there from us
Who loves you so much.

Here in PH we're all family
Your family always wish the best for you.
God bless you always

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I Hope You Could Stay

Some feelings never change
Some feelings will remain
And I always hope and pray
That you could stay that day
And maybe I shall find a way
For you to love me and stay...

Past doesn't matter to me
Future we may not ever know
I hope you listen to me
As I try to say
That all I want is you to stay...

If you only feel
What you put me through
You might not have gone away
You're all I ever wanted
You're all I ever love
And this is the reason for me,
To love you and begging you to stay...

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I'm Just Here - I Care (For My Dearest Friend Mary Wismer)

How can I tell you what I'm feeling when sometimes,
I don't even understand your pain.
I wish things were perfectly wonderful for you,
But you're going to have to work at it to make them that way.
I do believe you have so much to build on...
So many things to accomplish...
So many things to do...
Your memories and your love for family most of all.
I may not always understand why you possess these illnesses,
Or exactly how to make yourself stronger,
But I care enough to want you to try to find out.
When the world closes in and lies so heavily upon you,
I'm just here - I care.
When cancer is only brought you pain,
I'm just here - I care.
What cannot be, cannot be, but always,
I'm just here - I care.
Never be afraid to come to me my dearest friend
If you have need of the simplest thing!
Love of a family...
Care of a brother ...
Comfort of a friend...
No matter what it is,
I'm just here - I care.

You are so dear to me Mary,

I will always pray to God everyday to bless you with everything you deserve...

Mahal kita kaibigan,

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Inside Of Me (A Valentine Poem)

Inside of me, there is always a place for you
All my sweetest thoughts reside,
Where my uppermost hopes are kept alive,
Where my sincere feelings are felt
My beloved memoirs are secure and affectionate.
For ever and a day you're on my mind,
More a lot than any other thought.
I always bring you there intentionally
Just to make my day happy.
But more often, you always astonish me,
For discover your own ways into my thoughts.
There are certain periods when I motivate,
In my life you're always been a part of it.
Every seconds, minute and hour,
Then during the night and day
When my imagination is free to run,
It always takes me into your loving arms
And allows me to linger there
Knowing there's nothing I'd rather do.
I know my thoughts are only reflecting
The loving hopes of my heart
Because whenever I wander,
They always take me to you.

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Lola (Grand Mother)

Having you in my life,
Even thou for a short time,
You brought me happiness
That a lifetime could not bring.
You have touched my life so deeply
In your own expressive way
That you helped me go on
Moreover, come into my own person more.
On certain days,
You even made things okay
When I would be at my lowest
In heart, and through the bind of love,
You will always be my LOLA
For my love to you bounded
As that of grand children, love her grand mother.
I will miss your sweet caress
I will miss your good night kisses
I will miss your warm embrace,
And in the mornings when I awake,
At least I can find your eyes in the blue sky.
You will always be my LOLA for the rest my life.

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More Than Words Can Say

There are so many words I want to say;
but can't seem to express-
like some word coming from my heart,
but always remain in a hidden part.
There are so many things I always felt;
but keeping you in my thoughts has brought me joy,
and happiness beyond compare.
There are so many dreams I want to share;
hoping for you to make it real.
Just always remember this-
that you always in my heart,
and you will stay there FOREVER....

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Poets & Poems (Dedicated To Every Poet Of Poem Hunter)

I miss the poets love and affection.
I miss there poems sincere emotion.
I miss not having them in my life,
Even when everyday they are.
I love those poets like they never know.
I love there poems with my entire heart and soul.
I search for the poet,
I search for there poems.
I want every letter,
I need every word,
Without this poets
I do not know how to live...
I do not know how to move on...
I just don't know!
I don't understand why I was hurt
Every time your poems cry,
Moreover, happy when they are smile.
I know I'm looking for someone to love
Now I found it with all the poets and with there poems...
I love the poets...
I love there poems...
I simply love them all...

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Prayer For All Of Us

Dear god,

Most of our life we always desire,
a perfect situation,
a perfect life.

Yet, You, my Lord,
do not grant us a perfect life.

What You give instead is a perfect heart
in the midst of an imperfect life.

Teach us to be cheerful, hopeful, smiling.

Lord, we would like to thank you
for giving us another day to live in this paradise of yours.

Another chance to serve you the best way we can.

Another choice to correct our mistake the best way we could.

Thank you my Lord, because your always there for us

every time we need someone to lean on,

understand us the best way you could,

and love us the best way you can,

in the ups and down of our imperfect life.

Amen....

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Since You Walked Away

I always believe I'm okay
After all, it's been awhile
Since you walked away
Even didn't saying any goodbye
You turned my days into weeks
Months into years
But you've made me a better person
By breaking my heart
You ended my life
And made a better one start
You taught me everything
From falling in love
To letting go of a lie
You made me stronger
By saying goodbye
If you try to believe I'm not over you
Just believed....
There's nothing wrong with making believe
Because I used to pretend you will be back
But time has been so nice to me
Brought me to my senses again
And I have you to thanked
For setting me free....

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The Things That Remind Me Of You

I always want to remember
The places we used to be
And all the things that remind me of you
I could still recall
Those precious memories of us
The joy and the laughter
The love & the trials that we've been through
Here I am alone in this empty room
And I let my mind just fly you to the end
I've been trying to hold
It doesn't know if I could still go on
You said you cared for me
But then you had to go
The tears begin to show
Tears falling down my cheeks that
I wanted you to stay
Thoughts of you still linger in my memory
Wondering why my life is not that fair
But don't you worry I always understand
Because you are my life, you are my soul
I always want to hear the songs
The songs we used to sing
I always want to recall
Those special moments of us
Because that is all the things
That always reminds me of you...

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This Tension, It Kills Me

My unspoken attraction is enough to fill up volumes.
How can I get closer to you?
I am too shy to talk to,
In this moment, It's feel safer to watch you
From a distance with no rejections.
You have taken up a part of my life.
You just build a residence in my soul
All I want is you so badly...
All I want is you to listen to me...
All I want is you to tell me that you want me...
Why I'm always not in my self whenever you speak.
My heart always rumbles every time I see you.
I take in the way you move, the way you talk,
The way you smell whenever you are around.
Dream to touch your face without a feel
I cannot believe it is real...
My eyes directed down when your gaze falls upon me,
That simple smile - I want so badly!
This tension, it kills me.
Every time I think of you
I can feel the butterflies fluttering deep inside me.
Maybe you do not notice the way I look at you;
Or maybe you could not see me
Nevertheless, when I look at you,
Nothing could turn my eyes away.
Moreover, someday soon I will wake
And will find my heart will not have to break.

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Too Good To Dream With.....

It's the end of the week
And I was thinking about you
I want you to know how much I sincerely love you
The little times we've spent in each other
It means so much to me
It truly seems like I've known you before? ? ? ?
I honestly can't imagine life without you now
There will be no looking back,
No second thoughts
No regrets
You're all I ever dream...
You're all I ever wanted...
You're all I ever love...
And my love for you only grow stronger everyday
I've truly been blessed by finding you
And I'll never let you go
Because you're the answer to all of my dreams

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When I First Met You

When I first met you,
My heart was beating so fast.
Each and every day,
I yearn for you,
Your presence,
Your voice,
Your sweet caresses,
And yourself.
When my confidence is not there,
Those thoughts were driving me nuts;
You were there to clear my doubts
And make me secure with your words and actions.
Praise God we will go to all the obstacles together,
I promise nothing can bring us down.
If ever that you would have changed,
It won't change the fact that I will love you even in your worst.
Never the less, I will love you for who you are.
I will still stand by you and be with you until God knows when.
Deep down in my heart and yours,
We both know the answer very well.
I thank for the endless love and patience given by you all these while.
I could not ask any much more,
I am contented enough and grateful to have you by my side.
Without you in my life,
My life would be haywire and hanging as before.
I am indeed bless to have you,
We came this far.
We will be together until our goals achieved and so on.
Right from the bottom of my heart,
You are the one that I truly treasure the most.
And thank you for loving me just the way I am.

Rommel Filoteo

You Loved Me When No One Else Would

I will always say my undyingly thankful for you.
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I could always cry on your shoulder
You loved me when no one else would
You always came when I asked you to
You were my strength when I was weak
My breath when I could not speak.
You protect me and guide me
For that, I will always be truly grateful to you forever
I just want to say 'Thank You' and I'll always love you.

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