

Poetry Series

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My name is Shirley Standley and I'm a sophomore at Greenon High School. I love writing poetry about my life.

Do I Deserve This

He broke this fragile thing

I like to call it my heart

He used and abused me

I'm so determined

I'm never gonna give up

I just have to tell him how i feel inside

So here it goes

Im screaming at him the words that mean so much

But to him they're meaningless words

Im trying so hard to get through to him

Ive made my mistakes

He wont forgive me

Maybe this is goodbye

So i give up

My heart cant take this anymore

Then this gorgeous wonderful guy

Comes and sweeps me off my feet

I think its too good to be true

Im in love once again

He picks up the pieces to my heart

And steals it away

I'm not used to this

He treats me like gold

Do I deserve this?

12-28-05.

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Forever This Is What He Will Be

- * When I'm down
- * He comforts me
- * When I cry
- * He makes me laugh
- * When I wish I were dead
- * He makes those wishes disappear
- * When I need a hand
- * His hand is always there
- * When I'm sad
- * He cheers me up
- * When I'm mad
- * He makes me happy
- * When I'm sick
- * He takes care of me
- * When I need someone
- * He's there for me
- * When my heart was broken
- * He was there to pick up the pieces
- * No matter what mood I am in
- * He makes me smile

* He's always there for me

* Forever this is what he'll be

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I Never Thought

- * I never thought we would be more than friends
- * But we're together
- * I never thought I would love another guy again
- * But I love you with all my heart
- * I never thought I would find the perfect relationship
- * But I'm pretty sure this is it
- * Now you are my everything
- * I can't picture ever living without you again
- * Now I wonder how I made it before
- * Without your love, support, and comfort
- * I am nothing
- * So, what took you so long? ?

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I'M Screaming Out

If this is a dream

Don't wake me up

I've found the one I love

The one I want to spend my life with forever

I wish he would listen & hear me out

I'm screaming out how I feel about him

Someone listen please

He's what I've been searching for

Everything I've ever wanted

He has what every girl wants

He's the perfect man

But why did he pick me

Seems like a dream

It's so unreal

I just want to run through the streets

Crying out how I feel & what I see

For our future together

How did this happen to me

It's like we're meant to be

From head to toe

From personality to smile

His charm & his love

His hugs & his kisses

His looks & his words

When he gets mad or sad

When he's happy or glad

I love everything about him

Everything he says & does

He has a heart of gold

I happen to be the girl he holds

5-18-06.

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The End Of My Fairy Tale

I'm drowning in all these questions in my head!

When do they end?

Will I regret this?

Will it get rid of my pain?

What do I gain?

I've been dreading this day.

This day, I thought, would never come!

Now, it's here...

And now it's over!

1 year, 2 months, and 17 days...

Such a long time...

To waste?

You ask me things like...

Do I love you! ?

Do I care! ?

You're so indecisive on what you want.

Which is why this is where we wound up.

It's time to part.

Go our separate ways.

We must end these lies.

All the deceit.

All the suffering.

I know it's hard.

Believe me, I'm crying, too.

But someday...

You'll thank me for ending this fairy tale we were living.

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The Story Of 'Us'

We met at my house, on a special, sort of day.
I came in and saw you and it took my breath away.
We were forced into kissing.
I had NO idea what I had been missing.

So, I got your number and called you.
At the end of the phone conversation, I was your boo.
We rushed into things way too fast.
I just didn't want to believe it, we had such a blast!

I told you how I felt about you as soon as I knew.
I had this big talk about how much I loved you.
You felt the same, just didn't want to admit it.
You thought if you just shut it out, that the feelings would just quit.

You made up excuses to break up with me.
I believed every word you said and was too blind to see.
Every time we broke up, I got hurt more and more
You were everything I ever wanted and adored.

I wanted to make sure we would stick by each other.
So, I made a sacrifice that I knew you wanted one way or another.
You made up another excuse.
I did not want to put up with any more mental abuse.

We were done again and I cried and cried.
Everyone told me that all you lied.
People said that you were only making it look like I'm the blame.
When, really, you should be the one to feel the shame.

I knew that you were just too scared.
If only you would've opened up and feelings we could've shared.
Things would've gone better that way.
But, you knew that you could have me back any day.

So, the third time ended and that was the last string.
This time, it was time to finally end this thing.
This game you played with my heart.
It was so hard to get myself to part.

I really wished that I would just die.
Until I got with this other guy.
Things were going really well.
But, suddenly that relationship went to hell.

I had this feeling that felt so right.
It was the feeling of you; love at first sight.
So, I got right on the phone and called you.
To my surprise, you were happy to hear from me, too.

You finally let loose and told me how you truly felt.
And you had me again, you made my heart melt.
I now have this feeling that you've changed so much.
I just have back your love and your touch.

I think the time is right now.
To tell you that I'm ready to settle down.
I always have and I always will love you.
And now I know that you do, too.

I knew you were a miracle from day one.
I just love you a ton!
Forever and always, we will be.
Forever and always, you'll have me.

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What I Love

i love when we're together
and how you say you're always mine.

i love the faces you make
and how you get confused.

i love how you can trust me
and everything you do.

i love how you tell me every detail
and every second of the day.

i love how our silent moments aren't really silent
because u can say i love you
without saying anything at all.

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When It's Over...

Why is it that when it's over...

You finally realize...

What a great thing you had...

&& Why is it that...

You never know what you've got...

'til it's gone...

&& Why is it when it's over...

You finally tell me you need me to breathe...

You tell me you want 'us' to be...

You realize how much you care...

You notice how you DO love me...

When it's over...

You think of how bad you REALLY treat me...

How you disrespect me...

How you only abuse me mentally...

&& How I'm dieing inside...

Well, Guess what! ? ...

I won't have this anymore...

No more repeating yourself...

No more lies...

No more disrespect...

No more abuse...

No more dieing inside...

No more mistreatment...

No more dissatisfaction...

&& No more 'us'...

Peace out...

Cuz I'm through with you!

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You

- * You're always here for me
- * You never leave me alone

- * Your kisses stay with me forever
- * Your heart I love is so tender

- * Your love is precious
- * I can't live without

- * The thought of you
- * Being by my side

- * Forever and ever
- * Until we die

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