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I have made a lot of mistakes in years past, and have the lessons written out in poems. I have fallen, picked myself back up, and now, here I am. I have a beautiful son and a loving husband. I am the luckiest girl in the world.

A Letter He'll Never Read

There are so many things I still want to say
So many tears that just won't go away
But will he ever know what's written in my heart?
Maybe not, but this is a great place to start.
I'm writing him a letter I know he'll never read
Not because he has a choice, it just won't be received
I'll never hand it over, never ever let it go
Maybe that's why there's still so much he doesn't know
I've written him this letter from the bottom of my heart
Right after he decided to tear the thing apart
Something's can't be helped, I've heard
But i'm not the quickest one to learn
It takes me a while before I catch on
And once I finally did, he was already gone
But I was thinking as I started to cry
I finally realized the reasons why
He needs some space, some time alone
I too could use some time on my own
The most painful part is having to see
Him carry on and laugh without me.
He took the smile from my blue eyes
And I hope down the road I get to try
To put this all behind us and make it true
And hopefully all of the good will shine through
But for now, I'm writing him this letter he'll never read,
I'll title it 'For You' and sign it, 'Love, Me'

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Angels And Demons

A new day is dawning
An age has just begun
I feel a war is waging
Yet nobody has won
Another end approaches
Beckoning me in
To see what could have been
But never will it be
When I did not begin
To understand my demons
My shadows, devils, pasts
However all the angels came
With a vision that still lasts
What if it's another distractor
To put my mind at bay?
But memories and new ideas
Enter anyway.

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Angry

He gets mad and blows up at his mom
I run and dodge the debris from this bomb
How do I tell him, make my feeling seen?
How can I tell him, I hate it when he's mean?
If I just let it out, won't he just get mad
I can't let that happen. The ending would be bad.
But tell me how to help us out
Muffle this his ever growing shout
How Can I control this power
That longs only to devour
Our fragile hearts?

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Carry On

Hoping for the truth
Receiving a thousand lies
I thought this was love
But it was a disguise
For the hate that you all feel for me
Trying to become
Who you never want to be
Afraid to overcome
Any obstacle that comes your way
Maybe you can change my mind
try tomorrow, it's too late today
I know that sometimes mistakes are made
No one knows when or why
All you know right now is that
you're too sad to cry
And although it makes no sense at all
I know i don't want to fall
Deeper into this mess you call
I ignore the ringing in my ears
You are all that i fear
Although no one can compete
And all of you makes me complete
I know one day this will be gone
But i will carry on.

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Come Around

My knees are weak, My breath is short
My mind is so clouded right now
I stumble on, Gasping for air
But I have no clue where to go
I think of you, Your smiling face
Then me sadly walking away
The tears fall down, I turn around
But you had nothing left to say

Now when I dream it's just of you
When I scream I call for you
When I'm hurt I think of you
When I cry I reach for you
But I know you're not coming around
So i'll just stay here on the ground
Gasping for air, barely making a sound
Just praying that you'll come back around

My heart is torn, My feelings shot
As I take one last look for you
My body's numb, my clothes are stained
And I still don't know what to do
I recall us, Our happy days
Spending all our time at the beach
My hand in yours, We hit the waves
And you were never far from reach

Now when I dream it's just of you
When I scream I call for you
When I'm hurt I think of you
When I cry I reach for you
But I know you're not coming around
So I'll just stay here on the ground
Gasping for air, barely making a sound
Just praying that you'll come around

My chance has come and gone, I wasted it on him
So I'll never know the warmth of you again!

But when I dream it's just of you
When I scream I call for you
When I'm hurt I think of you
When I cry I reach for you
But I know you're not coming around
I'll never get up off the ground
Gasping for air, barely making a sound
Dying til you come back around.

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Compatability

I find myself thinking of my future a lot.
You're almost always there, still sometimes you're not.
I need a definite explanation, an answer,
Are the signs compatible, Taurus and Cancer?

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Cutting

I'll say it, I'll tell
The world will finally know
Yes I did those things
Made red out of white snow
The icy steel was smooth
Sank so easily in
Out was not so sweet
But still my powers win
I understand it's bad
I'm crazy now they say
For cutting myself all up
Each and every day

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Ending

I put the pen to the paper and begin to write
I scratch it all out, then I turn out the light
I have to make a difference, a change
Or my life could easily arrange
For my removal
Without approval
I don't want to go
For then I'd never know
How this ends.

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Fallin' For You

Oh No, I think it's happening again
Dear Me, I swore I'd never let him in
Oh My, How can I be so unsure now
Come On, My new friend show me how
Teach me what I have to learn
To carry on with out concern
To let an evil past disappear
And let my feelings now be clear
Oh Sure, You wanna be a special guy
I'm Scared, And I think you know the reasons why
I'm Shy, How can you be so out there?
Help Me, I wanna breathe, I wanna share!
But how can something be so true
So alive and still so new I feel like I can trust you
And yet I just now met you
I'm falling faster than before
I can't take this anymore!

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Getting Through It

I'm not sure what the lesson was
But I think I learned it today because
The pain is finally starting to fade away
When I wake up tomorrow I can face the day
Moving on has never really been fun
Until you seek guidance in another one
Once you find the best of them all
And you finally feel like its okay to fall
Remember what you learned in the past
Make sure you don't dive in too fast
Find a way to make this one understand
And hope for once it's not a boy, but a MAN.

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I Just Realized

I just realized
I don't care
I just realized
You're unfair
You should go before I snap.
I just realized
That you're mean
I just realized
You're obscene
You need to go, cause that's a wrap.

Cause I just realized I don't like who
You are or what you do
I just realized you're not okay
So go away, just go away!

I just realized
You tried to use me
I just realized
Who you could be
You should stop telling lies.
I just realized
You could die
I just realized
I wouldn't cry
Because it's you I truly despise.

Cause I just realized I don't like who
You are or what you do
I just realized you're not okay
So go away! just go away today.

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I Want Truth

I've got my anger
I've got my fear
The solution is cloudy
But the question is clear
Is this serious
Will it be real
I want to fall in love
To know how it feels

They say the scars will fade
The holes will seal
I'm not sure if they're right
Cuz this wound won't heal

I want the pain
To just go away
Another friend's lying
Completes another day
You've got to be kidding
These knives never dull
It feel worse than a hammer
To the base of the skull

They say the scars will fade
The holes will seal
I'm not sure if they're right
Cuz this wound won't heal

I want to love you
For you to love me back
I'm a girl and you're a boy
The Chemistry is fact
But if this is a game
Or some real sick joke
There will be some hell to pay
I'm not one you want to provoke

They say the scars will fade
The holes will seal

I'm not sure if they're right
Cuz this wound won't heal

The look in your eyes
Your hand on my hip
I'm teetering on the edge
Not wanting to slip

And the scars start to fade
The holes start to seal
I guess they were right
Cuz this wound's begun to heal

The look on your face
The taste of your kiss
I'm glad I left my fear
To get all of this.

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Just A Dream

I can't sleep, I'm thinkin' of you
Even though you're here by me
You run my thoughts when I'm awake
And you're everything in my dreams
Try as I might, I can't let you go
You're the fire deep in my soul
And no matter the distance between us
There's one thing I want you to know

When I think of you, I feel lucky
To have you by my side
When I dream of you, I keep smiling
It's you that gets me by
And I know deep inside, Even though I might try
Not everything is as it seems
But the one thing I know that is true, When it comes to me and you
We are more than just a dream

I can't breathe, When I think of you
You take my breath away
I can't see, When I dream of you
You block everything with your rays
And no matter how hard I try
I can't bear to see you go
And I'll chase you forever my dear
Cause there's something I need you to know

When I think of you, I feel lucky
To have you by my side
When I dream of you, I keep smiling
It's you that gets me by
And I know deep inside, Even though I might try
Not everything is as it seems
But the one thing I know that is true, When it comes to me and you
We are much more than just a dream

Together we have
Such a wonderful thing
And I know it's much more

Than it seems

Cause when I think of you, I feel lucky
To have you by my side
And when I dream of you, I keep smiling
It's you that gets me by
And I know deep inside, Even though I might try
Not everything is as it seems
But the one thing I know that is true
Yeah, Everything about it rings true
When it comes down to just me and you
We are more than we seem, We are more
Than just a dream

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Love You

Don't call me Emo
Because I love you
Don't run away
Because I love you
Don't forget me
Because I love you
I won't hurt you
Because I love you
Don't die on me
Because I love you
Don't give in
Because I love you
Let me in
Because I love you
Never forget
How much I love you.

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Miss You

They took you away
Told me I couldn't speak
Threw my phone in the trash
I hope it's only for a week
That's more than I can handle
More that I can take
I think it is an awful lot
For such a small mistake
I started to improve
They got mad anyway
They said I couldn't see you
But I had no chance to say
How desperately I need you
How you make it all seem fair
How I love to talk to you
Because of how much you care
You help me through my struggles
My ups and all my downs
You make me laugh instead of cry
And clear up all my frowns
But, see, it's gone away today
I don't know what to do
All I know of life right now
Is how much I miss you.

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Missin' You

I don't know what to say
I don't know what to do
Everything around
Reminds me of you

But I'm all alone
Just me and my heart
When I'm missin you
I don't know where to start

Cause the others around
They just bring me down
But when you are here
I forget how to frown

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Nothing To Fear

Walk past the shadows of an empty life,
Look at all the fun that's passed me by,
Trip on the lies that I told to you,
Sit down on the stairs and wonder why,
The walls fall down around me,
Demolished by the sky.
Hurtful things, they were done to me,
And they made me scream and cry.

So i'll turn around,
Leave my shadow on the ground,
Try not to hear the sound,
Of the answers I have not found.
And if you decide to come back here,
Don't forget to be sincere,
I will always be near,
You have nothing to fear.

Walk past ghosts of an earlier time,
No longer living, and yet cannot die.
Stare past an angel left in the dark,
I can't believe this no matter how hard I try.
Although it hurts and I wish for these,
I've emptied my eyes, my tears are all dry.
Now as I wander alone in the fog,
I fall to the ground and collapse in a sigh.

Hang the noose upon the tree,
Build a new silhouette of me,
Cry out 'Baby can't you see?
With you is where I long to be! ! ! '

So I'll turn around,
Leave my shadow on the ground,
Try not to hear the sound,
Of the answers I have not found.
And when you decide not to come back here,
I'll know you never were sincere,
And yes, you know I will always be near,

But this time I will give you something to fear.

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Scared

You call me up and scream in vain
But i'm not the one who brought you pain
I didn't leave you stranded there
But then again she didn't care
But I really do, I'll have you know
You'll get it as the tears do flow
You'll catch them and begin to see
You did the same things to me
You didn't leave me, no you're here
You screamed at me, and brought me fear
I don't deserve all of her blame
Save it for her, I quit this game
Don't call me if you want to fight
That won't help us through the night
I love you babe, but understand
I'm not here to hold your hand
I'll guide you yes, and help you through
But all the work is left to you
Just promise me you'll let it go
And only niceties will show
At least warn me let me be prepared,
Because I truly hate becoming scared.

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Sick

Don't leave me here with myself
I'll tear myself to bits
Don't let the noises cease to be
I'm at the end of my wit
I'm steadily going crazy
Lost deep within my mind
Buried under questions
With no answers left to find
Souls are lost inside my head
They keep me up all night
They tell me that I'm sick,
But is what they say right?

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Thank You

Can't stop thinking of you
No matter how hard I try
Your image is burned in
And it makes me wonder why
My world still stands around me
You're still here I'm not alone
With you is the only place
I can truly call my home

I want to thank you
I want to make you see
How you came down here from heaven
And you made me believe

I can't stop missing you
Every second you're away
Is a minute to me
And every minute is like a day
I heard of love like this
I never thought it would be mine
But now the evil's gone from life
Right now I'm feeling fine

I want to thank you
I want to make you see
How you came down here from heaven
And you made me believe

You're my number one
From now until this life is done
Until the final drops of eternity
Are stolen from the sun

I want to thank you
I want to make you see
How you came down here from heaven
And you made me believe
In you.

The Fight

Don't walk away from me
Look into my eyes
I'm so tired of chasing you
And tripping on your lies
Why are you so hateful?
Why can't you let me be?
I know I didn't do this
Why can't I be free?
Stop screaming out at me
Please just calm your fear
I know that you don't want
This to end with tears
I don't want to hurt you
I don't want to fight
Let's just hug and smile
And try to make it right.
Because I need to trust
In everything you do
But you have to show me
That you trust me too.

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This War

Why am I fighting
This War with myself?
All I know is,
I could use some help.
I want to be happy
My boyfriend and I
Then the war started
And I just want to cry
There are three people
Weighing on my mind
Two I see often
One I fear to find
Clao and Jake
Are the two that I see
Alex is the other
Who frightens me
I know his power
And what he can do
But I CAN tell him
That I WON'T be USED.
But Claudio's mean
And he makes me so mad
Jake is so nice
Missing him makes me sad
But my problem with Alex
Isn't rational at all
My only problem
Is that he watched me fall
Head over heels
Heart screaming out loud
He squashed my dreams flat
Destroyed the cloud
And now all Clao does
Is talk crap about Dee
And that just starts drama
Between him and me
And Jacob, My Jacob,
I someone I need now
I wanted out of the Drama

And he showed me how
But he's locked away
Not literally no,
But his light has been darkened
I can't see his glow
And I'm sick and I'm tired
Of dealing with this
I'm leaning on the edge
And i'm making a wish
I wish Alex and Clao
Would just go away
I wish I could have Jake
Right here today
I wish life was easy
And Dee could be free
I wish this was easier
Easier on me
So now I thank my stars
And my friends all around
Cuz my war is now over
The Victor's been crowned
And I know something
You may not see
You may have helped, but
The Victor, is Me.

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Through My Mind

Thoughts keep running through my mind
But there are no answers I can find
People here they joke and laugh
But they don't understand my past
I've tried so hard to comprehend
But I get stuck and I pretend
I guess I'll never be that girl
That becomes some guy's whole world
Am I too immature for real?
Too young still to know how I feel
Not old enough to hold my ground
I loose everything I've ever found
'Girl don't worry' is what they say
But they don't mean it anyway
So I'll get stressed out and start to cry
About the time you say 'Good bye.'
Don't you know you've kept me giving?
Don't you know you've kept me living?
You're the only one who cares for me
And I just wish that you could see
What a caring, wonderful person you are
And when you go you will go far
But don't forget I'll need you here
So come back by and ease my fears
Be the one that I'd admire
The only one I'd never tire
Of seeing your face by my door
Feeling your touch forever more
Although the way I write is new
I'll always want this, me and you
You make my worries fall away
That's why I need you here today
For me to see and me to know
Just promise me you'll never go
You'll stay and help me cut my ties
Help make me finally realize
I don't need these so called friends
Teach me how to make amends
For broken hearts and burning bridges

Make new starts, work over ridges
Though the road is long and dark
And late at night the dogs all bark
I'll be safe and you'll be near
You'll never make me shed a tear
And when I close my eyes I'm free
Atleast while you are here with me
You fight off angels, fight off hell
And you never, ever yell
There's never too much noise
I'm glad you never raise your voice
You protect me when I'm weak
With all the promises you keep
You've taught me how to be myself
It's even helped my mental health
I know it's not too good to say
I wake up to thoughts of you each day
But when just one thing can bring a smile
You'll fight for it all through the miles
I'd run that far to hear you talk
About all the things most people mock
But I would still love and admire
You since my heart is still on fire
But you hold an open flame
And I catch every time you say my name
It may sound cheap it may sound wrong
But I've loved you for so long
Since about day number two
Before I hurt and burned you
This is something I must tell
Something you know oh so well
When I did that thing
I missed the hurt it'd bring
I felt I had too much to lose
But this hit it left a bruise
And I'm so sorry!
We were meant to be
I hope you know how much you mean
I don't want to make a scene
You took those thoughts from my mind
You made these answers kind
You taught me how to joke and laugh

And just bury down my past
And if you think this is a lie
Ask the tears you'll make me cry
For you I've only cried once
I used giggles as a front
To deceive you that long day
And I'm here right now to say
I'll stand up for you forever
Help you when you're under the weather
When you're sad or if you're sick
I won't be a hypocrite
I'll help you through without a thought
I won't care if we had fought
I'd fix it all make it okay
To be here with you today
I want to be your girl
Stop your breath, be your world
I don't want you to be sad
I'll never regret what I had
But I'll know I'm better here
With you to fight back my fears
I've got you, my angel, my love
My special gift from up above
Not to make you sound so gay
I just felt I had to say
How pure inside your heart can be
It's the only part I see
Although its sore and it may bleed
I know just what you may need
I'll fix you up with only this
Mend your wounds with one sweet kiss
I do love you and I hope you know
I don't say it just for show
It takes a lot for me to open
But I did and let you in
Promise me that you won't quit
When people lie, just ignore it
It's never going to be all true
Just remember I belong to you
My love is yours to keep and hold
From now until I have grown old
I want to be with you forever

Just don't tell me that you'll never
Feel the same and send me away
Let me in, show me home today
Calm the thoughts inside my mind
Give me the answers I can't find
That's all I want and all I need
To convince me to believe
In you when you sing at the bar
Of what me, and of what you are
Take your chances, play the game
Me or Hector, it's all the same
I'll take your memory in my head
At least I heard "that's what she said"
Hector the beaner's your best friend
In the band until the end
I'm glad for you and yours
Although progress is a bore
For me because I'm not into rock
And I've had really bad writer's block
I've tried to cope and learn
With every CD you have burned
I've grown to like a couple of songs
But they didn't right all of the wrongs
But they were close I'll have you know
Close enough for me to go
Two whole miles to see your face
Two whole miles to Hector's place
To try and get you to believe
It's you I'll never want to leave
I love you Babe, you know I do
Now tell me again, how you love me too?

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Together

There are many things that i have done
To try to make you realize
I see people for who they are
I can see through each disguise
And if i thought he meant me harm
You really think i'd stick around
For fear i'd try to run away
And be later found still, not moving, on the ground
Give me a break or i'll break you
I know how to protect me
But as for now Me and him
Happy and together we shall be.

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Try Again

Yet again the future quivers
I almost lost the one I love
So cold in my heart, my body shivers
As I steadily look above
I see a light, glowing, flying
As a wisp of smoke drifts by
I wipe the tears I am crying
And ask for another try.

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What I Love

I love the wind in your hair
As we walk down the street
And the butterflies in my stomach
Everytime our eyes meet
I love the way you hold my hand
And whisper sweetly in my ear
How one simple kiss from you
Extinguishes my fear
I love the tears on my face
Everytime that we fight
Staying up a little later
To make it alright
I love how you hold me
When we ride in the car
When you pull me in close
And say we will go far
The thing I love most
Is all that I see
I really really love
The way you love me.

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Yay!

I did it! I've done it! I can't believe my eyes!
So happy! So perfect! A wonderful surprise!
Can't wait, to share, a couple here for you!
That is, at least, if you want me to.

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