

Poetry Series

Witch Baby
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There's always something to write about.

That's the truth I believe. Always I carry a notebook and a pen, just in case today is the day I find what I need. But, everyday is something spectacular. Everyday is filled with laughter and song and love. Every moment is another lesson I can share with others. Heartbreak and pain, joy in a quiet moment, it's something we can all share.

A Midsummer's Night's Dream

Field of wild flowers
A secret garden hidden
Somewhere within the secret paths of your
Twisted dramatic heart

Laughter echos
Th God of mischief out to play
With my youthful dreams
My hopeless romantics heart

Beautiful flower girls and
Enchanting beast boys
Songs and hands intertwined
In the darkness drenched mysteries of a faerie tale

Moonlit walking
Down a path wet with dew
The sweat of our nightly dances
The reality of this unreality

Kissed by night creatures
Summer wine and spring berries
Leaves a bitter sweet taste in the morning after
Of a midsummer's night's dream

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Addiction

You are like
The first time high
You are what I want
You are the death of me

I need you
Like I need a needle for my vein
Like I need a rope around my neck
Hanging from the ceiling

You are the very worst kind
And you can never be all mine
We're always searching for that first time high feeling
But we need to stop before overdosing

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Alone

In my room
All alone
Staring silently
At the phone

Wishing that
He would call
But knowing that
He won't at all

Wondering
What went wrong
Wondering if
It was a game all along

'I don't want him.'
I mumble to the phone on the shelf
And I can lie out loud
But not to myself

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Confusion

And I can't stop these feeling
These emotions and thoughts
All at war with my heart

My feelings are hurt
Like they always seem to be
But this time, at my own expense

Why can't I say no to you?
The face in the mirror I can no longer stand
The confusion you always bring

Why can't I be honest with you?
To tell you the truth of the pain you put me through
I wonder how long I will walk not knowing what to do

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Dealing With It

A word that slips
A tear that falls
A feeling hurt
A heart thats broken

Headaches and heartbreaks
That pour into my pen
Publishing the pain
Putting it to paper and giving it life

Breathing slowly
Waiting for a sign
Knowing well that these words are no longer mine
Still I set them free

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Fairy Tales

Wishes made
Flung to the sky
An offering of dreams
Hoping one will come true

You can't say you've never
Wished upon a star
You've never wanted so badly
It hurts inside

Pennies tossed into that old wishing well
Like messages in bottles
Thrown into the sea
Who are you that will read these thoughts?

Girls grown from flowers
Faeries to douse you in magic
Will wishes made in doubt,
Still come true?

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Fear

Afraid to be in love with you
Afraid you'll have to go
Afraid to keep you next me
Afraid to let it show

Never telling anyone
Especially not you
How much you infect my soul
With everything you do

And I can't help these murmurs of love
Nor can I help this pain
With every look and every word
I believe I'll go insane

Afraid to have to face the truth
Afraid of what I must do
I know I'll have to let you go
I just don't want it to be true

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First Kisses

The wind
Was blowing back my hair
And in a moment I loved him

His arms held me in a goodbye
As the driver waited silently
And my heart was beating

People stared
But I didn't see them
As I looked into his eyes

Seconds seemed like forever
As moments became memories
I leaned into him

I never was bold
Until I reached up
And kissed him for the first time

A/N: we'll always remember our first kiss. ^_^

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From Dawn And Into Darkness

I miss the smoky underground
Where shadows held me tight
Where music pulsed in Extasy
And love was painted in night

I miss the strobe lighting in downtown clubs
Distorting my deranged point of view
Where nobody was anyone at all
And I could be anyone too

Sunset marked the hour
Where the demons start to rise
We go from dawn
And into darkness

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Gone

The time passes
Slowly...slowly
The flowers die
My friends, they die
Everything, passing away

The places where we would go
Are still there
The songs we used to sing
Still play in my heart
But you are missing

Convulsions of pain and anger
Tears can't bring you back
Still....
I try to understand the meaning of 'Gone'

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I Can

I can remember
Every letter we ever passed
Secret notes of nonsense
Mummers of love

And I can forget
Every night I cried
All those times I spent praying
'Let him give me one more chance'

I can hope
That the future is better
That this too shall pass
And that the past won't haunt me

And I can see
You...looking at me
I can see everything you can't see about yourself
I can see the endless depths of your eyes

I can love
If I try
I can be everything
If you would let me

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I Finally Smiled

I finally slept and didn't dream of you
I finally laughed after such a long time
I finally looked forward to tomorrow
I finally smiled

Even though I loved you
And even though I thought we'd last forever
I guess it just wasn't the right time
I guess the moments were all wrong

I wasn't sure if I'd ever mend
I wasn't sure that I'd ever stop crying
I wasn't sure what I did or didn't do right
I wasn't sure if I'd ever stop loving you

But....

I finally rose to face the day
I finally went out to try again
I finally believe that somethings are meant to happen
I finally smiled

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I'LI Be Waiting

Smiling through the tears
Remembering through all the years
Distance is what keeps us apart
But I'll still love you in my heart

People die, memories fade
Still my time with you I'll never trade
Even with non-believers and their lies
I know I saw the truth in your eyes

I'm still waiting patiently
For the time when you come back to me
And if in this life our hearts never collide
I'll wait for you on the other side

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In Death Lies Freedom

Diffrent

Everything about you can shine
But you're hiding behind a screen

I've seen you're face
You're tears of joy that rain down on me
Still, you hide like beauty is monstrous

If it is
Then you are what is found in nightmares
And its what I dream of in darkness

Trust me with your smile
Give me those secrets that kill you inside
We both may die from the shock

But in death lies freedom

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Inasinty

Time lets the knife dig deeper
Reopening wounds they said would heal
The moments, like the pain, come in waves
The world is falling apart with all that I feel

The mirror on the ceiling shatters
Breaking my world apart
My mind that eats their poison
Won't believe the truth in my heart

I must believe in something
In fairy tales and every lie
The duality of my existence
Allows me not to even cry

So I'll keep walking down this shadow lane
In this city with no light
I'll let them invade every corner
Though I know they have no right

Because when I saw my reflection
My sanity ran away with a scream
Always trapped in the corners of my mind
Strolling in a sleepless dream

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Just To Let You Know

Just to let you know
I love you

Forget me not letters
To keep me on your mind
Will you remember yesterday tomorrow?

Like that old melody
'Think of me kindly'
Know that I think of you

In every other memory
I see your gentle face
And I smile through the tears

Just to let you know
I love you

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Let Me In

The powerful fire
That burns deep within my heart
How is it that you have changed
From a wild rampaging beast
To a simple flicker of candle light?

I read him Emily and Robert
I read him Pablo
The words reaching out
As if caressing my skin

I still love you
Without your defenses
Your head in my lap
Your hands clinging to me
Like a child

Your body is strong
But its your heart I want
Opening up to me
Like a morning glory

Your eyes like windows
Allow me to gaze into your soul
Let me inside
To see how far down we can go

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Loss Of Words

I just don't know the answers
So stop screaming in my face
Why do you keep coming to me
When all i want is space?

What can i say to you
To make you understand
To make the words less hurtful
To stop the stinging from your hand

Scars I never wanted
Just seem to appear
With every scream and every curse
And every single tear

Sleeping all day,
Wanting these dreams to never end
Of a time so long ago
When all I wanted was to be your friend

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Mikey And Jackie's Wedding Poem

Perfection is your smile
Joy is wakening up
With you next to me

Peace is what you bring me
You still me wandering soul
Home is anyplace you are

Love is never having you doubt
How much you mean to me
How much you've changed whats inside

Faith is believing that true love is found
I see it right there in your eyes
And I reflect it back from mine

The darker times seem brighter
The trials of life seem smaller
Because I know you will be by my side

To Mikey and Jackie
From Kacey

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Moment

Give in to moments like these
Thoughts best left alone
Float away
Like the breeze coming in through my window

A Moment
Just a single Moment
Can change so much
Staring at the ceiling with the radio playing

You realize what's changed
What hasn't
What you want and what you don't

The wind whispers his secrets
And I hold on tight to the thought
Alone in my room
With a notebook and a pen

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My Choices

Sadness turns to anger
Anger turns to spite
Spite turns into bitterness
And now I'm looking for a fight

Locked inside my head
Where I walk in endless night
Where mistakes with faces laugh at me
Because nothing I do is right

I'm sick of all the violence
But 'Fight on' is all I know
Everything spins so fast around me
While i'm still going slow

Left behinde in my mind
No reason for my rhyme
And now I'm running out of time
Because I choose to step out of line

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My Words Taste Like Poison

there are some things you can know
what i tell you is what you should believe
and then...

and then there are some things
that i would rather die than utter them
even with my last breath you'll never know

its not that i don't trust you
but these words are poison
they'll tear you apart
reach for you as if..

as if i kissed you
as if i poured them into you veins
i won't let them touch you

somethings are better left for the dead

somethings are better left unsaid

ignorance is bliss so,

be glad my words won't reach you

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No Place For Me

Why do you cry little girl?
The world is bright with lights
The music of the city
Comes down to greet you
Destiny is waiting

But it's not a world
Where I belong
The music does not reach me
I'm blind to the lights
Destiny escapes me

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Not That Strong

I can't promise you now
That I'll be there
I can't promise
That I'll be your friend
Don't put that kind of pressure on me
When you know the kind of heartache you cause

I'm not as strong as you think
I guess you can say I'm sentimental
A hopeless romantic
I can't trust myself
To stand by your side
And not reach out to hold you to me

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One Day I'LL Hate You

I hate that I can't hate you
Even though you broke my heart
Even though you told my secrets
And you ripped my life apart

I hate that I still love you
For what you used to be
For when I saw something in your eyes
When you said that you loved me

I hate that I still answer
Everytime you call my phone
And how I hang on every word
When you still leave me all alone

But most of all I hate myself
For what I let you do
And hopefully one day
I can just hate you

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Our Life Today

We walk
Eyes wary of Predators
That stalk our streets

We admire
The newest tagging
On classroom walls

The teachers drone on
Most of us wonder why we're even here
When life is more exciting as the trigger of a gun

'They' are there in the hallways
Tensed and ready to spring
At the first hint of weakness

Girls walk, open for business
Hoping his touch
Will mean more in the morning

My father and his father before him
Has stumbled upon the path I'm on now
Will I let my children do the same?

Will we ever make it out?
Or will this 'Hood'
Forever be our life today

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Poem About Bella From Edward (Yeah, I'M A 'Twilight' Fan)

To see what is inside of her,
An idea too dangerous to follow
But I do not mean for me

The perfect killer
It would be so easy
But I can't stand the thought and I don't know why

I'd love to see her under the stars
I'd love to see her at twilight
I'd just love to see her

If I had a heart
It would be hers to steal
If I could sleep I know she'd haunt my dreams

Forever was so bleak
But with her
I might just learn to enjoy it

She is my love
My own personal drug
The soul I thought I'd lost forever

There's nothing better than watching her sleep
Nothing better than my name on her lips
Nothing better...than her

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Proof I'M Insane

Out of ideas
And out of mind
Looking for an outlet
So I began to rhyme

An attack of insomnia
To make you go insane
Tired of the BS
That makes us all the same

A bit of mind candy
That everyone can chew
Its new and improved
Just not exactly good for you

Your looking for a loverboy?
Well get in line littel girl
Don't worry, when hes done with her
I'm sure he'll 'rock your world'

I'm sending out the message
I'm screaming out the beat
So shut up and listen
Sitting on the edge of your seat

Now you know I'm crazy
But its all part of the game
And this littel story
Is just proof that I'm insane

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Say It

Words

Spoken so softly

That we forget that they are there

The meaning

Becomes so distorted

That you can't tell it from a lie

An echo of

An empty heart

That wishes for...

Words

Spoken so softly

That I want to hear fall from your lips

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She Turns Sixteen Today (Concerns For My Cousin)

She turns sixteen today
My cousin
My almost sister
My partner in crime

Rember makeing cookies
And eating the dough raw?
Rember when boy where still icky?
Rember when Barbie doll's where still cool?

I do
But i don't think you do
And I'm afraid for you sister
So afraid for you

You turn sixteen today
But already your eyes are old
You've lost that sweet innocence
You've lost all that we used to love

Already you've gotten a baby
And lost it
Already you've fallen in love
And have it break your heart

I remeber you
How you used to be
Not you flying higher then the clouds
Not you with words so slurred I can't understand you

But you who said we didn't need anyone else
You who used to fight with me over stupid things
You who I cried with me when Nana died
You who where my only friend

She turns sixteen today
And she always acted old
Now it seems I'm finally
The 'responsible' older one

What happened to you lil' cuz?
I know life can get to much
I said you could always call on me
And I can't help feeling its all my fault

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Speechless

I put the pen to paper
But have no clue what to say
The words are there on the tip of my tongue
But they refuse to move past

What words can describe this emotion?
These ideas, these thoughts, these feelings
How can I make you understand,
When I hardly understand them myself?

In all these tangled thoughts and twisted words
I seek deeper meaning in 'I love you.'
Will the sounds of a heavy heart,
Ever reach you?

Distance keeps you away
So I write these 'forget me not' letters
Will you take the time,
To even read them?

The words that echo in my chest
The song that sings itself in my veins
Are you there?
Are you listening?

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Stranger

The jagged pieces of my heart
They cut me up inside
Like shattered stained glass windows
Never to catch the light

I need a cure for loneliness
Will you still remember yesterday, tomorrow?
But today I will be waiting
Like I always do for you

Nice to see you again, stranger
How long has been
A year or two?
Do you even believe you still know me?

Forgiveness is a powerful idea
Will I chance another broken heart?
Will I ignore your knocking,
Or open the door?

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Taking My Life (Not A Suicide Poem)

I've had enough
Of this everyday fight
I'm ready to break
And say hello to the night

I'm taking my life
And forgetting about you
This is the final goodbye
And the last one I'll do

I'm cutting the strings
I'm not your puppet anymore
You're coldness has chilled me
Right down to the core

I've cut at myself
And I've taken your pain
Now I'm cutting it lose
To break from the chain

I'm taking my life
So you'll finally be gone
You can't have me anymore
Because there's nowhere you and I belong

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The Mermaid

A midnight swim
In the lonely hours of night
The moon casting a pale smile
In the velvet quite of dark

The cool blue pool
Throwing shadows on my skin
His eyes, like sea glass, close slowly
Pearls melted over his bones

A ocean tucked away
In a backyard of L.A.
It's the taste of chlorine that lingers
Though I can imagine the salt of forgotten beaches

A mermaid swimming in the depths of my soul
Though, supposedly, I am too old for such dreams
The reflections on the water
Break with each ripple my tears make

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Thinking Of You

I think about you
In the best of times
When I can laugh and smile
When I can sit back at sunset
And think of love
In its purest forms

I think about you
In the worst of times
When my heart feels like
It's been torn in two
And I think about love
In its most painful form

I think about you
Not all the time like I used too
But enough to realize
Love in its true form
Is both deadly and beautiful
When I think of you

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Through The Looking Glass

Scratch under the surface
To see whats hiding there
Feeling like my skin is not my own

The girl in reflection
Is nothing like me
Like Alice through the Looking Glass

Mirrors tell no lies
But shes different
From the brown eyes and hair looking back

Who is she that steals my face?
Is there a world in the mirror,
Where I can feel whole?

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To Who I Used To Love

I never told anyone
Of how i loved you
I thought that if it was out of sight
Then maybe it wasn't true

You really screwed me up
With your hurtful game
They told me time and time again
That you would never feel the same

It was the summer of '05
When i became obsessed with you
In my life it was all the same
And you were something new

We met at a late night party
Drinking up the free beer
Your laughter was infectious
It beckoned me to come near

You were the definition of beautiful
Like they always seem
Your lips, your hair, your body
Brown eyes with a mischievous gleam

I gave you poems and roses
I wanted you to be mine
I was only down for the summer
And i knew i was running out of time

Late nights in the park
You talked of forever
I had never dreamed of love like this
I hoped we would stay together

Then you disappeared
In the smoke of your cigarette
In the last moments we had
You told me to forget

You had found another sucker
That you could tear apart
Just like you did to me
When you tore out my heart

In the wasteland of downtown
You left me waiting there
In the tecno music of an underground club
You said you never cared

I fell deeper into darkness
I just didn't want to feel
Without your soft whispered words
I felt like I would never heal

But I moved on without you
You can't hurt me anymore
And I can look for someone else
That I can adore

I cleaned up and gave up on you
I'll find the someone meant for me
So to my dearest loverboy
You are just a memory

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Underneath This Skin

beauty only
lies
skin deep

bruises like flowers on skin
so pale you thought them spun
from the moonbeams drifting in the window
and falling on our naked skin

bared flesh for your hunting eyes to
destroy what little soul i had left
and rearrange into something you called
beautiful

underneath this skin
i find nothing substantial for you to
gaze upon with your sparkling eyes
like precious stones too rich for me

bruises like flowers
from my own cruel traitorous hands
that where too frightened to hold onto
the greatest thing that ever decided to grace me with
its heavenly presence, its kisses so tender it moved me to tears

underneath this skin that
you held so carefully
is nothing i can see
that is beautiful

not even
lying
skin deep

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Versus Of The Heart And The Mind

You're pathetic girl
Stupid, desperate, sick
He is no good for you
He is all wrong
A cheater! A liar! A -

His words fall as soft as a spring rain
Over my bared and quivering skin
His eyes are so deep that I find myself,
Falling deeper and deeper
Drowning in-

Get it through your head!
He doesn't want you,
You are his plaything
Nothing more, always less
Did you really think he-

Even the candlelight burns my eyes
The gentle brush of fingers scorch my skin
I want to hold him so badly it hurts
I just.....want....is that so bad?
I need to feel him, I need to-

Remember the pain?
The tears, the lies, the cold indifference
Remember him walking away?
Stop this weak pinning for what you can't have
It won't bring him back to-

Remember the way we kissed?
His lips like pure sunshine,
A taste of endless summer
Remember the rush, the laughter, the bliss?
Its something I can't forget, I'll never-

Forget him! You have to!
Its the only thing you can do
You can't continue like this for much longer

You're only hurting yourself in the end
He doesn't care, he never-

My mind screams to me
Run girl, run so far away
But it fails to drown out
The barest whisper of my heart
That wants him to stay

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We Are The Fallen

This barren city we call our home
The smoke of our sins that choke our lungs
When you have fallen from grace
All that's left is this demon inside

I can taste the bittersweet memories
Of love on my tongue
Ideas I knew of
But know nothing about

So we walk down the streets of Los Diablos
Wings, a dirty gray, hidden behind chains
Wanting to relive our past experiences
But never finding the road to redemption

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Weary

Weary of the struggle
Weary of pain
Weary of the thunder
Crashing in my brain

My eyes are burning
From sleepless nights
My body burns
From these endless fights

Hating the face
Looking back at me
Eyes of pain and suffering
Is all that I can see

Stop with all the screaming
Stop with all the lies
Stop me from this lifestyle
I don't want to cry

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What Do I Know Of Love?

What do I know of love,
But pain in my heart
But tears on my pillow
But words cried out in anguish

What do I know of love,
But joy in waking
In a lover's arms
But peace in quiet mornings

What do I know of love,
But wanting and needing
Hopeing and pleading
What do I know of love but nothing at all

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What I Have Found

Suddenly it hits me
The memory of a kiss
Its like the one you give me everyday
Still its lasting
Until it happens all over again

Suddenly I think of you
And I realize I've been doing that a lot lately
Funny how one person can become your world
Love is no longer a distant memory
Of something believed to never last

What i have found
In all these moments
Is that there is a heart inside this person
That beats in sync
With another

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What Love Is?

When I see you
Standing there
Watching me with
The darkness of your eyes
I find myself not breathing
Not thinking
Not even a whisper of my heart beating
Only a simple...
Feeling

Its like nothing that ever was
And like nothing that ever will be
At least for me
Its the sun and the moon and the stars
Its all the pain and joy and laughter and tears
Mixed into one

Is this what love is?
A fragile, broken thing
That reflects the most beautiful light,
In its shattered panes
I reach for it
But the light seems to slip through my fingers

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What We Lost In Passing

Hands that held
Laughter that filled every corner
What happened to that innocence?
The time when the whole world
Was your playground
And everyone
Was your friend

We lost it in passing
When dreams shattered
And reality walked in
And slapped you across the face
When love that saved you
Broke you apart
And left you alone

We forgot about tenderness
Passion and emotion
Forgiveness and compassion
Dreams and ideas
Beliefs and possibility
We lost it all
In passing

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What You'LI Never Know

I'll sing of love
And never really know it
I'll write about hate
But never really show it
I'll talk of learning from mistakes
And I will make them all again
I'll laugh and drink with enemys
And still never call you a friend

But what I hate to admit
What I hate to show
What I truly feel inside
Is something you'll never know

I'll act like I hate you
But love you when your gone
I'll tell you everything is all right
And know fully that I'm wrong
I'll ride around with Demons
While seeking out my savior
I'll walk around not careing
Never giving out a favor

But what I hate to admit
What I hate to show
What I truly feel inside
Is something you'll never know

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Where Have All The Kisses Gone?

Where have all the kisses gone?
I remember kisses like lightning
Sweeter than chocolate
More beautiful than sunsets

Kisses that tasted like spring
Opening my heart like a flower
Thirsty for the rain, hungry for the sun
Begging for the only divine sustenance I knew

Where have all the kisses gone?
Did we leave them down at the beaches where we used to swim?
Have they been washed away by the tide
Ghosts left on cold forgotten beaches

Did we leave them at the dance hall?
Did the music drown them out?
Sweating out the taste of them on my lips
Pounding them away with a crash of cymbals, the slide of guitar

I run away
Searching for the love we lost
Looking inside every enchanted place
Pools and bars, hotels and alley ways

I miss you with every moment
Like I miss the kisses we shared
I don't want to lose them, or you
But I find us distant, older, tired

Where have all the kisses gone?

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Why Do I Let Love Walk Away?

I see you standing there
In the darkness of my heart
Your eyes that beckon me
Closer...closer
I run to you
I hold out my hand
Still, I never reach you
I let you walk away again
This pain which we call love
You take your leave
Holding hands with
The one person I wanted to be

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With These Words

With these words

I wanted to paint a picture

I wanted to create a place

Where you didn't have to cry anymore

With these words

I wanted to touch your heart

I wanted to see you smile, really smile

Its been forever now since you have

With these words

I wanted to show you a world without pain

I wanted you to see me as I am

Not what I used to be

Will these words ever reach you?

Are you listening even now?

Or do you still shut me out

Will you still hurt me with these words

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Words

The words tumble out
Not meant to be spoken
Three words alone among the rest
Saying them can make you
Or break you
Sometimes you don't say them at all
And they still hurt

Words
A powerful weapon
Like poison
Infecting my soul
Just one
Has two meanings
When said to different people

Letters become words
Words become sentences
Until I have nothing left
But a sad song
And if I could take them back
I would
But I can't hide the truth

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Would It Make You Happy?

If I were a flower
Beautiful and sweet
Never talking back
Would it make you happy?

If I were still a little child
That followed you everywhere
And never questioned
Would you finally be kind to me?

If I disappeared
Like the wind
If I just blew away
Would it stop your tears?

If I did everything I was told
If I took every slap
And then turned the other cheek
Would you finally love me?

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