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My poetic side 

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Hi

I Do

I?m Out of Order

You stand there pacing back and forth
While you betray me heartlessly
You betray me without remorse
Tricking me entirely through this course
Why continue to break my heart?
Tell me why you lie to me
I can't even look at you, it makes me cry
All you ever made me feel was a lie

The Neglect

You, that expects money to replace affection
You, that expects greatness from a lonely girl
You think paper will replace attention
You think paper will make me whirl
These false promises fall on deaf ears
Caused by lies and betrayal throughout the years
Am I supposed to trust it'll change?
Will you keep your promises if I walk away?
I love the man that makes time for me
I love the man that loves
I love the man that treats people kindly
And one who doesn't place himself above
I love the man who kills me with a smile
The one who makes me quiver
I love the man that defends his wife
And lends his coat when he sees me shiver
If ever you understand that I'm a giver,
You'll see this is wrong and might deliver
You, that expects me to endure the wrong direction
You, that I fear whenever you're wrongly rubbed
You, the man that expects everything for nothing but rejection
You, the man I loved

Smell All the Roses

A man once told me to walk, not run
He warned life would pass me by
The man told me to stop and go slow
To make friends and not be shy
The man warned time flies in the blink of an eye
He said he lived to have too many regrets
He said priceless things passed him by
He said things he won't be enjoying when he's dead
The man was rich but stood alone
He said he could have everything he wants and more
He stressed to me the importance of things that cannot be bought
He said he was without the thing he sought
The man said he always wanted to be rich
He believed money would make him feel fulfilled
He regrets that mentality now, because his life he cannot switch
He said a legacy he cannot build.

Habib

You give me love abundantly
Your life, it means the world to me
We promised ourselves forever
And ever and ever and ever

We swore to love each other
For forever without a lover
Since before I met you I knew you were the only one
If we love unconditionally, I know that can be done

This love will last an eternity
I'll give my all and the best of me
Forever doesn't sound very long
When I know our love is just, so strong

Your smile, your laugh, your eyes
Your strength, your courage, your cries
Your embrace, your love, your mind
Your touch your heart entwined

I hope you see a home in me
Forever you'll be my destiny
I voweled to give my life to you
My favorite words in life, "I do."

Water Under the Bridge

My reasoning gets the best of me, I wish I could be more like you

It always seems I'm at a loss; but, my heart's been always true

I lack the thing I'm thinking of; my common sense deceives me

It seems I've seen this all before; the damage, I see clearly

I never felt that I fit in, but that can't be your fault

It's funny I cannot escape, the consequence I brought

It hurts to watch you look at me, with the restrain that fills your eyes

If my heart could hear your clouded thoughts, I think it'd fill with cries

I could see your struggle crystal clear, from the battles you fight within

To disguise resentment must be hard, you just can't seem to win

It pains me to have been the cause, of what you feel and hide

Your golden heart I've broken; and, what's left you keep inside

I never meant to hurt you, just to help you understand

I thought it'd get the point across; I've crawled, I've walked, I ran

I don't know what the future holds, and it scares me to go away

But after what has happened now, I refuse to make you stay

I wish I could erase our memories , to clear and ease your mind

You'll have to keep your heart from me, and leave the past behind

You, will be happy and filled with love; if, you do what you do best

Just be yourself; a perfect man, and leave the past to rest

A Peace of Mind

*I know it's common, and often said, that everyone has a past
But mine hurts me indefinitely, and hope is lost at last
A girl who's abused and kicked around in many different ways
A child lost, a heart confused, a wish of end of days
A family torn, my heart adorned by trauma left behind
My mental health, my brokenness, is easily defined
My feelings rejected, a child neglected, but replacements were often served
Still, the pain I feel inside could never be reversed
I try and try, to make it work; but, my efforts fall in vein
I'm tired now, my mind is sore, my thoughts I can't detain
The hope and will all dissipated; as, the end just never came
My heart's content, my happiness, has all gone down the drain
I never asked for any of this, or to ever be forgiven
For the karma I am paying for, and whatever has been written
I tried my best, but even that, was never good enough
To try to talk, to please, to walk, to breathe, is just as rough
My mind is gone, my pain a song, but my life will soon be free
My pain, my fears, my blood, my tears, a distant memory
A girl abused from head to toe, with a mind that can't forget
Her shine is gone, her life a joke, that only left regret
Mommy, daddy, brothers, sissy, will join me in my sleep
I'll have the life I always wanted, but could never keep
The scars, the sorrow, the damage, tomorrow, will all be washed away
Her smile, her laugh, her jokes, her craft, will be the only things to stay*

Nothing Like the Presence

A past that makes me want to go
A future that seems unclear
A present that gets overlooked
Cause of my thoughts and fears
A past I wish I could forget
Cause of what it taught me
A future I anticipate
A present that ends badly
A past I dwell on everyday
A future I can't find
A present that won't stop for me
The time I leave behind
A past that scarred me terribly
A future unforeseen
A present that I'm blind to
That passes like a dream
A past that I cannot ignore
A future that's unplanned
A present that slips away from me
I wish I'd understand
A past that kills me deep inside
Because of lessons learned
A future I am thinking of
A present that I've earned
A past that I wish I could change
A future that I can't grasp
A present that I can't escape
A wish I'll never clasp
A past that I keep losing to
A future I've seen before
A present that I recognize
Time wasted forever more
A past that's immortal

A future that is near
A present of acceptance
And loss of all that's dear

Hi

My heart, my story, my pleasure, my glory

My life I get to show

My brain, my strengths, my obstacles, the lengths

Myself you'll get to know

A tail in time, a verse a line, my life I will define

I write a rhyme, take all the time, of things that fill my mind

A diary, a song, it might be long, but continue to read you must

A newfound friend, to the end, a poet you can trust

I Do

It's easy to walk away from you, when your heart is not as true as your mouth
You say you'll do whatever to make this marriage work, but your actions are not devout
You make promises that go on for a week or two, but promises that you won't keep
If I had the chance to leave and abandon my heart, my love, I'd make that leap
This song, I believe I've heard before and it doesn't end that swell
My eyes, they tell the tale I hope, if not it's truly hell