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# A Melody Against Inequity

I hear songs of peace, love and unity,
All equating equality since the 1st century,
From various Races, Tribes, languages and Nations,
Rich and poor coherently rejoicing.

I've read books of various writters,
Harmoniously exercising a unified literature,
But unto the financial lyrics,
Each reciting an exclusive lyric,
Of utility consumption by a few 62.
Monopoly of power in there hands too.

The only chorus i hear is biased,
Many howling at the midst of poverty,
Women fighting for higher posts,
Girls fantasising over PhD's
Them acquiring jets to dream destinations.

Listen to there sound of laughter, in palaces.
Drinking and dancing to their slogans,
Feasting on silver spoons and gold plates,
Others waiting for there remains in dustbins
With stomach aches to there thatched houses,

Isn't it wrong to let water overflow unnecessarily, preaching water and drinking wine, Let's rejoice in a common rhythm, A melody against inequity.

Rhythmically dancing to an Equilibriual song.

# A Moment So Ideal

I see it in their faces
I see it in your eyes
Joy is all around us
And the feeling lingers on
I read it in the space
It is everywhere I go
Love is all around us
And the feeling grows
Our voices, echoes like jingle bells
Our heart dances to their chimes
Our heart dances to their chimes  For the love that we feel
For the love that we feel
For the love that we feel  There is now peace
For the love that we feel  There is now peace  There is even more grace
For the love that we feel  There is now peace  There is even more grace
For the love that we feel  There is now peace  There is even more grace  Cause on merry Christmas we sharing and giving

I wish you a merry Christmas

We all join in hymning,

'Behold a child is born'

'To us a child is given'

We prost to our mellow yellows

For a moment so ideal

To cheer in celebration

A merry christmas

## A Secret

YOU are a Hallo!
After a secret kiss,
A friend without introduction,
A fruit that was forbidden in the garden of eden,

You a temptation,
Alluring and seductive,
We relate as the communication in the air,
You tangible yet intangible,
The more we are attracted the repellent we become,

YOU a secret love,
A midnight angel,
Come lets play our game,
Of hide and seek,
In our secret world,
we let each other be,

YOU are a dream,
A shadow in the sun,
A rainbow in the sky,
To our planet of imagination,
Together we exist,
Flying away into the clouds,
Where secrets are clouded.

# **Adventure**

Lets go hopeless pirate. The Sea is singing to the shore, Hymns that sail a ship.

## **Allein**

Allein zuhause
Leise wände,
Geschlichen atmen,
Durstig,
Betrunken,
Dehydriert,
Aquizer der halluzination,
Rauchige kuche,
Geist kaputt,
Zu einem tanz verführt,
Aromantische Geistermelodie,
Nach einer zischenden geisterabendessen,
Wahnsinn,
Einsamkeit.

## **Alone**

Home alone,
Silent walls,
Crept breathe,
Thirsty,
Drunken,
Dehydrated,
A quiver of hallucinations,
Smoky kitchen,
Ghost busted?
Seduced to a dance,
A romantic ghost tune,
After a sizzling ghost dinner,
Insanity?
Loneliness.

# **Aspirations**

Stunning fire streaks
Falling from space
In broad twilight
Tonight we make our wishes
Granted by shooting stars

# **Beauty**

A garden fountain

Affectatious peacock

Princess arrival

# Colours Of My Skin.

They say I have colours,
Patches of black and white,
I'm fine with them,
Invisibly problem free,
Comfortably satisfying.

They relate to them as, Black and white stains, I never knew black can stain, Renowned colour of concept.

What is the issue with patches, For me they relate to beauty, Enhance the artistic within, Kill boredom, revive life.

Black and white patches, Culture they call it, For me it's knowledge, Colour has information, Thus I see wisdom, Being colourless.

Yes you might see stains,
Patches of black and white,
A cocktail if visible,
For me concept has it's initiator,
I'm colourless,
Colour is in my vision.

#### Coma

lingering memories in a coma, Of the moon shining so bright, Gazing brightly in the dark skies, The galaxy bearing witness, Listening to the eclipses of our hearts To the whispers of our souls, A wireless connection yet to unfold The wind blowing, favourable scents Scents from variable flowers, And the sea Aroma, What an exotic atmosphere, From the perplexion of our touch, To the throbbing of our hearts, It's the tremble of our lips, Magically magneted to the feel, Breathless it was, A heart attack we thought, A sleep we fell, Forever in a coma of romance, It's harness makes us perspire Ever in a coma of love.

## Come Online

I hear the sound of your voice
I feel your breath on my skin
As i enjoy the look on your face
when you speak up
And i speak out

If only i could move through the screen
And flee next to you
I'd be delighted
We'd be on cloud nine forever

Come my, love it is a pleasure to see
A blazing passion allover your face
Just come get me higher
And drown my heart in yours
Come my love, it is a pleasure to see
A blazing passion allover your face
Just come get me higher
And drown your heart in mine

I hear the sound of your laughter Vividly clear from a device, A heart-pounding desire Flows deep down within me

If only i could move through the screen And flee next to you, I'd be delighted We'd be on cloud nine forever,

Come my love, it's a pleasure to see
A blazing passion allover your face,
Just come get me higher,
And drown my heart in yours,
Come my love, it's a pleasure to see,
A blazing passion allover your face,
Just come get me higher,

And drown your heart in mine

## **Covered Gold**

A whim of the people Sealed behind Opaque windows Tinted doors Surrounded by wireless walls Broadcasting their self interests The Neo-Colonialism Unlike a swarm of bees Moving jointly in one direction Having a common interest 'The thrival of the hive' The cratos; scouts Trusted in search of pollen An intense preference of consensus Humans must be stung! To awaken a better voting system With a collective decision making Written without a pen of iron

Engraved in their hearts without

The point of a diamond

Autocracy, Fascism, aristocracy

Merely covered Gold

Waiting to be discovered

Yet to be refined

To democratic jewelry

For everyone's preference.

# Face Of Kenya

Face

All social issues
Boldly and consistently
Practically seeking the vulnerable
Those truly in need of assistance
Cohesing together, dilligently in unity
Enhancing love, care and equality

Of

Existence happiness Joy and Prosperity
Spread equity of contention to fellow citizens
Lending a shoulder to lean on to Someone in distress
Opening Wings of hope allover

Kenya

To our patriotic brothers and sisters
Regardless of tribe and ethinicty
Charity begins at home
Our homeland, our childhood
Our dawn of sovereighnity
Build, connect, change Starts at face of Kenya
Come One, come all and Share the Pride

## **Familiar Parasites**

Today i woke up to a knock,
Of familiar Friends,
With sunflowered faces,
I could See their molars,
As i opened my door.
To familiar Parasites.

Familiar Parasites!
Sat comfortably,
Compasionately drinking,
Weighing their prey,
With lot's of-blah blah,

Familiar Parasites!
Had to Stay over for the Weekend,
I gave them a bed,
A room to their conspiracy,
Like Pests they Invaded my vicnity.

Familiar Parasites sycophantly,
Attended to my Needs,
Later did i reckon,
They were nourishing their prey,
Prior to feeding.

Mission accomplished, I slept, To their nutrients of poison, Äs they embarked to feasting, Not only to my Flesh, My House had a makeover, Of emptiness and coldness,

Familiar Parasites!
Have reduced me to a Skeleton,
Hardly to their Knowledge,
I have been Sketched,
For a New Dawn,
A dusk That's calling,
To an ascending Horizon

Without parasitic invadition.

## **Father Nature**

Nature's magical existence
Everything at its core setting
Flourishing to decomposing
For billions of years
Mother nature has been resillient
Surving meteor bombardment
worldwide volcanic eruptions
Even planet collisions
plus several mass extinctions
Lots of life eliminated on the planet

Earth has depleted it's pride
By pollution, Biodiversity and deforestation
It's lungs filled with rusty poisonous air
It's heart hazardous by fluoro bi carbide
We measly human beings worried the repercussions
Perhaps the mother is in complete control
Ready to shade her skin
Eventual will all be gone
Devoid of Father Nature

# **Festival**

African drum beats At the white sandy beaches Fiesta sweet dance

## Goodbye

A barren land
Of promising soil,
Emanates futility of fertility,
Bitter love of dormant seeds.

A barren land
Filled with sand soil,
It's chilly particles,
Blows right into your iris,
Tears fall, tears fall,
For your bitter love,
To be irrigated.

The scent of it's infertility
Profoundly toxic,
Hallucinations of germination,
Haunting little seedling shadows
Keeps you hoping,
Bitter love, never ceases at goodbye,
Drowns you in experiments.

# Haiku

Alien in Space

Over White fluffy pads

The parachutist

# Haiku In Swahili

Mgeni angani,

Juu ya pamba safi nyeupe,

Ni Parachutist.

# Haiku Love

His petal soft lips Singing warm sensual Music My Heart is on Fire

# Health

Sleepless nights Children with yellow fever No mosquito net

## Herald Thee Beloved

Herald thee beloved
Thy breeze
Thy fragrant
Warm as thine presence
Bloom thee beloved
As the flowers of the Nothern Hemisphere
Budding up in rejuvenation
'Spring forth'thy existence
Thy wings, as the woken up trees
Opens thine leaves,
Skimmed on every branch

Root up and grow
Stop wilting up in common cold
Beets souping up
Asparagus souping up
Catch a spoon and thy tone
Enjoy the tastes within

Herald thy bulbs beloved
Thine variable rays of colors
To flirter our sight
For butterflies are fluttering
The blooming florals
Hence the buzzing bees
Mimicking wildly and free!

Herald thy fertility beloved For blackbirds are breeding In thy yard of greenery Thine woodlands so sweet Birds bewitchingly singing Herald! Herald! Be thy better tidings.

# Hope

Staring at the Sky Any blue day will bloom Bright sun shining

## Iam An African

Africa my charm
For it delights my tidings
It's not my ebony skin
That allure the masses
Or the coarse hair
That makes me stand out
It's the scorching sun
That brightens my melanin
Iam an African

A face of diversity
Moulded together in harmony
In a unique sense of style
With indigenous tastes and preferences
That strikes hearts of many
When they gaze at my Kilimanjaro
And gallop through my Serengeti
Quenching there curiosity at the Maasai Mara
After flying over the Sahara

A black pearl, iam
Yet you can spot me vividly
You wonder how I shine
In my broad twilight
The secret is my mama Africa
She taught me her accent
That outstands linguistics
Ask my father Africa he knows the secret

Is it ironic even though I wear
Gold and silver
My African beads shines as diamonds
Yes iam African
For you know my ideals
That is, my rich culture.

# If Only Love Couldn't Find Me

Love came,
Took me to a fall,
Full of emotions,
In a green garden
Seems as the garden of Eden,
Full of fruits and flowers,
For my flourishment.

Suddenly,
Love changed,
Took me to a fall,
Full of temptations,
Scars of sorrow,
The Fruits in the Garden,
Tasted hot as pepper,
My eyes reddend,
Tears flowing down my cheeks.
Abruptly the flowers withered.

Love came
Love Tempted,
Love stole my nakedness,
If only Love couldn't find me.

## Leben

Das leben is wichtig, Sein Essenz-überleben, Überleben is erfahrung Seine schönheit Fauna and Flora Für die Faunen abenteuerlich Für die Floren überleben für die stärksen Obwohl unter einem planeten Deutlich auseinander gestezt Mit einer gemeinsamen mission Jeder und alles Ein Boot rudern Hinunter die Fluten Die wellen, die uns leiten Es mäandert uns Die jahreszeiten ein Gleichgewicht Auf dem ihre Manifestation untersucht wird Leben Oder nicht leben Geistig or respektlos Aberglaubisch oder sachlich Leben ist und wird sein Alle das ist grundlegend notwendig.

## Life

Life is essential, It's essence is survival, Survival is to experience, It's beauty, the faunas and flora, For the faunas adventurous, For the florals survival for the fittest, Though under one planet, Distinctively set apart, With a common mission, Each one and everything, Rowing a boat, Gently over the falling rains. Down the floods, The waves directing us, It's meandering shaping us, The seasons an equilbrium, Upon which our manifestation is examined, Living or non living, Spiritual or Irreverent, Superstitious or factual, Life is and will be, All that's fundamentally needed.

# Love Tanka

You my shining Star
Dawn arises in your smile
In each others arms
We dialogue wordlessly
Like thunder you Strike my Soul

#### Mama

I carry your words.
I remember your voice,
It's like poison choking my neck,
To the depth of my soul,
My heart is bleeding,
When I reminisce of you,
No fate, for you are my tears,
To my last breath.

I carry you as a secret, for you are sacred, You the heart of matter, That matters in my heart, No tears, for you are my tears, Years come, year gone, As my hair turns grey.

Here is the core,
To the volcano that erupts,
So deep in my soul,
Torning it apart,
To the sky of the sky,
Like a jigsaw puzzle.

But to my deepest confession,
I'm missing you mama,
Just as the wonder that kept the stars apart,
I still wonder why you departed from me?

## **Mr Terror**

Oh my eyes, the atrocities I see! Humans destroying humans, Religions extinguishing religions, Brothers endangering sisters, Nation against nation, globally, everywhere! Children endangered, women sexually humiliated. All subjects of Mr Terror. My ears are numb, they have forfeited their sense, To bomb blasts and daily grenades, To ruined buildings, a grim history, Of burnt bodies on blooded streets, All hell is broken loose, Heaven come to my rescue, Take me away from Mr Terror. I have been demonised, Made prisoner to silence, My dreams are shattered, my thoughts crippled, My soul haunted, I cannot face my neighbour, They have become strangers, my brothers too, At the hands of Mr Terror. Armageddon has begun, hunger and disease, Spread like a virus, your fear and hatred spread, Their contagion, like wild fire, Yet, like a phoenix I rise from the ashes of your destruction, Arise, recovered from the virus, The purpose to stop Mr Terror.

# Pen, Ink, Pad

I'm not a loner, I'm not shy, I'm quite, Composed, listening and forcused Drowning in a flood of thoughts, Swimming in a pool of words, Dreaming ideas of poetry With itching fingers, Restless they start moving Walking with the help of a pen, Messing this pad with ink, Breaking my silence with Alphabets and vowels, Syllables to sentences, An overwhelming existence, Social competence, Amongst us, (I, pen, ink and pad)

# Rattle

I'm going to rattle Like a serpent, For you the poem, In the rattle, I have become Rattle battle in action

## Reincarnation

Weary and torn,
Displaced to no destination,
The storm has taken over,
The wind blowing vigorously,
The trees sway steadily,
We are to a course of no consistency.

Weary and torn,
With internal wounds,
Bleeding profusely,
Dehydrated to wrinkling,
Aging without age,
Seeking tranquility.

The mountains and trees,
Bear witness to our fate,
Birth certificates without family,
Only familiar names,
From a country that is history.

Helter-Skelter we eloped,
To a marathon without medals,
But borders and borderlines to lineate,
A crime for a life in danger,
Prosecution is your reaction.

Identity, a puzzle to be authentified, Now termed refugees, Seeking a place of reincarnation, Hoping to be recognized, By our transmigrated new souls, In the midst of somewhere.

# **Relevancy Of Femininity**

Since the creation of mankind A gift was presented to man A banquet of love A vessel of sacredness Made from his own flesh To love and Cherish

A wonder of mother nature
A genesis of life
A revelation of living
For Adam was incomplete
Vague without Eve

A holy grail, a treasure to be noticed
To unify the diversity of feminism and masculism
Not a symbol of naivety nor inferiority
For snakes filled with lust
To defile, humiliate and kill
Fulfilling their ulterior motives

Girls; daughters, sisters, mothers disgraced today
In their very own homes, schools and work places
Womanhood an occupational sexism
Motherhood, an impediment to intellectual performance
Pregnancy is a factor of payment
Is a woman destined to dream?
What is the relevancy of Femininity?

# **Rock Of Ages**

Today I had a rocky day,
I sat on my rocky chair,
Then my bell rung,
And decided to take a walk,
On to the rocky road,
As fast as my feeble feets,
Could rock it,
Miles through the rocks,
Reefing blisters,
The pain seared,
To the core of my bones,
Leeping to a Rocky Mountain high Prost,
Sedimentally schattered,
Had a rocky fun day,
At the rock of ages.

# **Tanka**

Songs of galaxies
Drop as meteors on us
By day and by night
Amplified by gravity
They keep dancing through space

## The House Of God.

Together but parallel,
We collide at the crossroads,
Meet at the junctions,
Carefully heading to our known directions,

As water and oil, Insoluble we are, May be in a recipe, Solvent we are,

North,
East,
West,
South,
Our destinations,
To mystery

Only one roof,
Halts many souls,
Parallel or imparallel,
Under a recipe of worship,
Fueled by the Almighty,
The house of God,
Shall always suffice,
Our Puzzles.

## Want To Be

You want to be,
I want to be,
They want to be,
Don't be a want to be,
Let God be the want to be,
To the shores of I want to be,

Sometimes I want to be, Then I can't be, And then he becomes the want to be, There I enjoy to be,

Next I start to want to be,
What happened to my wanting to be?
Objective want to be?
Expired want to be?
Exhausted to want to be?
Or sailed to my want to be.

Hahaha!!!!
I got to the want to be,
Still I want to be,
The next I want to be.

He loves me to be, What I want to be, Almighty he be, To all I want to be.

## Whenever In Need

God above everything
God above allover us
He is a Mighty God
A Friend indeed
Whenever in Need
Call up dearly on him
He is Never a sleep
He will answer to your Needs
Whenever in Need

He is our Saviour, our lord
The Alpha and Omega
All are exalted through him
At the darkest Moments
His Avenue is bright
For us to follow
The messiah is Here
If only we could See the light in him
Keep seeking his presence
In every Situation at Hand

A magician in Need He does the deed Wherever indeed.

## You Get What You Give

Wipe my tears
Of pain and sorrow
Down my cheeks
Your absence flows.
My Heart is bleeding
Through my eyes
I'm Torn into Pieces
Can't you read the puzzle on my Face

Take a Minute and wipe my tears
Your Hand may mend
The jigsaw puzzle in my Soul
You say you care but you Act äs you dont
Now i can See the Image of Your Heart
I'm iyour Sugar?
I'm i your honey?
I'm i your pumpkin?
Or Even Your Tear drop!
Does your veins block when I bleed?
Does your heart stop when I tear?
No, wipe my tears and make me whole.

Give me back my smile Hence my lovely dimples For you get what you give.