

Poetry Series

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I go to a boarding school in pa. I love to write. It has only been recently that i have let people read my poems and stories. I'm really down to earth and I love to be around good company and good friends. Let me know what you think of my writing ability. Positive comments are good but constructive criticism is fine as well it builds character.

God Bless,

Brittany

# Christmas With You

It's crazy how enchanting it is tonight  
Everything's frosted and chilled  
As we sit here gazing at the stars, the powdered sugar snow falls onto us  
The cold air turns our breath to a cloud of white as we lean in...  
Our lips lock, I hold my breath afraid to move  
Tangled in a blanket I feel your touch as I am wrapped tightly in your arms  
Everything is magical  
Your soft lips graze mine and you whisper softly "I'll love you forever"  
Speechless I hold you tighter  
And quietly I respond "And I will love you all the longer"

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# Consume Me

His words are smooth  
His style is crisp  
Any woman would fall for his succulent shine  
Yet despite it all he is cold  
With a hard outward shell he tries to protect himself  
What he doesn't see is the drugs in which he hides causes more bruises and pain  
As i begin to dig for his true core he bleeds  
I feel the pain of his cold roots  
I dig deeper and deeper searching for the heart I that his beat belongs to.  
Within his core is a star  
In the reality of it he has the most satisfying gift of all  
The gift of life  
The gift of love

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# Daddy

When i was little my hand would fit in the palm if yours  
I would fall asleep on your chest at night  
And when I couldn't sleep at night because of the monsters under my bed you  
scared them all away  
I loved you and i still do  
But when i was little it different I don't know how it just was  
Now I'm 15, growing up, and I go to a private school  
The relationship between us has grown in to a total bond  
This admiration that i have for you is more than i can explain  
I remember when I got my first heart break  
You told me 'It's ok, he doesn't know what he is missin' but he will someday'  
Daddy you were right cause now he wants me back  
The day Chris and I broke up you stayed in my room with me for 3 hours till I  
stopped crying  
Then when i started dating Max you supported me  
His junior prom night I thought you were going to cry  
I'm sorry I didn't go to see you that night at your work  
Then I came here  
I'll never forget that day  
You were the one that made me cry the most  
And now the woman that meant the most to us is gone  
This is going to be hard  
I want you to know that I'm very proud of you  
You're doing an amazing job raising Beth and I on your own  
You are all I have left to go home to  
Thank you  
For being there for me through everything even though we have fought  
You've been there for me through all  
The concerts even if I sucked  
The boyfriends who were no good  
You were there to catch when I fell  
And praise me when i succeeded  
No daughter could ask for a better father than you  
I love you Daddy  
I will always be your little girl!

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# Godmother's House

I walk in and I can still smell him  
I hear his voice ringing in the halls  
You tell he never left the house...  
Yet he is gone  
She sits there in the empty house almost as if she is saying good bye  
A tear trickles down her cheek but it's time to move on  
Memories of him haunt her dreams  
As the car is packed  
The boys get in the truck  
The youngest whispers  
'Good Bye Jesse'

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# I Believed In You

Go ahead tell me it will be ok  
Tell me you are fine  
Tell me its just because of the disease  
The car broke down  
Mom's in the hospital  
Dad's got a job interview  
Sure I'll believe you for now  
But I can now see you are slowly dieing  
Your lies are catching up with you  
The young ones don't see  
The circles under your eyes are darkening  
Drug are over coming you  
Your cheeks are caving in  
Can't you see I'm dieing with you  
Why do you continue you to do this to us?  
Is it your escape?  
I don't understand i thought we came first  
You make loving you nearly impossible  
Get help  
Get us back to normal  
Don't let me die too  
I miss you

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# Isn'T The End

We had lots of laughs and great times  
but i have moved on i know it hurts  
i'm feeling it too but me and him  
we were together for years  
i was tired of being pulled between you two  
so i have decided....  
it's not you  
but never forget the times we shared and the moments we had.  
I'm always here for you  
dont worry this isn't the end  
It's the begining of a new friedship

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# Laughing

you pushed me to the limitts  
you laughed  
you poked  
you tore me to pieces  
i'm not pretty  
i'm not the best athlete  
so you decided to...  
laugh  
poke  
and tear  
so I did the same  
i laughed as i  
tore at my skin  
and poked them through my chest  
i didnt see you smiling the day you heard the awful truth  
so im guessing you're not laughing any more

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# Liar

I guessed you to be some one you're not  
I guessed you to be something you never were  
I guessed you would be there but you never will be  
I guessed you would be true but you never were  
I guessed you would love me but you never did  
I guessed you to be the one that you come through but you never did  
I was wrong  
You're not who you say you are  
You're not the something I thought you were  
You were never there  
You never were true  
You never loved me  
You will never come through  
I believed all of your lies  
I believed everything you said  
I listened to all the promises you made but never followed through with  
I gave it all but got nothing in return  
I am moving on

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# My Suicide

No one takes me seriously only because I try to be myself  
They all look at me as if I am a freak  
But what they don't know is this has been my last week  
I will go home lock my door  
Look at you and say my last good byes  
I will write to you and let you know what you did  
Take the razor Ashley used and do the same as she  
But before I go how about this for my last words.....  
'F\*\*\* the world and f\*\*\* yourself see you in hell'  
This is my suicide

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# No More Chances

My heart beats faster  
Tears well  
I grab for your hand  
You pull me into you  
I can't let you go  
Your eyes upon my face  
Your hand in mine  
Your lips caress my skin  
I can't take this anymore  
'I'll never forget you'  
Tears roll silently down my face  
'Sorry, I love you'  
These are the last words I hear you say  
as you walk a way  
My body crumbles to the floor and the tears pore like rain from the clouds  
You come back pick me up and kiss me in the most passionate way only like you  
can.  
The sparks fly  
For that one moment everything was at peace.  
I open my eyes  
The razor slides  
One more painful memory.

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# This Boy

This boy...he doesn't know...

This boy doesn't know what he does to me with every passing glance

This boy doesn't know what his touch does to me

This boy doesn't know how I feel when he is near

This boy doesn't know I take his game seriously

This boy doesn't know that I can see his pain

This boy doesn't know that I know what he wants

He wants to love and be loved back

This boy doesn't know that I can see what passion he holds within

I can see it in his eyes when he stares into mine

This boy doesn't know that I love him

I love this boy and he doesn't even know it

I know the pain he has gone through

I know he has a heart that he is afraid to let other people see

I know this boy has a soft side he afraid to let out

This boy...he doesn't know...

I wish he did

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# Thoughts

I try to help but nothing works  
people ask for my advice and it is used against me  
maybe my problem is that im so focussed on other problems  
i forget about my own  
i take it  
i cry every night thinking of all the things I caould have stopped  
Why do i think if death when all I want is life?  
Why does the past still haunt my dreams  
The thought of you hating me kills me on the inside  
but on the outside i say i could care less  
I wish i could stop all these thoughts in my head

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# We All Fall

We all fall, sometimes  
We all let ourselves down  
Sometimes there's nothing left to do but to live with what's been done  
You're the only one who falls  
I still believe in you and so does God  
We all fail, sometimes  
We all let someone down  
But what you have to do is promise yourself that you won't fall again  
I will still tell you that you can do it  
I will stay by your side  
I will always help you get back up  
God and I will always believe in you  
God is the one who believes in those of us who fall  
We all fall  
Sometimes you just want to give up  
All you have to do is promise you will get back up and try again

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