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Better Left Unsaid

All my life I was used to riding solo Living YOLO
'Til you came along
And annoyed me all day long

And I don't know why
During the time I told you goodbye
A few tears escaped from my eyes
Revealing the sadness that I tried so hard to disguise

And so... find a get-away car My darling, take me to where you are 'Coz what used to be me, myself and I Has now become me and you

And now the only words that are left to say is "I love you" But then again...

Some words are better left unsaid...

Until the time is right

Brings Back Memories

All those memories we once had Are the only things that reminds me the most about you

Can't help but think of you Whenever I hear someone strum his guitar

Can't help but wish that it was me Who you were smiling back instead of another girl

Can't help but wonder what would've happened If we still had stayed strong

'Coz these are the things that we used to do The couple who used to be me and you

'Coz these brings back a lot of things That are already fading in my mind It brings back memories

Burning Desire

I crave his touch
His gentle hands brushing against mine
Making adrenaline rush through my veins
Setting fire on my skin
Making me desire for more
But I'm afraid that wanting more would mean
Me being the one who's going to burn
When it's over

Don't We Almost Have It All

Love struck I was when I first laid eyes on you
But that feeling quickly faded away with the wind
When you opened your mouth to speak
Your voice was music to my ears
But the way you carried yourself was all air

Ambitions, aspirations, dreams and all Art, music, literature Fun, thrill and adventure Get-away cars, sports and waves Beaches, parties and flowing short skirts As we danced the night away

You took my hand and taught me how to fly
While I did the opposite Taught you how to stay grounded while aiming high
You built me up and put my insecurities to sleep
While I taught you to stop pointing out the flaws in each person
And just accept them for who they truly are

I soared up high into the endless blue sky You tried to follow me You tried to reach me You were my one and only competition But with you my heart was free

For the very first time I felt lost
And you were the only one who found me
The only one who had the courage to break down my walls
The only one whom I could truly rely on

Restless wanderer we both were
Together we reached new heights
But then my inner nomad strike again
And I had to escape reality
Since I felt caged in
Burdened by everything

You told me to stay

And I almost did
But my own fears and insecurities consumed me
And I had to go and leave
And alone you took the fall

Two months passed by
And I felt like I was living a lie
You told me to live like I was dying
I was alive but without you by my side
I was merely existing

Consumed with guilt and regret
I tried my very best to blend in
Tried my hardest to love the new path that I took
But it was completely different
Since I started riding solo

Several more months flew by
Time healed all my wounds
Buried all of my grudges
Hid my frustrations
Concealed all my pent-up emotions
And I slowly changed myself

But alas, time changes everything
And you were one of those changes
During the time you fell down
Someone had caught you in her loving arms
And held you high and proud
Just like what I had done before
Just like what I would have done if I never left
Because we almost had it all....

Falling For You

I fell in love with the way you smiled at me
With the way your dark eyes lit up whenever you saw me
I fell in love with the melodious laughter that escaped from your lips
I fell in love with you every time you strum your guitar
And played the songs that your heart cannot express out loud
Oh darling, you got me head over heels for you
Why can't you fall for me like the way I fell for you?

Flames Of Love

I always get lost in his expressive dark eyes
Which glowed so brightly that they made the stars in the sky seemed dull
I love the way his smile is so contagious
And how his lips parted whenever he flashes me his genuine smile

I yearn to feel his soft lips pressed against mine

And kiss him ardently and passionately until our souls merged into one

His smooth caramel brown hands are so desirable

And I often resist the urge to grab them and interlace my fingers through them

His voice is so deep and beautiful at the same time And I longed to hear him call out my name I want to run my fingers through his wavy hair And whisper in his ear 'I'm falling in love with you'

But falling in love with someone like him Has its own ups and downs And I don't want to be the casualty When the burning flames of love Starts to burn down to the ground

Head Over Heels

Your playful laugh Your genuine smile The sparkle in your eyes Got me so addicted into you

Mesmerized by your soulful eyes
Which captured the emotions that you tried to hide
But they can never disguise
The fact that you're falling head over heels for someone
Someone who's not me

Him

His eyes were as deep and as dark as the night skies
And they used to have stars in them
But now the twinkle in his eyes has abandoned him
And he was left with a broken and damaged soul Unable to feel anything
Nor express to other people how he really feels deep inside him

If Only

His once vibrant and expressive eyes
Had turned cold and dark as the night skies
And it took me years before I finally realized
That I don't feel anything for him anymore
My heart didn't skip a beat like it used to before
Watching him from a distance
Didn't make my world stop still unlike in the past
And all I felt was emptiness, loneliness and pity for him

But if only he knew how I would give anything in the world
Just to see him flash his stunning smile at me once again
If only he knew how much I wanted to be the one to get him off from the ground
Whenever life brings him down
If only he knew how much I yearn to be the reason behind his smile
If only he knew how much I missed his voice every time he laughs
If only he knew about the butterflies that I felt in my stomach
Whenever he leaned in close to my ear and whisper random things
That make me giggle in class
If only he knew how much I loved him...

But if he did know would it make any difference at all? If I ever did tell him would he even fall? If only...

If We Meet Each Other Halfway

At first I doubted your sincerity

But then realized that your words were filled with a little bit of nerves and honesty

And as unexpected and fast-paced our romance might appear to others It doesn't matter as long as we keep it from my mother

No words can express what I truly feel for you
'Coz my heart feels free every time I'm with you
You make me feel special when we're together
Back when we were in the pool you made me feel as light as a feather

You give the warmest hugs
Yet play the craziest pranks
And like caffeine you kept me up all night
Oh, darling, didn't you know that you're my guiding light?

You are far different than any of them combined 'Coz mon amour you are one of a kind You make me feel as if there's no other You almost make me believe that there's forever

But since there's no such thing as forever You should know that someday we'll go on our separate ways And just hope maybe sometime in the near future We'll meet each other halfway

Infinity

Your paralyzing eyes
Your mesmerizing face
Makes it hard for me to look away
There are times when you even get me tongue-tied
And I run out of words to say

Still trying to fight this feeling inside of me Yet I'm drawn into you And as much as I don't like it I think I've fallen for you

Because your mere presence
Can make my heart beat faster
Making adrenaline rush through my veins
Along with conflicting emotions

But on a breezy Friday morning on the school's rooftop All of my doubts and suspicions faded along with the wind As I felt your lips locked into mine in the most passionate kiss Acting out the words that were left unsaid and miss

With your arms tightly wrapped around my body
I felt the heat of your love
Thawing my frozen heart
Revealing the emotion which I kept buried deep inside of me
To protect myself since loving someone would tear me apart

But then again you were different
I felt the warmth of your love in your tight embrace
And a rush of emotions resurfaced within me
And neither one of us wanted the moment to end
Neither one of us wanted to let each other go

And when nightfall came
Still our romance didn't end
Shared another kiss with you under the moonlight
Which sent all of my senses into overdrive

You didn't even give me any material possessions

Yet you gave me the stars, the moon and the entire galaxy
And when you gave me your trust
And offered to me your heart
That's when I realize that your love for me will last for infinity

And how crazy it was for me to think when I was younger
That only running and caffeine can make my heart beat faster
But then you came into my life
And proved to me that maybe... just maybe...
There's a possibility that our unexpected romance might end with a
"happily ever after"

Irreplaceable

It's been eight years already
And I've met thousands of guys
I've tried searching for you
In every single one of them
But they only carried a small piece of you
Still it wasn't enough
Since none of them had ever captured my heart like what you did
And it was then that I finally realized
That you're like the breeze –
Gentle but harsh sometimes, warm yet cold
Fleeting but truly irreplaceable

Midnight Thoughts

Lying on my bed late at night
With the dazzling moonlight streaming through the windows
Random thoughts swirling in my head
Concealed emotions crowding inside my chest
Listening to my heart thumping against my ribcage
And wondering whether yours was beating to the same rhythm as mine

Not Meant To Be

Guess that we're really over
Because our love used to be stronger
Guess that I realized that too late
But you didn't even bother to wait

Guess that I really can't make you stay
And I know that we'll soon be going on our separate ways
But I still don't know if the day will come to me
When I'll accept that you and I aren't meant to be

Ode On A Grandfather's Clock

A strange apparatus that can dominate the present time
Which can also make a loud noise as Father Time passes by
Like a tall tower standing proudly on top of its base
Like an ancient person which can tell time but does not pass away with age
With great wooden carvings on its sides
It is also a friend of Time but never grows older from time to time

One Call Away

It didn't take long enough
Before you were able to capture my heart
'Coz you stood by my side all the time
Even though there are times when I just wanted to run away and hide

But my darling when I'm with you Every single day feels like summer Without you by my side It's always snowy winter

And my darling always remember
That no matter the weather
I'll just be one call away
To be your superhero and save the day

Polaris

It took me a long time to finally realize
That you're one of the brightest stars in the Northern night sky
You lit up my entire universe
Just by flashing your angelic smile
But then I remind myself that you are Polaris –
Forever untouchable, unreachable, unattainable
And there's only one in a million chances that you'll fall for me
But that will never happen in reality
Because a bittersweet memory is all you'll ever be

The One That Ran Away

They are worlds apart
Yet he still has her heart
But distance hardly matters
As long as they love each other

And even though he's a thousand miles away
She will still love him more each day
Because she regretted the day that she ran away

But now that she's grown older and wiser
She knows that she should stop running after yesterday
Since time has changed both of them
And left them broken at first
But built them up into who they are today
Even though they had both gone into separate ways

The Other Side Of Me

You don't really know me well Like you think you do For you I'm just an ordinary girl Living in an ordinary world

But I'm more than that I'm more than who you think I am

If only you can see
The other side of me
That's much more different
Than what you can see within me

I may not like be What you always think of me 'Coz I'm much more different Than what I may appear to be

You can't judge me now
Like you used to do
I'm not gonna let you
'Coz I'm gonna prove to you
I'm much more than you think I am

Oh, why can't you see
The other side of me
That's been trying to let you see
The real me

I'm much more different now Than who I used to be If only you can see The other side of me

The Pain That You Left Behind

When you left, you pierced my heart
Just like a thorn of a rose that pricked my finger
The bleeding didn't stop until you came back
And healed my shattered heart all over again

The Remedy

From the start I thought that you were the enemy
At first glance you seemed like a player and a bully
But you built me up during countless times
And I tore you down with just a single goodbye
Then I spiralled into misery and self-destruction
And alone you fell hard to the ground in total depression

And it was way too late When I realized that you felt the same way towards me

Because fate said that we're not meant to be
But even though you're a thousand miles away from me
You will forever be etched into my heart and memory
Simply because we were each other's cure and remedy

Through It All

Through those times
We were together
I used to cherish it
To make it last forever
Through the years we were far apart
You had always stayed inside my heart

Through it all, I know we'll stay strong
Through it all 'coz we both belong
Through it all now and forever

Unexpected Changes

Thought that I'd known you well
But it turns out I'm wrong
Didn't know that you've changed yourself
Ever since the last time I saw you

You've changed everything about yourself From the way you look to the way you act Didn't recognized you myself The moment I laid eyes on you

Whenever you see me You act as if you saw nothing And my heart feels tormented Because I couldn't do anything

To bring you back to your old self
But even if you act that way towards me
I'm glad that I've still got a memory
Of you, me, us

And I'll continue to keep and cherish it 'Til you're back to your old self And right now even though waiting for you Is kind of useless

I'll still be waiting 'coz I couldn't bear To love you less