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A Recycled Sonnet

An envious glance down the memory lane
A quiet perusal of the mind's domain
Another visit to your facebooked profile
To meet you dear one once in a while...
A friend so sweet and lovely, smart and sound
A princess in waiting yet to be crowned
A sweet voice that mesmerises the world
A pious soul beloved to the good Lord
A gem that once in tears nearly drowned
To rise like a phoenix heaven-bound...
O princess taking wings to evolve
Hats off to your steely will and resolve
I pray that all your cherished dreams come true
This friend, dear one, will always stand by you.

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Doom Enticed

On the day whence the celestial kingdom
I gathered was but a figment of her eyes
She was told the truth though she thought me dumb.
The sighs proved, among lies, that it was unwise.

The whisper within, that woke me each dawn:
'Be bold, love untold shall never unfold
Such love, hitherto, the world has not known
Young lover, fear not, truth ought to be told'

Was ominous, deceptive and tragic.
I couldn't fathom the depth in her eyes
Charmed by her flourish, wooed by her magic,
The whisper I followed, my girl to entice.

This doomed refrain, took shape thus, though still born..
That cursed moment, to this day, hence I scorn..

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Fettered Liberty

I locked my heart and threw away the key..
The heart chokes but now I am free..

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The Writer's Block

So long since I last heard a knock.
May be, it is the writer's block.
But believe me, it is not a joke,
I am out of print and out of stock...

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