#### **Poetry Series**

# Nia Williams - poems -

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My long awaited life.... if you like the words, check out my songs on

#### 1950

An era I envy The cost of glamour Unfolds in retro style

Holly Golightly's dream; The sky blue Mustang Solitaire for breakfast;

She wishes to place her Toes on the walkway On Hollywood Roe

Settles for her stray cat Unknown party guests Hidden love in her song

## A Bad Mouth (For Singing)

The underdogs of caberet
With their expensive instruments
Should stick to sitting on the fence
As talent touts reach out to say-

Try living in the real world Your influence is out of date Your failure is only fate I wish your song had not occured.

#### **Attention All Virgins**

Stuck inside my head The lace lay in the doorway Her shift almost done.

Window shows vacant She'll take your money and give No proof of purchase

Or loving kisses.

Temptation provided by

Strangers dressed in red.

Vulnerable virgins
And the socially inept
Watch the hidden cost-

A trip to the quak, Unwelcome dose of the clap, And no going back...

(\*quak- slang word for a Doctor.)

#### **Audrey**

Your beauty

Your elegance

Simply absorbs me

The uncut whisper

Descends upon

You're lifeless

Satin gloss

The structure

Of you're cheekbones

Lay heavy

Below your eyes

Embedded in the

Distinguished Estee

Rouge blush

Every brunette

Strand has it's place

Wisped to the

Left of you're temple

Your bare shoulders

Are all that

Lie between

You and the Mag'.

#### **Candles**

Calmed by it's flame
Heat protects all that's around it
Movement of it's light flicker.
Rapidly change from orange to gold.
A pool of wax awaits
To dribble down the bottle,
Blue speckles appear
In between the streaky
Residue that remains.
An ambience for love and art.

# Children In Rags

Own the layered look
The Matchstick girl awaiting
For her red slippers

## **Cold Showers**

Clammy, crinkled skin Unworn by the 'Palmolive' Dare I bend over?

## **Dancing**

I dream of dancing with the trees
Amongst the bitter tones of autumn
The whispering air, my gentle hand
Floats between the intertwining
Of the Ivy's rainbow leaves
That swirl around my naked toes
Mesmerised by my surroundings
I dream of dancing with the trees.

#### **Diamonds**

That long awaited trip.
Unmarked price tag, little green bag.
Tiffany's only wish.

#### Dig Deep

London couldn't wait For the busker's to arrive. Welsh lovers' singing

Retro hymns out loud. No expression left unturned Their words drew a crowd.

The worn look of the Oak guitar and rusty strings Made the people think

Of the dark side held By the unnoticables And their famous dog.

## **Distinguished Seasons**

Distorted light appears
In between the bareness
Of the woodland
Statues of the sun motionless.
Thawed leaves
Cause chaos
Vision impaired
High risen white blankets lie ahead
Stone salted surfaces
Smother their pride and joy
Through one more unnecessary journey.

#### **Ensemble Eve**

Captures the essence
Of pure love
An aura of soft light
Encapsulated by
The subtle colour of gold
From candles, to the distinguished light
In between the pebbled stone
Drawn in by its delicate
Sense ofThe sinking in the sofa
The frosted taste of wine
The gripping of hands
What an ensemble eve

For Stevie 18th September 2008

# Fairgrounds

Candyfloss at hand Victorian sound plays out loud British tourists' dream

## Keep Rolling

Rough around the edges
The linen like paper
Smeared in his stained fingerprint
Soon to evaporate
The bittersweet scent
Of liquorish.

30 years on
The Rizzla remains to be
The simplicity of his life
Detached from the reality
Distracting him of the potency
Of his liquorish on

The innocence around him.

#### Long Awaited Life

For all the hopes I pondered For all the dreams I set For every wish accounted for Not one comes close As my dream I live today.

Today I find a word
To share with you alone
The words of wisdom
That lie within,

A single coloured object
The certainty of a single
The proposal of everlasting
My long awaited life has arrived.

#### Lost

Drifting in a missing space
Searching for unknown desires
Unreachable smiling faces
Lay beneath her vision
Declared appearance
Of humility ended in seperation
Between what's real
And her true values of life.

## Moving On

Excitement
Lies ahead
Preparations begin
Items emerge from
The neglected space
Memories
Unveiled amongst
School photographs, Bob Dylan Vinyls,
And the dusty diary
From 1980

Stock builds
Taking over every corner
The space we once called home
Now taken over by
Aladdin's Glory Hole.

#### Mrs G's Pic & Mix

The stainless off white
Porcelain dish
From one week to another
She keeps me guessing
What could I devour?
A mint humbug,
Rhubarb and custard
Or maybe even a Pear Drop?

# My Everlasting

My heart ignighted broader than my every hope My little black book.

Expression of soul Craved by the instant Desire of your words.

Countless, endless thoughts Like drifting sand in the stone Intertwined by love.

#### My Mum

From her biscuit highlights
To her plumb shrug
And her good old faithful 'berties'
I admire the glamour in her style.
Her smile remains untouched
Her pleasure to see me
Makes my visit so worthwhile.
Whatever I may lack, she replaces
In my time of need, I'm guided to her
Now matter what, I turn to my soul mate.

#### My Stevie

The loving touch
Of your gentle hand,
The tender tone
Of your subtle voice,
Lifts my spirit
In every sense.

Your music is genius, Your words sincere, Your art inventive, And your ways Untouchable.

For I will keep you So close, Close enough to love Till the end of time.

## My Take On The Capital

Uplifting sound of street laughter
The unseen styles
Un-experimented colour schemes
High risen sights
Evolving culture
Sushi at hand on every corner
Skating within the crowds
Necessity of the tube
My capital simply.....
Alive.

# Observations Of My Neighbourhood At 5pm (22/03/2009)

Monty the sheepdog mongrel Embarks on his mission To torment the youths

Kimbo Saby
Stands there waiting
To call the sound of a foghorn
Late for her appointment
At the solarium yet again.

John Bon Jovi
At number 64
Shares his bullshit
Amongst the estate
Claiming glory to his idol

Miss Russelle
The Russian Doll
Burns the clutch of her 205
In a drive by
Whilst giving the neighbours two fingers
Isolating herself from us

The stench of stale mothballs
Deters our visitors
Let alone the local moggy
My father is not a cat lover

And Cath Clinks
Sells her stale goods
Will we pay the price?
She doesn't own
This years calendar

5: 45 draws the escapades And curtains to a close Until tomorrow at 5pm I do love a good nose.

## Our Kingdom Love

Our love is a kingdom
Built above a world in vain
Reaching out to share our fame
Distant hopes of what they see
Ensemble life I share with thee
Today I found faith to share
Blessed by my awaited life
Love is my single fortune
A kingdom of which I live within
Ensemble life I share with thee

# Parking On Double Yellows

Restricted vision Exeption for DLA Use that badge with pride

#### **Prison**

Bared for all my sins Sinners beliefs lie within The depth of courage.

#### Reaching

When silence embarks
Heartbreak is left to destruct
Every portion of optimism
Shared by thee

Torn between the stages One seeks to reach for the final Only to one's disappointment The journey ahead travels wide

One's arrival at their destination Proves silence as a distant memory Where every portion of optimism Displayed by thee has disappeared.

# Remarked By All

The space between souls High driven expectations Within their reach Or their dream?

A shared vision Held unaware Of ones each desire.

# Rich People

Draped in luxury Wrapped up with no sense of What is truly real

## **Sandcastles**

Towering above all scenarios black or blue shaped just like our love.

# **Shopping List**

In sequence of needs Bared by the budget within We left the shop broke.

## **Shoulders**

Secure within mine. Resting soul upon my lover. Eternal sharing.

#### Skin

Straightend by surgeons The blemishes well hidden In a fortune vain

# Sleeping Beauty

A multitude of sailors gathering Amongst the river muscle men Conwy Cruise ship glides by announcing The kaleidoscopic view Of the 'Sleeping Beauty'. Early evening embarks Upon Mulberry view Sandbanks emerge From below the tide. A man made scene of stone Once stood guarded by steel In honour of ancient royalties Today it carries the flag of glory We walk the walls We paint its portrait on postcards The highlight of tourism Lies above the quay.

# **Sunshine**

Broader than a mile Absorbed by those below Stripped of colour

# The Estuary

My eye insisted on gazing
Over the rippled sand banks
The surrounding estuary
Reminds me of a childhood sketch
Found in my 'news' book
Many feelings revolved
Inspiring my every vision
My posture lies like a 'ship that never sails'.

# The Familiar Way

The hand reaches the glass,
Religiously on the hour
The hand's developed a habit
The hand protects the liquor
The hand allows no other to share
It speaks only to the familiar eye
One's eyes become glazed
Memory left hazy
But still, the hand reaches
The old faithful familiar

#### The Unwanted

Chosen
By it's own right
Suppressed beneath
The delicacy
Of my flesh
There is no space
For it has emerged
Beyond all optimism
It's chosen today,
Of all days
Chosen
once again
By it's own right

# This Is Love

Draped in your soft skin
Safety
In your poet hand
I feel sincerely sealed in our
Love, art and lyrics
Unique
To a love of our kind
This is love.

# This Moment Belongs To Us

In the depth of that single Loving Moment I placed a lifetime of hope In your arms Divided by only our souls

I look upon my life As a pursuit of you Blessed with inspiration Of a lifetime held in you

Eternity I wait for You're my long awaited love Now and forever.

For my love Stevie 25th November 2008

#### **Trains**

Faster than bullets.
Electrical genius.
made by many hands.
Arrival times change.
Late for work for the last time.
Over priced breakfast.
Strangers never smile.
I preferred the old steam trains.
Cramped like tins of fish.

# **Unknown Depth**

From your olive tone
To that recognised smile
unexpectedly....

Sharing desire Without any sensation Of the depth within

Ypur presence alone Careless of all around me Costly ingibited

For I am now one Centered within your art And your unknown depth

# **Washing Lines**

Laundary's out for days The carousel models the Rustic peg stained sheets

# Water

Unpredictable Ripples devour the pond The unfaithful sea

# Why

My only wish
Is to be understood
My swirling thoughts
Reacing heart
Speed of movement
When and who
I ask myself everyday
Why?

# William

Vividly brighter Than any other of his kind He's loyal to all