

Poetry Series

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# A Piece Of Advice

My dear wonderful sister,  
I am contented that you will be marrying your prince charming.  
As much as I am certain that my brother-in-law to be is a lucky mister,  
I pray that you will take with you abundant supply of love and prevent any cause  
of harming.  
As physical, mental or moral impairment can fill your life with blisters,  
Do not create turmoil in the heart of others as it would become alarming.

As you once shared that marriage is like a sweet dish,  
One may regret by either consuming it or not.  
I think you should consume the sweet dish,  
For all you are worth for him to tie the love knot.  
I will be in joy to see you both exchanging the kiss,  
And seeing in your eyes that fulfillment is not comparable to anything that you  
could have bought.

However, you will not have any regrets if you understand,  
That both of you have selected each other due to compatibility.  
I am sure that both the families have shaken their hands,  
Knowing very well that with each other there will be reliability.  
I feel nothing could go out of hand,  
As I look upon you for your civility and amiability.

Consider your reputation to be tarnished,  
If your husband begins to think that his latest wife is better than his outdated  
mother.  
Since that was not the case before, you will be considered to be selfish,  
If you think for you he should stop loving others.  
Then, I would think it is better that you regret by not consuming the sweet dish,  
Because otherwise it will only bring trouble one after another.

There are many out there who may incite you.  
This will unnecessarily be the cause of emotional debate.  
Those who constantly receive a boo,  
Seem to insult others so that their opinions carry more weight.  
Unity and robust relationship with all others you should pursue,  
That will discourage the feeling of hate.

Pay respect to earn it.

If you can't, then don't expect it.  
If you feel envious that others have received it.  
Sit back and observe how and why they have gained it.  
Don't doubt even a bit.  
This piece of advice is to prepare you to commit.

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# Happy Wedding Anniversary

I remember the day when I was insisted to attend a function...  
As I didn't want to be deprived from several hours of sleep the next day  
I declined to attend the usual late ending occasion  
But I was constantly encouraged to make myself available after work the next day  
As time management and giving respect to invitations was the assertion

Though reluctant initially but a sudden aid within showed me the stairway  
To attend the celebration of a new born baby without any justification  
It was astounding to me that when I was putting on my face that pleasant day  
I could not understand why I was having the fascination  
That I would be meeting my ideal man that Thursday

However, I was thinking to myself of my introversion  
How could I be openly socializing in any way?  
My fascination turned into affirmation  
When through your cousin you showed me the pathway  
For us to engage into conversation

How amazing this was that the conversation flowed in such a way  
That I did not have any form of distraction  
For a moment I felt being in another world far away  
As we continued with our interaction  
Until when I looked up and turned my position towards the doorway

The obvious attentions from family members and friends started to cause interruption  
I thought the temporary halt to our communication was okay  
As both of us needed the space for consideration  
I had excused myself though I wished I could possibly stay  
Thinking of my fascination changing into reality, I was still trying to envision

Our subsequent meeting and one in the café  
Helped me attain gratification  
You were the one I sought for to be my life partner whenever I stood to pray  
As there was no other I felt could have been my companion  
With that in mind, the union between us is a hooray!

Today, I got the passion all of a sudden

In writing this message to convey  
Our good and bad times together are moments that cannot be forgotten  
Happy 9th Anniversary I proudly would like to say  
It's a completion of another year and an opening to another introduction...  
In the life we stay...

Happy Wedding Anniversary, Darling!

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# Merry Christmas

An occasion with family and friends that you should not miss  
As spending time together with them is priceless  
Catching up with stories and jokes is joyous  
So let's hope that the laughter is endless.

Wishing that your evenings will be illuminated by candles  
During this season of Christmas

Merry Christmas to you and family.

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# Rising With Dignity

It is nice to hear about achievements...

The well wishers would feel happy to find out about those who have succeeded...

With this we can come into agreement...

That the motivation from those who have succeeded for who are still striving is sometimes needed...

Most complain about their daily routine...

Well, are you trying to gain some sympathy?

Smile works as vaccine...

Being envious only spreads vapidty and builds acidity...

Yes, respect is earned and not demanded...

So stop comparing yourself with others...

It's okay if the purpose is to revive what is neglected...

But do not pollute the lives full of colours...

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