### **Poetry Series**

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#### **Angel**

Hey there my wee angel I hate to see you cry A thing to remember is angels always try

to forgive and forget to live and to learn a life fully lived you'll never yearn

Hey there my wee angel friends come into your life a day, a week, a year, maybe more life's to short to trouble and strife

so forgive and forget, love and learn our mistakes, both good and bad are here in turn

Hey there my angel don't cry no more your family loves you right to your core

(To my beautiful daughter, Ashleigh - you're so precious)

#### **Distance**

Thousands of miles separate a friendship in what form Never meeting nor the chance of anything more but Distance is only a aborition of a fleeting glimpse into the vast and empty souls that keeps surviving and Generations have been there Missing, forever alone Following the tragedy that is surely only theirs SO Forget the past and follow the future Yesterday's gone and only ones self Creates a future for those who follow oh, yes, they will admire!!

#### Lost

I thought I'd write
I'm told that it's good
To release the inner
self.....less..ness

I thought I'd write
I'm told that I can
To go with the flow
Let those creative juices blow

I laugh at my whimsical well, interesting outlook on life My kids laugh at me

The old man sits over there rolling his eyes not losing a hair Well not that we can see

The tv's blaring in the background, I hear But I have some thoughts to deliver out there

I'm giggling again at the way this is going perhaps to much like Dr Seuss I fear

I'll finish this another time No more to say Next time drinking lemon and lime

#### Mixmatch To New

Have you ever thought
you were part of a story
Part of a pre written text
Designed through the years
Stories of old, stories of new
Woven together
Déjà voux
Coincidence
Brought together, a mix match to new

I have to get these thoughts
written down
They come flooding in
Then leave as though they
Have never been
We really are
Those who
Came before us
Brought together, a mix match to new

I have stories to tell
Write em down
Stories of old, stories of new
Of years gone by
And the beauty of nature
Summer green, autumn gold
Winter white to spring's yellows
Just like life
Brought together, a mix match to new

#### The Last Post

Day is done
Gone the sun
From the seas
From the hills
From the sky
All is well
Safely rest
God is nigh

But that bugle
Singing out over the heads
Gets you every time
Sadness to joy
Every emotion
Anzac Day

Remembrance
For it shall not happen again
But it does
We do forget
All those lives
Lost for what

Tomorrow brings
A new beginning for those left behind
We won't forget

But we do
Oh, so quickly
It happens again
Loved ones
taken so soon
Lost forever

Lest we forget!!!!