Dedicated to all victims of domestic violence

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This book contains profanity, bad language, dark humor and outright racism (in context obviously)

The poems are a collection of near 30 years of pen to paper while being homeless, living in tents and generally surviving at all costs.

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The poems are romantic, dark, twisted, humorous and very tongue in cheek. I tried to keep the whole spectrum of humanity into account when compiling my notes

Enjoy

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# A Broken Poet

I once wrote a poem Of bizarre words that were broken I chopped them up and tore them apart Like the words that wreaked havoc upon my heart It was not so much what was said or done It was the blunder of ignorance emitted from every one Because the very words that wreaked despair Were those same words I wrote with care I crumpled these things precious to me and burned them with fire Lest if not me no one else it may inspire Because words are just letters if they are not read An excruciating alphabet of a poet existing only in his head If thy audience be thyself then what is passion if not bled? If thy reward be thy own echo aren't thou completely dead?

# **The Marketplace**

At the marketplace, it is quiet inside that old rusty shell Its timeless eyes watch the oblivious people in this fog Hush whispers the wind Long tolls the old bell It is not that cold yet I seem to shiver Sky of concrete gray, no warmth here People pass that have emptied their smiles Maybe they are numb, crying invisible tears Still here I stand quietly in rain A statue that cries yet no one sees Faded smile hiding steely pain Hardened and weathered, I'm starting to freeze Something lies dead in silent snow, Its frosty sting you can taste in the air I must find the strength to keep life's embers glow Even when I am frozen and all alone I stared too long down this bottomless well Of repetitious existing in living hell An immortal being trapped inside a hollow shell Dreaming in silence It's so cold that I seem to shiver The asphalt gray transforms to white

My thoughts are but meaningless blither I can never rest from this perpetual flight Maybe I'm just filled with fear But you'll never see my invisible tears

# Blah Blah

Blah blah your beach house Blah blah your swimming pool blah blah BMW fuck you Rolex collection too does her make up and perfume spell out easy to get whore for you you would have a better chance with the animals in a petting zoo She will never call you You've never read a book in your life If she were dumb enough to take you home Her momma would just start to cry you are such a creep blah blah sexual fantasies it disgusts her that you see yourself lying all over her Her pretty eyes pretend to listen but inside her head you're snoring so what if you got lots of money Your advances are so annoying I hope she gives you her number and makes you believe you've got a date Then watches from a distance

laughing with her girls while you wait

I've seen you workout at the gym Getting a semi from your own reflection

Probably if you'd be all alone It would be a full blown erection

## Greed

Just one of a million flowers Reaching for the sun wherever it will shine In its own precious life so pretty Light windy day, soft still night

One kiss like a thousand years In one glimpse that stops time The moment is gone I still remember That strange look in your prowling eyes

One life like a million slain Is extinguished, riddled with lead rain It means nothing for blank eyes that stare Those eyes are empty it's dark over there

Just one of a thousand people, one of a billion needs Some god thought we are all content So he cursed us with greed

## **Little Lies**

Don't come to me with your little lies

great looks and dreamy seductive eyes

I've seen this all too much before It makes my head ache and my eyes sore

Don't come to me with promises Of true love and faithfulness Honesty and virtue do not reside with you

I'm not impressed you would take me for a fool

Don't come to me with hate then feign to apologize It's what you do not say that reveals the lie You are not sincere I see it in your face Kind words never mask a smile that hates

Don't come to me with tacky politics Your privacy invasions make me sick It's disgusting your lust for total control Over lives and bodies our freedom and souls

Don't come to me with your promises

As if we all lacked decency and respect Honesty and virtue do not walk with you It makes me sad you would take us all for a fool

Don't come to me with ancient fantasies A god in the sky that cures disease Hates abortion and gays, starving children for his name's sake His mercy of genocide and therapeutic rape

Don't come to me with fashion codes and rules Identifying me with heteronomous tools It's so wonderful being just myself Why would anyone want to emulate someone else?

Don't come to me with promises Of making a change helping those in need Don't flaunt it for the whole world to see All it takes is you and me

#### Lettre de l'enfer

Je t'ai écris une lettre une fois Et maintenant tu ne te rappelles plus de mon nom T'avoir laissé dans mon coeur a été une erreur dès le début Pour cela je peux envouloir qu'à moi

Il n'y a pas longtemps, nous étions jeunes Comme les fleurs de printemps des jeunes années heureuses Bientôt l'été arriva Avec toutes ses autres fleurs Tu n'as qu'utilisé cette fleur bon marché pour du sex

A l'époque je t'ai donné de la confiance et de l'amour et je n'ai rien eu de retour Devant d'autres femmes tu te gênais pour notre amour Non seulement tu m'as trahi Mais tu m'as également ridiculisé et j'en étais la victime Au point de vouloir me suicider

Cette lettre n'est pas une menace, c'est une promesse Une malédiction libérée par ces paroles Pour avoir rejeté mon amour C'est pour cela que tu payeras Je méprise l'essence de ton âme Je maudis l'essence de l'âme C'est maintenant que tu réalise que je t'écris de l'enfer Depuis un endroit où tu te sentiras vraiment a la maison Je t'enverrai des démons qui te tortureront sur terre Jusqu'à ce que tu gaspille ton dernier souffle (depuis ta naissance) Les bras ouverts je te rejoindrai Bienvenue à la maison

## **Letter from hell**

I once wrote you a letter Yet you didn't remember my name Letting you in my heart Was a mistake from the start For this only myself is to blame

Not so long ago we were young Like the spring flowers juvenile happy years Soon came the summer With all the other flowers You only used this cheap flower for sex

I used to serve trust and love you for no gain In front of other women of our love you were ashamed Not only did you betray ridicule and victimize You stole my virtue , dignity and pride To the point of me committing suicide

This letter is not a threat it's a promise A curse released from these words For throwing my love away This is what you will pay I despise the essence of your soul I curse the essence of soul

By now you will realize I'm writing you from hell

A place you will feel very much at home I will send demons to torture you on earth

Until your last breath since birth

With open arms I will say

Welcome home

#### Nice guy

Oh that morning when he opened his eyes To a gray outside even cloudier his mind To tired to make coffee Feeling sleepy and a little horny

Zombie you smoke Zombie you're broke It's all a joke this endless trip Taking a toke of an endless splif

Stumbling outside into the drizzle His eyes are red his stomach is shriveled He laughs at his misery Living in his own weird dream

Outside in the world He's trying to survive Pretending to be Mr. nice guy

People say to Mr. Nice guy, "Hello where are you from? How are you?" Every fucking night the same spiel The same fucking tools

"You sing so fucking great do you also have a band? Did you know your songs sound just like this other famous man?"

Mr. Nice Guy thinks "Fuck all of you idiots why should I care" But to insult his fans, he would never dare. He bottles up the rage, frustration and anxiety To outsiders he's just a leech on society

Every night he's in a different city fucking a different girl He drinks till his brain is numb and his mouth hurls He wipes his lips and goes at it again For he's got a fun dick but no real friends

Every morning the ladies says to Mr. Nice Guy "It was nice but I'm with another man You see you can't be part of any future plans" "You're a drunk, an addict and a loser too No smart girl would ever marry you"

Mr. Nice Guy starts to crack after years of misery He hates his music his guitar and loathes the whole scene One day he smashes his guitar He vows to no more use his voice But the same night he's at it again Because he's got no other fucking choice

#### **The Shut In**

Imitating other people's voices Insecure of the already owned Reciting foreign lines Having forgotten how to compose originality Following other people's moves Lacking the courage To autonomous creations Congregations approve heteronymous cloaks Shunning the individual It commits to passive submission

A shut in whispers to himself in frustration To afraid to go outside Wishing a surrogate The mind games he plays alone each day Seeking approval from imagined people that he emulates

Every face looks on in disapproval For he lacks self esteem and self respect This feeling of exposure Turns smiles in vicious venom and pathetic regret Laughter is met with his cold denial The shut in believes he is worthless His stark self-contentions are deriding His character in sarcasm Escaping self built confines

Hungry eyes seeking affection

A shut in whispers to himself in frustration...

"Something happened long ago a terrible mistake

The sweetest moment only the beginning of heartache"

He cannot find sunshine in this

darkness

But in disappointment and

despair

He finds happiness

## **Deathly Throe**

I must confess I cannot sleep for my thoughts do persist

Engraved in my soul a smile, her voice beckons and I cannot resist

Slipping along on the fine borderline between passion and obsession

Fear and panic, do cease from chiding me, I already shiver from my own derision

Every contemplation is tearing my heart asunder

Slowly crushed by this boulder I find myself under

Dirty nails claw in my chest causing my own demise

Throbbing, bleeding slipping to the ground my heart now lies

I lust for nothing except to no longer be bound

By her every word, gaze and touch that engulfs me all around

Upraise me now before I drown within this lake of sorrow

Where once laughter was is now darkness, an echo into empty hollow

Every word carefully chosen I care not to minimalize

So many times I want to push you away before you will realize

That everything and anything you are, leaves me craving with desire

Causing me to sabotage my own existence. I'm setting myself on fire

These moments in life is when I start to understand true torment

Love you are poison to me, beguiling seductive yet truly abhorrent

A story is told an image unfolds, icicles form in wintry freeze

Footsteps followed by a brawny man, hands outstretched for he no longer sees

He stumbles ever onward toward a faint scent that lingers sweet

Leaving everything to follow her trail, but the footsteps never cease

Hoping one day this path might return his sight of her laughter, love and soul

This path of wish he should not cherish for it will only end in deathly throe

For him she has left in the forest bereft, but he is blind and cannot know

That she has left many moons ago, only her perfume is what lingers in the snow Yet onwards he stumbles so that he can say to her the words that fill him with such fear

Anxious of meaning she has fled for she knows those words he wants her to hear

Silence is vicious when feelings ambitious, could never be more honest or true

No three words are as frightening like being struck by lightning, as to say I love you

## The Roadside Paleontologist

Guess who I am, you've seen me before In natural history books, finding bones of dinosaurs Digging up femurs of lemurs Analyzing coprolites Polishing my artifacts, travelling where I like

I'm a roadside Paleontologist

Driving down the dusty road, Looking left and right Sometimes I get lucky, an archaeopteryx remnant on site My trunk is full of precious things A world of science the joy they bring

I'm a roadside Paleontologist

So cheers to Paleontology, adventure pure and bare No more of these dark ages, omnipotent holy scare It's so sweet, history under feet, beauty of finding something rare You just have to dig it up, to find out what's real, what's there

#### Withered and torn

Seeing it all through eyes That have lost their color Black as white

I Tasted her warm sensuous lips From a pale cold stone floor Strewn with moldy hay

Rigid limbs no value for speed Tattered hands they point to the east Remain there

Innocence once a frail virtue Flies curiously to the future To come back exhausted and used

Used, used, it's all exhausted and used Once the shy gaze of a child Now a glassy stare withered and torn

Seeing it all through eyes that have lost their color, black as white

# **Old White Bones**

Old white bones is it true These well, worn words we hear from you? Sitting on the train reading of suffering and pain Millions of lives lost yet god will reign Staring into my smartphone app Distractions galore and so much crap A distorted view of casualties Conspiracy views on epidemic disease Yet religions cry out we are just Our creed is pure our sacrifice of lust Redeeming mankind since creation Killing god's unwanted abominations Protection is death civilization of murder Our vengeance is pure to meet vour maker Stand before god with blood on your hands Profiting from wars in other lands World politics are poison to the touch From being lied to I've had enough Each psychopath claims that only they are right It's the dead children who pay the price

That's not our problem we disagree That our crime is murder through apathy Yet each one of us is guilty of greed Segregating each other in the hour of need It's sad when nobody trusts another Politicians use us to murder each other Because of resources, culture, language and land We destroy the earth and god's loving plan Old dry bones you are so called wise If you speak the truth who is telling these lies I am wiser than them I raise my kids better I have a phony smile I am not a quitter Climbing the ladder of success I don't care about you and all the rest I sell you mortgages that you can't pay You will be homeless while I make bombs rain My yearly bonus is bona fide While you sit in a dark cold room and crv Your daughter is sick daddy lost his job

Your son was shot for doing nothing wrong

Yet the police will call it malice with intent

The phone in his pocket could

have been a weapon

As his blood and future runs

down the drain

You scream and protest but it's

all in vain

You find comfort in drink or Jesus

Christ

While I continue to run and

control your life

Running after stability all day long

Living in fear that it all will be gone

Hard work laid out for a future

less grim

Then the banks destroy it in one quick profit skim

#### **Next Door**

Take my heart As I whisper your name When I look into your eyes The fire burns hot in mine

All the while you are so close You see me when we pass on the stairs Exchanging looks I'm longing for the words To break my hungry stare

Take my lips Dark as rubies like sweet wine I see you and I lose all words I don't know what else to say

You are not meant for him He doesn't treat you right I cried as you screamed While he beat you up last night

I want to be your man Find the courage to stand up and fight Take you away from him I can't bear to see you cry

We both know No matter what I say You still love him You will never see me that way

## **Uncle Tyrant's Cabin**

Uncle Tyrant had some drones Bombed farmers armed with tractors and stones CIA, coup d'état lots of fun You send more troops, warships and guns Guantanamo bay still open now You want torture they'll show you how Waterboarding and electro shocks Everyday around the clock

Welcome to uncle Tyrant's cabin

Most people be listening to 2Pac Ice T or 2 Live Crew If I took one look at you I'd guess you're a fan of Pat Boone While homies watch Sanford and sons Archie Bunker shows you how things are done Your idols must be Elvis and John Wayne too Should I mention David Duke?

Welcome to uncle Tyrant's cabin

If Martin Luther King saw you today He'd roll over in his grave You are a cooperate owned tool While they poison our air and water too People go to prison everyday So they can work as freedom slaves That's alright that's ok There's no jobs in America anyway

#### **Time in Silence**

Her smile melts all She's quiet and unsure Tapping her fingers Measuring time in silence

Will she be indifferent when she wakes I won't ask her to stay or dream Unless she tells me This is where she wants to be

Softly moving her gently hands She whispers in my ear Gentle sighs exclaim as she lands She's been there so many times

She will be indifferent when she wakes Alas this is but a dream For I am a poor man living on the street My tent is my home, she will not stay with me

## Thief and a Liar

Questions all these questions Finding lies leading lies Is that all you are getting from me these alibies, realize To smile a lot is such a fake glory You invent such great stories Avoiding the shame of taking the blame

Your rhetoric is prehistoric So convinced in your game Of make-believe sing song lyric Still maybe your aim is to blame the self-inflicted pain Pompous sacrifice whips you harder as the blood bursts forth Right from your veins

In self-righteousness you bathe While your monsters crouch low Seeking the week on which to prey

Without delay they attack As the heat of the day withdraws These monsters kill silently with one slash of their claws

Demons and ghouls lurking beneath your shadow in the street

Your innermost fear, as you scream in your dreams Barraging me with superstitions Yet you fall into your own trap I will never give you the satisfaction of complete control over me You commit incest with yourself You are the holy being you are most in love with You will never give up your unholy crusade Until there is not a body left on this earth You have not already consumed

Clothed in arrogance, scientific facts you choose to ignore You would take away medicine vaccinations education and more Your white picket fence life is lies A rotting lord of the flies Feigned holiness while sleeping with whores Believing in a deity that after death will reward

Your regurgitated proclamations echo that Christ has risen While you mutilate genitalia and give psychotropic drugs to children Hoarding trillions of dollars yet starving families ignored You've executed millions in the name of the lord Impoverished men your wars they must fight Coercing them to believe you are god's emissary of might

Wither away conqueror of dirt king of nothing You sing praises to yourself because no else will sing In the reflection of a dungeon puddle you will see your true face

Shivering and broken after your merciless fall from grace On the stone floor you lie naked and bare

The ghosts of mutilated children surround you in this lair

I remember you drinking wine as you boasted of mighty deeds Now you hungrily stare at your rotting feet as if they were a feast

Decrepit alone in solitude no one will care

All the while in the distance fresh baked bread perforates the air

Above you the laughter of children and giggles of women sweet

Their sounds torment you as you suffer beneath these streets There will be no wine for you or even morsel of food For you have robbed hospitable villagers and stolen their goods

They will let you starve and spit when they hear your name Death is most just when it begged for in vain They have cut in your face a message Carved deep by the town friars Forever branded Murderer, thief and a liar

## The Bridge is Burning

Strange to think almost ten years have past Since I started out from here All I saw grew sharper All I felt, most sincere

I see the bridge is burning My senses learning to feel again I see the bridge is burning My heart returning to life

Ten years on and I sit here again On top of this middle arch I gaze so reflectively down At my life flowing past I see love turn selfish Self-denied, escaping on, no more All I have to decide is face on to the shore

Bridges stood low they held up my fears Their stalwart sides buttressed my tears Pain is needed to burn all of this down Move back up the hill

By Brian Robert Pearce

#### **Tell Me How**

Tell me how Do you tell someone You love them As they sit by your side

Tell me how Do you tell someone You love them When they are gone

It may be that one chance in your life It may never come around twice Use each moment you have today Tomorrow you might regret Yesterday

He sits alone In the corner of a bar Across his way Sits the girl he's always been Pining for

He's too shy To go over and say "how are you?" She glances at him Winks him a smile as she walks out the door

It may be that one chance in your life It may never come around twice Use each moment you have today Tomorrow you might regret Yesterday Love is a painful arrow I know it is It gets stuck in you Only to be pulled out again Try to stand on your two feet Things might work out In the end

So tell me how Do you tell someone You love them When they are gone

# The Sadist and the Masochist

Steely eyes burning, turning pale black The hyperactive, sadistic maniac emerges Steely eyes locked, not holding back Sick and dark indulging in perversion

Salty sweat bringing sweeter tears Pain is a virtue, its sacrifice feared Deriding the innocent in its own pretense As bared sore muscles flex

Embrace the solace of the leather whip Tortured and gagged in a lightless pit Flesh eating, sexual lust is found most abundant Still the ultimate destructive climax Remains old and redundant

Seeking to lift out from the gasping tidal wave Of self-pity who is happily holding hands with graves

Self-indulgence is more resourceful Lying bent over his own vomiting head Next to him lies arrogance in bed that once was beautiful He has not yet realized, she is rotten and dead

The sadistic maniac is frail and old His mind burnt, His body covered in mold All the lovely women that once adored him For fulfilling all their dreams and granting each whim

His bed now mildew shades of grey His toys broken, he's gone completely insane Realizing on the final day Broken dreams and carnal games

Traded now for long, lonely hours Abused souls seeking ultimate power Hang now disfigured and broken By their necks, in suicidal embrace

Steely eyes close exhausted from fear Suicide creeps up close, drinking its tears The bruised masochistic maniac emerges Begging for pain, torture and humiliation

Embracing the slashing of the barbed leather whip

Satisfied he return to his lightless pit

Fed only on blood mixed with milk

At last his body ripped asunder lying on sheets of finest silk Pornographic displays of the slaughtered and dismembered Displayed proudly over the master's bed

In the kitchen rings loudly the buzz of a chainsaw Meat roasting over an open fire, still bloody and raw In the grand hall a banquet is now seated, the masters with their slaves

They contentedly drool blood while chewing on razor blades

Queasy smell in the kitchen of rotten human meat Tantalize their senses as they begin to devour the feast

I will never see the sunshine For my master has gouged out my eyes Under most grueling pain Is when I feel most alive

#### **Scream in My Dreams**

Nightmare after nightmare I am running fast Where the screams stop The daylight penetrates my eyes I am tired of rolling over To relive the past It's not as bad As waking to this miserable existence I used to have a thousand friends They all had their issues I went on so many benders My doctor says I laugh at cruelty too much Why should I listen what will it change The way I see it hatred and paranoia They remain my only friends

I can only scream in my dreams I can only feel good in my sleep I can only suffocate the confusion of the state of mind That plagues me when i am awake

The wish to fly away from it all To rip off my head and bang it against a wall To escape this waking nightmare Reconnect to the outside world I wish I could just go back to sleep Stay there forever Night after night demons rise Lurking in my memories of childhood Isolation brainwashing and rape Found me gagging for air Lonely nights in the cold With nothing but my tattered blanket to hold Was better than my so called family

I can only scream in my dreams I can only feel good in my sleep I can only suffocate the confusion of the state of mind That plagues me when i am awake

## Poetry of my Mind

Won't somebody just start to smile It's so easy to laugh awhile Cigar smoke shades and poker face It's so easy to slip up die and fade Reading his cards will he call my raise Seeking out weakness will he match the ace Ignoring growing fear of retribution Suffering in nervous endless confusion

The poetry of my mind The silent memory of the good times

She's engaged it's complicated Lost for words translate frustrated Equally scared yet no one's admitting Playing mind games insulting deriding She screams he's immature and dumb wit spoken Tearstained her face fingernails broken Sobbing she embeds mascara in his shirt Wine bottle shatters blood soaking her skirt Out in new city new friends such class Looking like he's walking on cracking glass Believing his shrewdness will earn him level Lying through his teeth the score he will settle One slip and he's back under the bridge Cigar-burnt tailored suit reeking of binge Tonight his fake Rolex gleams his shoes shone bright His bluff will be fatal if not done right

## **Regrets are a Part of Life**

Regrets are just a part of life Like I regret killing my wife Stabbed her with a kitchen knife As I was cleaning up the mess I realized Regrets are just a part of life

Regrets are just a part of life Like that one fateful night I was too cheap to take a cab Ending up in emergency multiply stabbed

It is true I've killed a few Had everything to gain nothing to lose Bad decisions through and through When I opened up my eyes it was too late For this toxic junkie with no restraint

I went and stuck it to the girl next door The perfect creature a complete whore She could turn tricks so sick that god forbade At least I didn't pay for getting aids

Oh baby when I was still in control Brains and brawn I had for show Money, power, girls and blow Now I'm just a sucker on death row

## **Petal Sea**

Turn off the TV and forget Turning on the TV to forget

Petal Sea blows everything away As life's clock ticks away quietly At least strife and mundane sadness Leave the harbor to never return

Smiling eyes conceal polished lies The floods of truth wash away both the weak and the mighty As they stare in disbelief with wide open eyelids Nothing stays untouched

Control it's so easy to lose A choleric beast of rage lurks within Search for strength to find what is lost These pieces of broken will to put them back together

You said you would save yourself for me Are we even living in the same dream? These walls we create because maybe we are afraid of the open space

It's so easy to forget our will Its so easy to forget all these promises we make to ourselves This pattern if it continues We stack ourselves up in little cages Only we hold the key yet choose to throw it away and stay confined

#### No More Mr. Nice Guy

No more Mr. nice guy I am tired of being pushed around No more Mr. nice guy It's me the biggest loser in town No more Mr. nice guy Try your luck you might see The monster within me

I am the rainbow and sunshine Giving until it hurts every time Lately though I've become a joke Paying my friends' drinks till I am broke Walking penniless down the streets

Not a dollar will my friends offer me

You are my closest and dearest friend

We promised love and trust till the end

Lately though you've been acting weird

Till I had to see what brought me tears

Coming home early from a gig what a surprise

To see you in the kitchen fucking my wife

Gonna leave this all and start anew

one thing though that's left to do After plotting for quite awhile I'm gonna carve you a new smile

#### **My Love**

Winter said she didn't care now Snow blowing through her hair Wisdom breathes to feed us air Knowing not that it takes us it takes us there There is where we shiver fear off our shoulders through years living loving mad Can you hear, hear the scent the scent of the silent tears now

Baby can't you see that I'm hurting Looking way too deep in the bottle Your a headache and you're here to stay Drink it in, drown it out Call me mellow call me shallow Call me anything at all Don't care, because I'm not here when I'm happy I'm going insane because I'm not here now

I will wait for you my love Can't you see that we're patiently waiting? And hundred million faces all standing in line now To see you coming through on your own Are you at home?

Last night I dreamt so real that it felt like, Like I started dreaming the... The moment I awoke Reality just doesn't mean anything to me Wish that I was a little bit smarter I've always had trouble finding me way But it doesn't take an idiot to know that life is what you make it "What you making, what you making?"

It's insane though, it's insane though It's insane to wait for you to come through that door on your own It's insane though, it's insane though It's insane to wait for you to come through that door on your own

Lyrics by Adina and Phil

## **Happy Birthday**

Yesterday I called to say Happy birthday to you so far away You were surprised I realized You wondered if this day I'd memorize

You mean to me More than you know I can't let you see The way you make My love grow

Sheltered by an over ledge We laid our blankets down by the river bed River flow was loud and swift Hypnotic serenade was Nature's gift to us

Turn over babe Tell to me The deepest secrets of your fantasy I'd like to see When you're with me Each moment lasting Eternally

By Brian Robert Pearce

#### Love is (Never) Free

Walking down a winding road Longing for something real Not superficial glittered gold Something to hold and feel Lonely eyes Staring through the fear Drowning out the sorrow Holding back the tears

Because love is never free It's much bigger than you or me Love hurts and it heals While you can only see and feel Like reaching for the sun And passing it on

Love is like laughter Timeless, everlasting The selfless acts of a child Its' love is comprising An emaciated man Sharing his last fragment A gravely injured soldier Drags a foe from certain death

Because love is never free It's much bigger than you or me Love hurts and it heals While you can only see and feel Like reaching for the sun And passing it on

Love has no religion No race and no creed Angered by corruption Extortion and greed Love is sorrow Love wants no gain Love keeps on trying Even if it is vain

# **The Ashtray**

A sleepless night like all the others My brain won't switch off Sweating I'm shivering from cold A faint stir of loved ones resting As my head continues rambling on excessively In my mind the TV runs endlessly A villainous hero Who does not know what he's doing The ashtray is filled to overflowing So much wine I have already washed down Yet sleep eludes me like an evil fairy tale Whether I choose to believe It makes no difference My eyes are burning my energy spent

Feeling so old as my life was a million and one nights Feeling so weak I must be dreaming of a thousand nights of sleep Where each second is an eternity long Every hour sixty years more I beg for unconsciousness

For this wretched spell to finally be gone

An exhausting day like all the others Every mirror I want to smash, I want to bash in with my face People stare at me like statues No expression can move me, I'm just alone in monologue tirade In my mind I am falling thousands of miles I never reach the ground I never reach my goals The ashtray is filled to overflowing So many pills I have already washed down With whiskey to finally carry me home On the wings of an evil fairytale My eyes are burning my life spent

A sleepless night like all the others Staring at the ceiling imagining your face Smiling in the dimly lit shadows Hoping you will take me in warm soft embrace In my mind you are always there Since you left this earth I feel your presence everywhere The ashtray is now empty No more pills of booze in sight Should I end it all I cannot decide

## I just wanna Job

Original version

It's been over half a year I'm all out of ideas All out of stash got to get me some cash I just wanna job

The desk is stacked full of bills Not a dollar for booze or cheap thrills Endless ill mill grill kill pill nil will I just wanna a job

I just wanna job I just need a hit of weed man Or I'll become a gun slinging hit man I just wanna job

Know a girl so sweet cute and neat Tidy busty and petite She says you gotta have bread before I give you some head I just wanna job

Bozo the clown got no nose or ears Yet he's the one that pays my beers A girl fingers his cash He gonna buy him some snatch Dammit he's gotta job

No heat or light today The police come to take me away Unpaid fines and overdue rent hey hey Mayday! I'm homeless hell no way I got to get a job

All the companies turn me down My tattered clothes aren't fooling them now I'm a drunk fuck skunk bunk hell outta luck Sunk to living outta my trunk Why can't I get a job?

## Get a job

Born in a hippie cult one day They believed God would pay their way Talking in tongues and nonsense to say They should get a job

Refusing medicine to children that were ill God will heal or else he kills It's a lottery game such a thrill They should get a job

So I ran away just thirteen Hungry and cold, skinny so lean So I tried again when I turned fifteen Get myself a job

I just wanna job Tired of slackers Bearded religious backpackers I just wanna job

A pair of bongos for fifty bucks The cataclysm that would change my luck Living on the street really sucked But hey, I had a job

I became the pupil of a street musician To buy a guitar was the new mission In late August came the transition And a slightly better job So I played guitar for many years Lots of parties, drugs and beers An endless treadmill I soon feared I should get a normal job

I just wanna job Tired of dirt hippies, I think they're creepy I just wanna job

I now have three kids I love and adore So I traded my guitar for telemarketing Such a bore chore, I feel like a whore At least I have a job

Soon they will be grown up one day I can quit my job hiphip hurrah I'll be singing in the streets and doing okay Because that is really my job

My goal in life is to be heard Millions of dollars to me is absurd Too many pop star brats with too much cash They should get a job

I just wanna job Just please not astrology or reading tea I just wanna job

### I am Rich

I eat whole countries for breakfast I wash them down with a military coup I swim in the ocean with the great white shark I am Ferocious as a tiger brute strength of a bear

For lunch I think I'll have a congress As dessert a prime minister or president I'll wash them down with blood of masses Extorting my slaves down to the last cent

I am rich get in my way you must be insane I am rich so filthy fucking rich Get in my way I'll put you in chains

I am an evil empiric sadistic motherfucker My fires burning down the homes of my brothers My bombs commit genocide all around Children lie faces buried in the ground

At dinner Satan sits at my right hand

Feasting on newborn babies drinking the blood of the lamb With his all seeing eyes and his methodical lies You best believe we control most of the world

They say money is the root of all evil

But that is because they are jealous and that they are broke Believe me having tons of money Is really fucking awesome It means your life is but a joke Because I am rich

I watch children die of starvation While I buy a fifty million dollar house I exterminate every creature in the ocean Chop every single stupid rainforest down

### Hanging

I Spent my life, waiting to die Today is the time so here I go

I wrote my mother A letter in apology Asking forgiveness For all the pain and grief All my victims That I put to the knife I am now required To repay with my life

I will be hanging between the platform in the courtyard

The prisoners around, they pity themselves Standing in line, for the last time waiting to die Bloodthirsty officers come to watch now The crowd around is cheering to see us

Hanging between the platform in the courtyard

Our mothers are quietly crying, watching their sons walk to the scaffold, here we go

We will be hanging between the platform in the courtyard

### Half-man

Long ago a half-man was born in dirt, covered in flies The villagers gathered shouting, demanding that it dies His mother was screaming as they tore her son from her thighs They cast him into the sewers and left him there to die

His mother was still very young When she conceived her son One day in the forest She met a great strong beast Over time she could no longer abstain And gave herself to him in the rain

The villagers found them out Put the beast in chains It was not to go unpunished That her innocence had been claimed As she had conceived from him The beast was slain For in this village no half man shall ever draw breath

They forced his mother to plunge a knife into her own son's heart Yet she gave him life through the tears that she cried Into his open wounds as she lay him aside The baby's eyes looked up at her ever asking why

She stroked his cheek and wept

"Please little boy, you need you to die"

Left for dead, in the mud of civilization The baby became a half-man Feeding on the population Learning the smell of fear Parents would tell their children The half-man is lurking near

A now grown immortal made of flesh and mud No one can match his strength Crushing skulls tearing limbs With his bare hands No mortal man has the strength to escape his rage

The half-man found his mother as she lay dying old and gray Her last words were "My sweet boy! I knew you'd find me someday" "They would have killed us both what else could I have done? Yet here you stand before me, my beautiful only son."

He growled "I have slaughtered every man That murdered my father and did you harm" He picks up her dying body Cradling her in his blood dripping arms

As she gazed into his eyes She drew her final breath The half-man bellowed loudly "I have nothing left" He dug her a pit Gently laid her into her grave "Your tears would not let me die. Now sleep little mother giver of life"

### Fat Moe

He was just a boy of tender age when he first met big fat Moe Stood on the corner of 29th of Main Selling grass heroin and blow

They shot big fat Moe

Old Moe he wasn't really that bad Despite selling heroin and blow The police tried to catch him and he tried to run away That's about all we know

They shot big fat Moe

Probably doesn't matter anyway If they caught he'd a rotted in jail Because old Moe's family Couldn't afford a lawyer or bail

They shot big fat Moe

Now we sit by old Moe's grave drinking whisky and wine thinking about how sad it is the police ruined our good time

When they shot big fat Moe

By John Pohlman

#### **Fairy Tales are Real**

Baby, hold me tighter I still can't quite believe that you have come to be with me and in my hour of need

Is the whole world smiling or am I in a dream? But everywhere I go there seems such beauty to be seen

The Summer breeze caressed me when you told me how you feel and the city lights winked fondly saying, "Fairy tales are real!"

The scars that tried to break my heart You kissed them all away Your glowing eyes say, " I love you and welcome to today"

I thought I'd lived enough of life to have seen it all before Hey, I used to laugh at fairy tales but now I'm not so sure

The Summer breeze caressed me when you told me how you feel and the city lights winked fondly saying, " Fairy Tales are Real!"

By Brian Robert Pearce

# **Epiphany of Alpha**

The alcohol induced intrigues of a hyperactive, mental five year old

What is that dark abyss that looms over the skies?

He wondered while running faster

He didn't mean outer space of course

He was talking about the thickest blackness that is only visible in dreams and nightmares

Perhaps visible in death

If the tiger caught up with him, his flesh would become sustenance

Perhaps it was an alternate reality or the absence of everything

As his feet flew perilously before him so shaky with every step

He should rather concentrate on running

That's so me! He thought, thinking about all sorts of abstract nonsense

Trying to multitask while running for my life

If one step falters or god forbid a sprained ankle, it would be over

They might collapse and seal his fate, inviting the tiger to lunch

He could feel the hot breath on his neck, the smell of many an unlucky chap

Still rotting between the tiger's teeth

It seems like hours and days flew by, since this chase began

If only the tiger would lose his scent

He could hide in the dilapidated urban jungle he now called home

Yet this was hardly the case as whiskers were now scraping his neck

One faulty step and it would be over in the blink of an eye

He found himself screaming I was not born for digestion in a tiger's stomach

I will not be dinner to a lower, (however muscularly impressive) beast of prey

He dashed a sharp right into an old sewer pipe

The spray of tiger spit hitting him on the tip of his ear

Is this what humanity has devolved to him?

Fighting for his life only now to possibly be dinner

The glorious end of the so called human race

Digesting in the foul intestines of a creature that could not solve a simply riddle

Oh, the humanity!

It was a terrible choice that right turn, as the sewer came to its foreseeable end

Unwittingly he realized the terrible decision just seconds before the tiger made his final blow

Looming in the shadows it seemed as dozens of predators of all sorts

Had come to bid adieu to the human race

In an ironic feeding frenzy

He cannot and will not die being eaten gruesomely, his intestines still warm in the mouths of beasts

His legs and genitals being torn asunder while screaming in death defying agony

The life that his mother gave him, the life he always told himself was so special

What was it now? Is this over?

The so-called destiny, karma, meaning of life, philosophy, religion, morals, love and potatoes with Mother used to always say how special he was that he was Gods' greatest gift to her

She said He gave her an only son of Immaculate Conception

Indeed, probably the most muscular well-proportioned and handsome man to ever walk the earth

Now she too was rotting in the mouth of that same tiger that had every intention of claiming

Gods' special gift as his lunch

Every war, every fight just everything seemed so pointless now.

If he could go back in time he would scream

Everyone!

Lay down your arms and embrace each other in brotherly love

Not so much that I care about bad life decisions

However, the last human on earth being eaten alive in a pathetic bid of man versus beast

Is not how I picture the end of mans' cruel and god forsaken reign of the earth

I am sure you all would agree

If mankind had known how this would play out

Beef?

We would have skinned every last tiger into cozy fireside skins

Where we would make love to our women while drinking sweet wine

In front of him the sewer now at an end, water cascading over the edge into mountain tops

Thousands of feet below

The untouched wilderness as far as the eye could see

Never anything more beautiful had he laid his eyes upon

The mountain peaks glistening with snow

Lush forests and vegetation thrived beside rivers and lakes so clean that the tiniest fish were visible

On the edge of the horizon great oceans fought with the land in an ever-ceaseless bid to destroy it

Suddenly he felt ashamed

He scolded himself for his arrogance

Fooling himself to be so much more than just another creature of equal value on this planet

Yes, perhaps the tiger couldn't solve riddles

How was he to know for sure?

If all the intelligence and technology could not save the human race Maybe we were wrong about the tigers too

His whole body drenched in sweat, his muscles shivering in fear

Urethra now gushing forth every ounce of liquid

All bodily functions seem to have a life of their own

He guessed the fight would be over before it even began

Now not even his limbs would move how he wanted but rather flopped lazily at his sides

Except one limb that inappropriately stood at full mast

Perhaps making it literally its' last stand

His feet burning with exhaustion frozen solid in their tracks

The tiger halted as if for a second, he somehow understood the anguish and the pain

Soon to be inflicted on this now very wet and shaking all you can eat buffet

Nonetheless his hunger was greater than his pity

Am I capable of pity? He thought to himself, and why am I thinking in English?

What I really meant to say is grrr (translation problem)

Decisions, decisions, the others are getting impatient and hungry

Waiting for the stupid narrator to stop yakking about the meaning of life and nonsense

Please dear author, let us finally eat him after all isn't this how the story ends?

Death inevitable to life? The strong devour the weak? Natural selection

Hush now my minions, for in your fantasy world you may do as you please

However, I am writing this story, therefore stop interjecting or you will all remain hungry

I have not decided to kill off my only character just yet!

His eyes interlock with those of the tiger the showdown has begun

He can see every detail on the tiger's face the crusted blood matted against its' fur and snout

Ironically, like watching a David Attenborough Blu-ray movie.

Only though, the first rule of filming in nature is to not interfere

However gruesome and heartbreaking it may seem

Unlucky for him I guess

Oh, how he missed those long hours curled up on the couch with his wife under a blanket

Fondling her breasts, while watching animals get about their business

Sometimes ignoring the show on TV altogether, as a more promising entertainment opened up to

him on the couch

The condensed breath of human and beast interlock in a whimsical cloud between the two of them

Sharing each other's breath, the very air keeping them both alive passing from him into tiger and

back into him again

Soon perhaps only the tiger will breathe and bits of him will be wedged in its' teeth

Together at last in flesh joining his mother and wife

The tiger strikes

Nothing could prepare him for this moment no martial arts or meditation

No prayers to God and Jesus

Self-righteous holy piousness asking for forgiveness, magic or Satanism

No donating all your belongings to charity, good will or visiting old folks Being the bleached teeth, chewing gum chewing, all American chum

No wine bibbing, fake French babbling, baguette and cheese feasting for this fellow

In stereoscopic flash the tiger flanks at him left and right claws simultaneously

His hands push out feeling the wet darkened red fur of the tiger's face

The blood of former kills now dripping through his fingers and spraying his face

Their noses touching and foul breath envelops them, as he is gasping for air

Claws ripping at his face he feels his skin opening up to dirty claws entering his body

Raping his face of comeliness

Teeth penetrate his larynx, stifling heroic screams

The tiger's beard feels soft and cuddly against his face

His destiny as apparent now as a man being hit by a bus

Man, and beast precariously close to the edge of the abyss

The old world behind them where nothing remained after the Great War that killed billions Both man and beast were severely decimated and many species, now extinct

Live only in the memory of one last human being who is being shaken around

Suspended by jaws sunk firmly in his neck his feet lifted straight off the ground

Ironically flopping back and forth like a rag doll

Buildings reduced to dangerous rubble and predators who scour the landscape for prey

An especially hungry tiger who seemed to really have it in for humans

Perhaps it used to live in a zoo or god forbid even worse it was doomed to be a celebrity's pet

Maybe this was payback for everything, good old fashioned tiger style

The flesh in his neck gives way and severs partially beheading him

The tiger loses his grip and he momentarily breaks free

Notwithstanding the hopelessness of the situation with his last seeming moment of consciousness With every muscle in his body in synchronized motion he decides to throw his body off the abyss

At least a partial victory knowing that after death the tiger will be denied his meal

Maybe now he will finally see beyond the darkest blackness

That he always sees in the skies while flying in his dreams

He has tried many times to fly through the blackness but always either fell back to the earth

Or woke up drenched in sweat his hands and feet tingling with excitement

He tries to imaging what the impact to the ground and the transition of life to death will feel like

He remembers being born; will he remember death?

Will his being continue its consciousness after his body splatters all over the mountains below?

He laughs to himself

People always looked at him weirdly when he told them he could remember his birth

The looks said "Who are you trying to fool? Are you so pathetic that this is how you try to get

attention to yourself?"

Sometimes the look would be more bewildered and even intrigued.

Sometimes rarely he had the notion that someone actually believed him

After all his story was not at all extraordinary

No big explosions, little teenage girls shrieking and fainting as they do when pop star trash passes by

No showdown of wit or thunder and lightning in the sky

No plagues scorching the land or prophecies foretelling his arrival and wise men bearing gifts

None of that bullshit

Just little old him being pushed out of his mother's vagina

Transcending from pitch black to dark red and then out into blinding white light

Which he later realized to be just an ordinary neon light bulb

Sometimes he wondered why he can't remember what it was like before the pitch dark

Before he felt all sticky, gross and tired being cut off from his mother at the life source

Ginormous heads and eyes looking down at him with their huge teeth His eyes trying to make sense of the images, sounds and a million other things

There were definitely sensations of hunger and cold

He felt water run down his body as a huge hand caressed his bare skin

Then being wrapped in a large towel of some sort and carried through the air yet again

Now finally enveloped in a loving mother's arms and suckling at her breasts

The smell was wonderful and he fell asleep the first and the best sleep of his life

See? Told you! Nothing extraordinary at all

What is extraordinary however is the fact that he was still breathing

Even though most of his blood if not all of it was either in the tiger, on the tiger or next to the tiger

His trachea no longer connected to anything and his spinal cord severely shattered from the attack

He found himself not falling to his death at all

Rather he was floating in the air, his blood dripping from his bare feet Far down on to the snow coloring it pink

The mountains and forests below the blue sky above

That ever so curious blackness just out of reach

His gaze meets that of the tiger's

The tiger now a complete loss for words is bewildered to see his lunch just suspended in the air

As the tiger pants, three severed fingers fall out of his mouth

The tiger licks them up again and swallows

Almost as if on purpose he never leaves the man's gaze

Taunting and ridiculing this bizarre change of events

As if the tiger would say "I may not have gotten to eat you, but I have at least disfigured you"

A small satisfaction perhaps?

The man's body starts to rejuvenate while still floating in the air

His fingers start to grow, and his throat reassembles itself

His memories from before birth start to unlock themselves

Somehow his essence has triggered his cellular structure to change and mend itself at will Although he still is not quite sure how

He remembers what is beyond the blackness

He remembers everything, all the knowledge in the world floods his conscious

His whole body now immaculate and completely naked for he has no need to hide

He is the most beautiful human creature that has ever existed

He shouts to the tiger

"You are no match for me, I have lived millions of lives, since the dawn of time

My consciousness has transcended through every death

I cannot be destroyed. You are an alpha tiger I grant you that

However, I am stronger, older and much more powerful than you.

When you die you will return to dust and your consciousness will lay to rest

I thank you kindly for you services tiger

For in hunting me down and almost killing me you have severed me from weakness, from mortality In the eyes of death, I have remembered who I am, who I always was.

I am the oldest existing creature since before the dawn of mankind.

I was born unto millions of women

I am Alpha"

### Drink before u drive

When the light goes on and the sun goes down

I'm just about ready to go out

I've been pissed all day and I stink like a skunk

My momma says I shouldn't drive cause I already drunk

So, drink before u drive

Let's go for a nice long ride

Don't be scared u will see

I have destroyed more cars than u will ever dream

I had me a Chevy a Mustang a Ford

Even crashed an airplane

Through my neighbor's front door

I've owned BMW Mercedes and I guess the fucking rest

But I never had a car for three days or less

I woke up in hell and the devil said to me

You're d dumbest drunken retard I ever seen

In hell there's no place for a drunken bastard like you

I'm freaking sick n tired of cleaning up your spew

### **Dream Together**

Totally out of breath you and me You make me love to me sweet harmony You and I melt into a shapeless mold Intertwining with you You fill my soul

Ooh I just can't get enough I love the way you touch me Oh, let's take it slow We've got all night to dream together

Something tingles when I see your eyes It throws me back into paradise Mm I want to spend my life With your sweetness right by my side

Oh, let's take it slow We've got all night to dream together Ooh I just can't get enough I love the way you touch me

Totally out of breath you and me You make me love to me sweet harmony You and I melt into a shapeless mold Intertwining with you You fill my soul

Ooh I just can't get enough I love the way you touch me Oh, let's take it slow We've got all night to dream together

### **Deep Inside**

Sitting here enjoying the time My dream is real in this silence So many places I can find When I explore the rooms of my mind

I'll sit then I'll fly I'm gone for hours in short seconds Hearing the oceans' tide Whisper gently deep inside

Words can be so useless Words are so beautiful Will I ever find the magic of expression In the still and the unspoken In thoughts and memories In quiet patience waiting For these words to be born Born again

### **Dead Sixteen**

I started to drink at the early age of three

My parents would often collapse and pass out on the floor Leaving some whiskey or beer for me

Soon enough at the age of five My father just kind of up and died Mother fell into a drunk binge remorse For her anger I became the source

In abandoned subway halls I sleep every night I've been stabbed and robbed before I fear for my life Smeared old subway walls I now call them my home My imaginary friends making sure I am not alone

At the age of eleven Pretty sure momma went down to hell not heaven Since then, I've been on my own The world of the street became my home

Now at the age of just fifteen My liver is bloated to proportions extreme My brain poisoned with years of abuse I'd still feel lucky with another year to go

The angels come down from the sky Showing kindness to an urchin wretched as I Through no sins of my own A corpse lies here cold as stone

In abandoned subway halls I've slept every night I've been stabbed and robbed before I feared for my life Smeared old subway walls I called them my home My imaginary friends made sure I was not alone

Now I lie in a cold unmarked grave Because nobody on this earth ever knew my name Trying not to resent my childhood past Being dead at sixteen never had a chance

#### **Dark River**

His heart is broken He thinks to himself alone Will he decide to hold on Will he let go and drown

The dark flowing river It has seen so much pain It flows on endlessly Through my veins

He stands there now On the bridge in tears As I watch him fall down Giving in to his fear

I ask myself Why this waste of life? Is it really what you hate the most? That you'd rather die

I screamed you are blind you are blind Why did you cut short your time? Only god knows what goes through your mind But you can never take that back

#### **Closer to Heaven**

There is something enchanting As the bells chime eleven He hears her panting Reaching closer to heaven Beneath the blanket of the night Our bodies join as one Souls they intertwine Before the night is gone

I'm Closer to heaven When I'm lying in your arms Making love To every inch of your body

You're closer to heaven When I'm holding you tight Making sure Everything is alright Closer to heaven

Paradise would be lost If interjoining would cease Even though sometimes we lose hope And often disagree From times that change One remains the same Without my love for you I'd go completely insane

Every moment of everyday Finally has a meaning You found me broken and made me whole I'm no longer scared of being alone

#### Burn

Sometimes you may think Tomorrow will never come You ask yourself if the sun shines for you as well

I took my telephone book I felt invisible So many strangers I see from my life I have heard them all through the receiver many times I will not call them

I can't use their good advice Because it's not good advice

Instead, I will try to avoid To derail myself from this world with my feelings alone In my room I will burn

Where is the source of comfort that day to day haunts me I've known her such a long time Once I kissed her softly

She gave my earth When I started to fly too far away I'll not call her

I won't use her good advice Because it's not good advice

Where are the memories you know When you start to approach me

I feel like I've never known you It's no use to run from the pain That has long been forgotten

I will not call you or ask you for advice Because it's not good advice

Instead, I will try to avoid Derailing myself from this world With my feelings alone In my room, I will burn

### **Blonde Bimbo**

Blonde Bimbo in the pool hall Them fools stare at her titties, as she rack them balls Her perfume is so strong that it fill the room But if you play against her it will be your doom

She clean out your wallet and leave you like a bum She fakes being nice, so sweet and dumb

(and gives you a fake phone number)

Blonde Bimbo in the pool hall the boys come running she don't have to call You owe her three hundred dollars and you better pay Her gang is all too happy To beat you and break your face

You might have even thought you'll bed her but its all lies You never get nothing from her Except empty alibies

(and maybe a fake phone number)

blond bimbo in the pool hall Always causing a bar room brawl Because all the boys are thinking they're going to get some in the end no one is getting none Except the big daddy getting ready in his Cadillac Happily cleaning his baseball bat

(He'll even wink, wink you a real phone number)

So boys beware If you think of riding her thighs You'll be left with an empty wallet And even big black eyes

(and a fake phone number)

## **Blue Sky Morning**

Blue-sky morning

After a cold long winter

The ground is wet

Tearstained by the weather jester

Scattered clouds

Scattered people

I'm all wrapped up in this shroud

Scattered death

Scattered resurrection

Spring's breath

Scattered thoughts

As I wake up this morning

My soul is drifting

Through these spaces called reality

Still slightly dazed by this maze

We call

Life, and death

### What is friendship?

A friend is someone who is there for you

A friend is someone you are there for

A friend is someone whom you have no need to explain yourself to because they know you

A friend is someone who run towards you when everyone else is running away

A friend talks to you about themselves but also listens

A friend defends you and expects you to reciprocate

A friend dances with you in the rain

A friend doesn't know the word betrayal

A friend will let you go and rejoice when they see you again

A friend will smile when reading your eulogy, because you were worth remembering

#### Waddle of Shame

Only when my rear was lifted Did I feel its crack Touched by gentle easy breeze But toilet paper it lacked Most embarrassing of all conundrums It was I that was to blame My jeans hugging my ankles alas I started waddling off in shame

It was many days ago I noticed the toilet paper was getting low Procrastination my friends is an evil foe For toilet paper lack now is my every woe To purchase it were many opportunities I ignored all despite incessant need Regretfully I waddle aimlessly Bracing myself, hands upon my knees

I stripped off my clothes and decided to shower It was then I noticed there was no heat nor power To warm up my cold dirty ass For I had not paid my bills alas So, I washed off my balls my shaft and my rump Feeling like a miserable frumpy old grump As I dried off my pubes and remaining bollock Between my feet sharted out a Jackson Pollock

## **The Frozen Ground**

The meat on the ground Frozen it lies A screech from above through the air it flies The buzzard spawns wing and thrusts below To the tired frozen frog inanimate by cold Buzzard claws tear apart froggy's innards within Yet no frog capable of immortal sin Will froggy fly to the heavens or to hell down below Least not up to me does it lack immortal soul Only human fantasy curates such delight Of sending froggy to its gloomy afterlife For of God and Satan a froggy's conscious would never share Its brain inept to make belief consequence of which humans bear

## Strength

When all others scream, to remain calmly silent

Strength is the will to fulfill another human's rights To fighting malfeasance at cost of one's own life Strength is the courage to speak out against inequality Holding the head high against unjust cruelty Strength is living when a loss can never be undone Like a mother witnessing the birth and death of her bleeding son

Strength ignores the ranting of idiotic conspiracists Fanatics screaming that fraternity is evil and communist Divine favoritism lays heavily embedded in partisanal propensity Potential murderers that are blinded by their own hypocrisy Strength is to lay down the gun and truly care To seek dialogue with an enemy when no one else dare

Strength finds itself in silence and alone In reverence and self-restraint its true power honed Strength is shedding of intolerance Self-recognition of own faults

and ignorance

Strength is pushing forward when

the body is scarred and bent

## Stay

A picture sketched in pencil

An old man sitting still

His eyes gaze beyond to nowhere

Clutches an oversized teddy bear

Its fur matted its eyes now dim

Skin drops off showing lifelessness within

The rocking chair creaks and then stops

His boney fingers a soft rhythm knock

A childhood rhymes a melodic tune

He forms a sound his tongue once knew

Alas it has long vanished into dust

His memory fleeting like powdered rust

A soft wind blows his last strands of hair

Translucent mother wipes the tear he cannot cry

The bones in his face glisten white and bare

Radiating under pale moonlight they lie

"Come my child" whispers the wind

"You've lived a long full life it's time to rescind"

"Your friends and loved ones are all passed away"

Crumbling teddy bears plead "we beg you to stay"

A figure appears to stumble in eerie candle glow

It cannot quite walk as it casts twisted shadow

"Don't listen to the wind" it snarls and clicks its teeth

"She stole all my friends" As forward it creeps

The old man with last strength turns his head

And retorts aloud to what the creature said

"I love my bears I cannot let them go"

I will miss them but they me even more so

When I die my consciousness, my soul shall be free

But these bears are trapped here, it is their destiny

So, I will sit here forever biding sands of time

Until the last bear crumbles into dust, for I am kind

I am theirs, and they are mine

### **Sonnet of Decay**

The world spins carefree in pulsing breath

As one watch like many slows then stops

Embedding in a final grin a melodic sonnet

Dissonance of ultimate decay

Mind wanders in loving embrace

Accomplishment, love, loss and gratitude

The heart struggles to keep its pace

A gentle touch a tear gently creeps

A lifelong love beneath wrinkled skin

A howling void, a soul does weep

Doth not one leave untouched

Life has gone it has left us in silence

Yet the world turns in blatant ignorance

Of the universe turned to darkness

It meaning nothing to you

But it meant the world to me

### **One Hundred**

One hundred thoughts flew past her mind

That fateful morning, she realized she had died

However, it was not painful

As she hovered, she realized

The ache was felt by the image mesmerized

Of her children and husband crying below

How long have I been dead for?

She whispered quietly to falling snow

As her body was lowered gently to the ground

Stifled cries of anguish to hear a dreadful sound

She reaches out to touch her children's hair

But her hand is like a wisp it only cradles thin air

One hundred thoughts are questions

Who will answer her incessant plea?

For she is alone hovering in the air now

Hoping this all is just a dream

### Divine

I once paused to do some research

Create from the Bible a poetic verse

God's language I was sure

Would be epic, beautiful and pure

For a moment everything was bliss

The first man and then woman

Were touched by God, his divine kiss

As I turned the pages to read on

I noticed something horribly wrong

Mankind descended to anarchism

Fratricide, incest and nepotism

Hundreds of pages of blood and gore

Tales of deceit and disgusting lore

Murder rape and cannibalism

Genocide dictated by divine fascism

The Bible supposedly written by godly decree

Yet all I could see was anguish and misery

Why would a father send down his son?

To be tortured and pierced and then finally hung,

On a cross for mankind's salvation?

What a disgusting arbitration

To create man and then curse him

With so called original sin

Then comes the book of revelations

With angelic exaltations

As God kills off his own creations

That supposedly committed such aberrations

As simply not believing

In this divine deceiving

If God is so omnipotent

Why does he seem so frustrated and impotent?

To constantly demand of his own creation

To praise and adore his reverberation

All this fear and dread was too much for my head

So I went outside to bask in the sunlight instead

## A Song of Race and Creed

In every culture racism abounds

If you listen closely, you may hear its sound

It's not plain to see but it's all around

As so as your foot, steps on foreign ground

You may notice it's hard to find well paid work

While the nationals ignore you and act like jerks

You may find it tough to truly get ahead

You may wonder what it's like to rather be dead

Can't get credit or a loan the bank it will eschew

A risk they will not take with little dirty foreign you

God forbid you may be a refugee

Fleeing for your life and war-torn misery

Come to a country to be locked up in a cell

Your children snatched away to another living hell

An animal a rapist, a drug dealer too

Are insults you will live through

Little dirty foreign you

Even if you've been here for generations

But your color just isn't right

Condemned because of conjugations

Prejudiced law makers write

You scream of injustice and are beaten black and blue

Only because you are, little dirty foreign you

When you walk through town everyone still stares

Because of your choice of clothing and the identity it bears

And of terrorism affiliation they will accuse

Because you speak different, little dirty foreign you

Even your name denies you a living because it ends with "ed"

The local employer denies your need

To earn your daily bread

This cataclysm I'm afraid is growing and will only get bigger

People can be such racists without ever saying .....

## **Another Song for Racists**

Several different men could not quite agree

About religion, race and sexuality

The first man proclaimed intellect is important and his race is smarter

Immediately someone shouted out shut up cracker

He retorted that's so eloquent coming from a kike

Whose race stabbed our savior in the back with a knife?

A third man shouted out what's all this insolence

Allah is the only God all praise his Soverence

Another woman piped up yes but I can't quite agree

Your version of God it surely troubles me

For you make my vagina a place of evil I should cover my body in shame

And when I am molested and raped

It is I who's to blame

A couple of gays decided to join in with this derision

But the other men berated them for not getting a circumcision

What right do you have to tell me to cut my penis skin?

Shall we mutilate her clitoris too? For causing thoughts of sin?

The first three men were quite disgusted and threatened the gay men with violence

Because they flaunted their presence boldly and refused to be silenced

It doesn't matter whether you hate women or queers, kikes or crackers when you have the gun

If you pull the trigger you will kill, you become the evil one

Innocent blood will flow red as human as are you

Blood will be on your hands because of the bigoted things you do

### **Death on Live Stream**

I am fatigued, my lungs are slowly giving up on me

This must be it, what it's like to die

To be so tired that you long for sleep

I would willingly close my eyes for the last time

Will my soul awaken to revel in Hare Rama?

I see no light at the end of this tunnel

No rainbows and glory hallelujah

A solemn unsolved puzzle

No Hindus, Buddhists, Christians or Muslims

Running around chanting, praising Jesus or Allah

No thundering Deus roar of selfrighteous schisms

Tranquility of Holy darkness, Sela.

I could talk of killing myself today and no human being would care

Unless I did a YouTube live stream

So, subscribers can witness the naked truth I'd bare

After they skip the advertisement for prostate cream

So many messages the dead have died to share

Tick tock some girl's time's run out, she's been accidentally strangled

So challenge much stupid such dare

Lying on the bathroom floor, blue, cold and mangled

Heartbroken parents' lives never will be the same

They will never find peace because with them sleeps the blame

Their daughter cannot accept that she's now dead

So she creeps up out of the earth every night, to lie with them in bed

Pubescents take duck face selfies in slutty cosplay dress

Because they want other human beings, to be slightly impressed

A Social media influencer posts to her fans that she's down and sad One thousand likes, thoughts, prayers, and well wishes, just for feeling bad

Last time I killed myself I just went ahead and undertook

Tying the rope to my neck, without announcing it on Facebook

I was clinically dead yet somehow, I survived

Luckily my neck hadn't broken, I thought while being revived

"I have friends too; don't they know that I almost died?"

Not like they realized my existence at all, when I was alive

With my letter complete, barbiturate laced whiskey beckons me

I cut my goodbyes into my wrist, deadly blissful tranquility

Anguish only wakes in realization

Of my ungodly self-desecration

Since I never plan to wake

No difference shall it make

The creature what was I lives nevermore

A bloated body washed up on immortal shore

These words end my live stream solemnly

Death was here it has come for me

## **Deity of Hell**

I laud my demons They suit me well Stitched to my soul By finest tailors in hell Each needle threads supreme Thorough woven patterns in my skin The story it does seam Is the glowing darkness within Dark powers grow within me Ever since I was a boy God's soldier ordained to be A vassal, deictic toy My destiny obliged Four horsemen come to kill Unleash unmitigated wrath Vengeful chilling thrill My reward is in death Then I shall no longer be? If eternal life would remain? What heartbreak might I see? That my sacrifice is a curse For those who did not believe? In sordid Bible verse Its con-artistic deceit? Yet we will all live forever

To praise a sadistic monster

Choose eternal retribution

Over everlasting joyous fear

We smile in bliss of sweet heaven above

Gloria hallelujah and our savior's genuine love

To ask questions we should never dare

Or this eternal fire we all shall share

I backslid out of father's favor

For whispering doubt, but a whim

His forgiveness, exculpatory magnitude

Why must we be born, with original sin?

As believers chant of God's love and woe

Priests cast out devils, fighting imaginary foe

Assaulting humanity, with fallacies, stupendous beliefs

Replacing divine will, with deadlier disease

The greatest demon, he laughs in the heavens

As soothsayers interpret sixes and sevens

He has murdered god and taken her place

Thus, commencing to proselytize our very stupid race

Because mankind is the fallen angel

We warm our corpses in religious mirth

The realization all too painful

We already live in hell on earth

I love my demons

They suit me well

My new skin now complete

A deity of hell

### **The Abyss**

Open shut, And open shut, With such ease you start to cut, I see you standing over me, and feel as though it's hard to breathe

Your eyes they weep, My soul it bleeds I feel time begins to freeze Memories of our last kiss As I fall into the abyss

You're falling, darkness taking hold Breathless and so alone Skyline meets an abandoned place Slamming in violent embrace

Sonic boom the message clear Sleep now child no need to fear

I feel things that can't be real I see things I've never seen When I wake up I'm still asleep Your face lights up everything

I sense the darkness take ahold Pulling me to this void below Open shut and open shut Everything I loved is gone

You're falling, darkness taking hold Breathless and so alone Skyline meets an abandoned place Slamming in violent embrace

None of this is at all our fault My time has come it's our loss Someday you and me will stay Where time no longer causes pain The clock is ticking

## **Every time I see you**

Turn you back to me unapologetically It's plain to see there's no love for me You'd wish I'd be a distant memory You're a beautiful catch, stunning intellect A chiseled perfect sweet deflect Now suddenly unremorsefully Excusing your loss of use for me Were you just an adventure kiss bang bang a fast ride and a thrill Because my trampled heart is in shatters, like that vase fallen off your window sill I walk as I weep, shivering I look crying to the skies Because every time I see you,

something dies

I'm ashamed to say I've lost my way it feels so gray Mundane days are all the same I regret I can't forget that letter you left and crept out as I slept Jilted wilted trash thrown away beaten scarred and jagged My mind is cracked spirit hacked I tear at myself till I'm naked bloody and ragged

Were you just an adventure kiss bang bang

a fast ride and a thrill Because my trampled heart is in shatters, like that vase fallen off your window sill I walk as I weep, shivering I look crying to the skies Because every time I see you, something dies I warned you. Something dies

You turn your face to me so apologetically You claim you lost your way you've changed Expect my life now to be rearranged It's impossible because you see All this damaged you've done to me Makes me realize your selfish lies I'm no longer victim of your narcissistic mind

You were just an adventure kiss bang bang A fast ride and a thrill I'm no longer broken by those words you've spoken There's nothing I want you can fulfill You try to embrace me with those salty tears running from your eyes Because now every time you see me Something dies

I warned you, something dies

## **Growing Old**

Twenty-five years ago, I played guitar In blistering heat and cold, the pouring rain Twelve hours and more never bothered me I even lost my voice a few times While living on the street

Every day was a struggle to survive No one cared if I lived, felt love or cried Overdose from addictions So many times, I nearly died Yet somehow, I woke each morning And found myself alive

Now I'm growing old

Ten years ago, I nearly committed suicide Turned myself off punched out my time The frustration and anger were so much My spirit totally broken, I had enough But I thought of my children who need me To help them on life's journey So, they won't suffer like me And I get to be that father that never did raise me

We're all growing old

Now I work every day Carrying boxes or serving coffee, a little guitar play I'm no celebrity and I don't want to be I'm just proud of my children I hope one day They might be proud of me

## A Small Book

There lies a small book with blank pages When you look upon it reminds you of what brought you hear Visualizing sweet memories entering your mind The drums echo dissolving fear A cave deep in the ground Echoing softly your footstep sound Memories held in the well of space Dissonant like everything we are The cave holds water to refresh Lying hidden for so long Remembering the ancient tradition Singing flowing stream its rythmic song So you fall deep into unconsciousness In velour carpeted calming softness Your eyes gaze upon the pulsing ceiling Totally awakend in state of dreaming Around your hands fairies dance in synchronization Revelling in all of glorious creation The mushrooms sprout and the dance begins For tomorrow came and and all sorrow thins In this world of space death and life hold each other's hand

Floating over yesterday and never-ending sand The waters washing over sunlit shore Beckoning at last a beautiful nevermore

# **An Empty Place**

I saw you last in a vast empty place Darkness forgot time we were floating in space Formless and shapeless and yet vou were there No need for words for each moment we shared I didn't want to leave you yet away I was torn Descending rapidly into my now human form My last memory a promise to you since lingers inside I would search high and low in the hope to find This never ending wish, such was the desire I yearned To at last hear your voice and the joy when it was heard My heart fluttered when the touch of your skin Caused unlocked secrets to awaken within When our eyes met my thoughts imploded into naught Every atom stood breathless as for words I sought Even though decades had past mere seconds had gone by As I stared at this beautiful soul wandering as I Because time beyond this world is indeed strange place Hundreds mortal years pass in the flash of embrace

Hence I was not even sure if I would ever catch a glimpse Of my kindred spirit oh how I've missed her since Because ever since I was born I've always felt torn And somehow I knew I was never forlorn Because somewhere under these skies and their beautiful hue There was formed this incredible,

magical you