

# MEMORIAL STATIONERY SAMPLE VERSES



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*Time cannot steal the treasures that we carry in our hearts.  
Nor ever dim the shining thoughts our cherished past imparts.  
For the memories of the ones we loved still cast a gentle glow.  
To grace our days and light our paths, wherever we may go.*

## Verse No. 1

When those we love go away,  
they never really leave us;  
they are with us now, wherever we are.

Those whom we have cherished,  
live on forever, for love wraps itself  
around the heart.

Although it's difficult now,  
someday beyond our tears  
and all the world's wrongs;  
beyond the clouds  
and all that we can see and touch,  
we shall all understand.

## Verse No. 2

God saw you getting tired,  
and a cure was not to be.  
So He put his arms around you  
and whispered, "*Come to Me.*"  
With tearful eyes we watched you  
and saw you pass away,  
and although we loved you dearly,  
we could not make you stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating,  
hard working hands at rest.  
God broke our hearts to prove to us,  
He only takes the best.

## Verse No. 3

Don't grieve for me, for I'm free,  
I'm following paths God made for me.  
I took his hand, I heard him call,  
then turned and bid farewell to all.

I could not stay another day  
to laugh, to love, to sing, to play,  
tasks left undone must stay that way.  
I found my peace...at close of play  
and if my parting left a void,  
then fill it with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss  
ah yes, these things I too will miss.

## Verse No. 4

Life is but a stopping place,  
A pause in what's to be,  
A resting place along the road,  
to sweet eternity.  
Our destination is a place,  
Far greater than we know.  
For some the journey's quicker,  
For some the journey's slow.  
And when the journey finally ends  
We'll claim a great reward,  
And find an everlasting peace,  
Together with the Lord.



### Verse No. 5

Don't weep at my grave,  
for I am not there.  
I've a date with a butterfly  
to dance in the air.  
I'll be singing in the sunshine,  
wild and free,  
playing tag with the wind,  
while I'm waiting for thee.

### Verse No. 9

Come to me, all of you who are tired  
from carrying your heavy loads,  
and I will give you rest.

### Verse No. 6

Beautiful things in this life  
are manifold it's true.  
We count the stars by thousands,  
the birds and flowers too.  
The sunsets and dawns,  
rare beauties far and near,  
but all the wide world over,  
there's just one 'Mother Dear.'

### Verse No. 10

God grant me the serenity  
to accept the things I cannot change,  
the courage to change the things I can,  
and the wisdom to know the difference.

### Verse No. 7

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that we carry in our hearts.  
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our cherished past imparts  
For the memories of the ones  
we loved still cast a gentle glow,  
To grace our days and light  
our paths, wherever we may go.

### Verse No. 11

I have fought the good fight,  
I have finished the race,  
I have kept the faith.  
Henceforth there is laid up for me  
the crown of righteousness.

### Verse No. 8

No farewell words were spoken,  
no time to say goodbye.  
You were gone before we knew it,  
and only God can tell us why.  
It broke my heart to lose you  
but you didn't go alone,  
for part of me went with you,  
the day God called you home.

### Verse No. 12

There comes a time we all must part  
but you left too soon and broke our hearts.  
We know that you are now at peace,  
our thoughts of you will never cease.  
Too dearly loved to be forgotten.

### Verse No. 13

I'd like the memory of me  
to be a happy one.

I'd like to leave an afterglow  
of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo  
whispering softly down the ways,  
of happy times, laughing times  
and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve,  
to dry before the sun of happy memories  
that I leave behind when day is done.

### Verse No. 14

May there always be work  
for your hands to do.

May your purse always  
hold a coin or two.

May the sun always shine  
on your window pane.

May a rainbow be certain  
to follow each rain.

May the hand of a friend  
always be near you.

May God fill your heart  
with gladness to cheer you.

### Verse No. 15

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,  
that never was it known that anyone who  
fled to thy protection, implored thy help,  
or sought thine intercession was left  
unaided. Inspired by this confidence,

I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins,  
my mother; to thee do I come,  
before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the Word Incarnate,  
despise not my petitions, but in thy  
mercy hear and answer me. Amen.

### Verse No. 16

O gentle and loving Saint Anthony,  
you whose heart was ever full of  
human sympathy, whisper my prayer  
to the ears of the infant Jesus,  
who loved to linger in your arms.  
One word from you and my prayer  
will be granted. Speak that word  
and the gratitude of my heart  
will ever be yours.





*We hold you close within our hearts and there you shall remain.  
To walk with us throughout our lives until we meet again.  
So rest in peace dear loved one and thanks for all you've done.  
We pray that God has given you the crown you've truly won.*

## Verse No. 17

There comes a time for all of us  
when we must say good-bye.  
But faith and hope and love and trust,  
can never ever die.

Although the curtain falls at last,  
is that a cause to grieve?  
The future's fairer than the past,  
if only we believe.

Trust in God's eternal care,  
so when the Master calls.  
Let's say that life is still more fair  
Although the curtain falls.

## Verse No. 18

When I come to the end of the road,  
and the sun has set for me,  
I want no rites in a gloom filled room,  
Why cry for a soul set free?  
Miss me a little, but not too long  
and not with your head bowed low.  
Remember the love that we once shared,  
miss me but let me go.  
For this is a journey we all must take  
and each must go alone.  
It's all a part of the Master's plan,  
a step on the road to home.  
When you are lonely and sick of heart,  
go to the friends we know  
and bury your sorrow in doing good deeds.  
Miss me but let me go.

## Verse No. 19

They say there is a reason,  
they say that time will heal.  
But neither time or reason,  
will change the way we feel.  
For no one knows the heartache  
that lies behind our smiles.  
No one knows how many times  
we have broken down and cried.  
We want to tell you something  
so there won't be any doubt.  
You're so wonderful to think of  
but so hard to be without.

## Verse No. 20

Oh Jesus, full of grace and charity,  
victim for sinners, so impelled by love  
for us that you willed to die  
on the Cross, I humbly beseech you  
through your servant Saint Pio,  
who generously participated in your  
sufferings who loved you so much  
and labored so faithfully for the glory  
of your heavenly Father and for the  
good of souls. With confidence I beseech  
you to grant me, through his  
intercession, the grace of  
which I ardently desire.



## Verse No. 21

O God, the Creator and Redeemer  
of all the faithful grant, to the souls  
of Thy servants departed, the full  
remission of their sins, that through  
pious supplications they may obtain  
the pardon which they have  
always desired. Who livest and  
reignest world without end.  
Amen.

## Verse No. 22

Day is done, gone the sun,  
from the hills and from the sky.  
All is well, safely rest,  
safely rest, all is well.  
Fading light dims the sight,  
and a star gems the sky.  
Gleaming bright from afar,  
drawing nigh, falls the night.  
Dear one, rest!

## Verse No. 23

We hold you close within our hearts,  
And there you shall remain.  
To walk with us throughout our lives.  
until we meet again.  
So rest in peace dear loved one,  
And thanks for all you've done.  
We pray that God has given you,  
The crown you've truly won.

## Verse No. 24

Guardian Angel from heaven so bright,  
watching beside me to lead me aright.  
Fold thy wings round me  
and guard me with love.  
Softly sing songs to me  
of heaven above.  
Amen.



## Verse No. 25

If we could have a lifetime wish  
and a dream that could come true.  
We would pray to God with all our  
hearts, just to see and speak to you.  
A thousand words won't bring you back,  
we know because we've tried.  
And neither will a thousand tears,  
we know because we've cried.  
You've left behind our broken hearts  
and precious memories too.  
But we've never wanted memories,  
we only wanted you.

## Verse No. 26

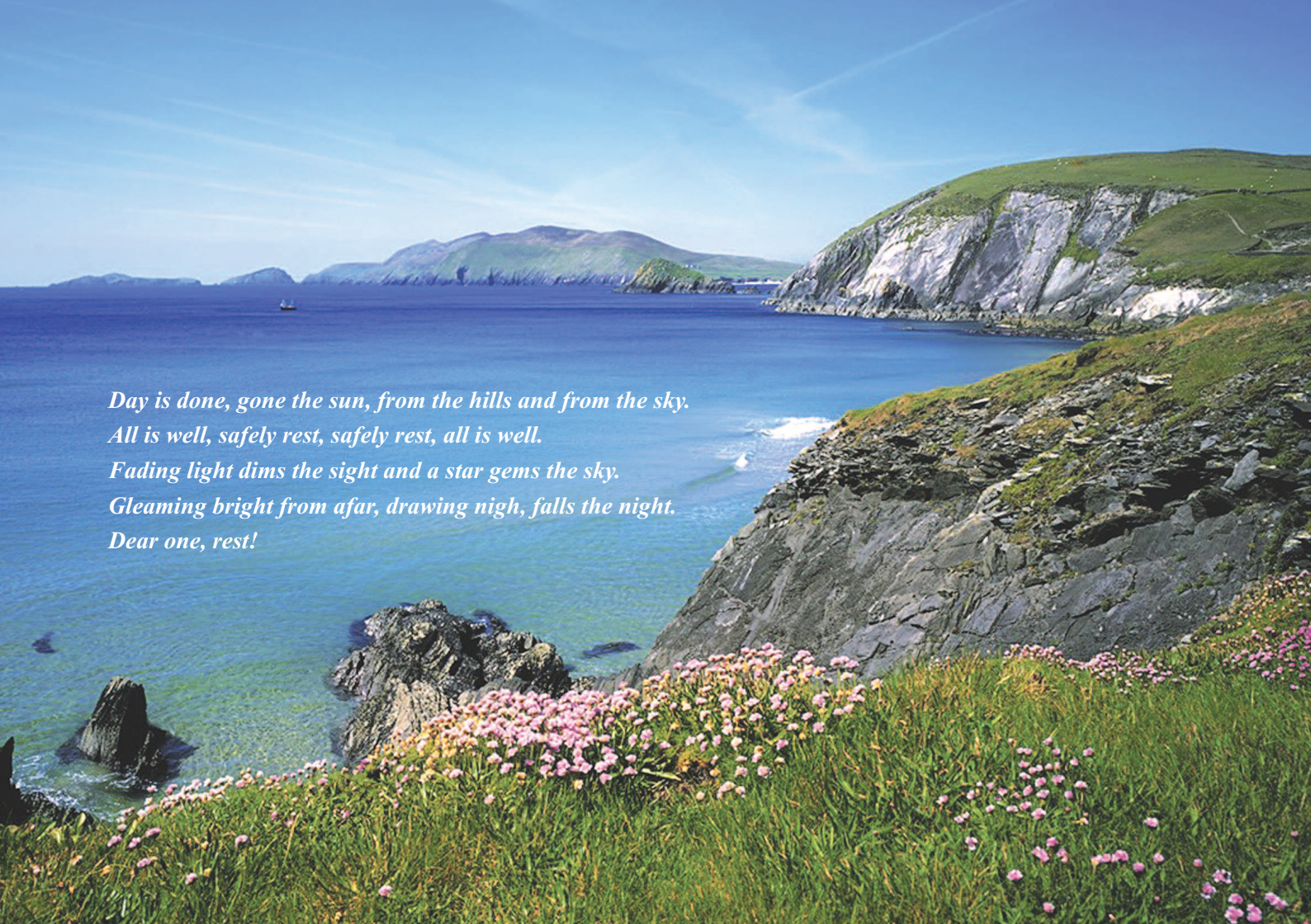
There is a bridge of memory,  
from earth to heaven above.  
It keeps you always near us,  
it's called the bridge of love.  
May you always walk in sunshine  
and God's love around you flow.  
For the happiness you gave us,  
no one will ever know.  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
but you did not go alone,  
for part of us went with you.  
The day God called you home.

## Verse No. 27

May Christ support us all the day long,  
till the shadows lengthen,  
and the evening comes,  
and the busy world is hushed,  
and the fever of life is over  
and our work is done.  
Then in his mercy  
may he give us a safe lodging,  
and holy rest and peace at the last.  
Amen.

## Verse No. 28

In tears we saw you sinking,  
and watched you pass away.  
Our hearts were almost broken,  
we wanted you to stay.  
But when we saw you sleeping,  
so peaceful, free from pain.  
How could we wish you back with us,  
to suffer that again?  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
but you did not go alone.  
For part of us went with you,  
the day God took you home.

A scenic coastal landscape. In the foreground, a grassy hillside is covered with numerous small, pink, bell-shaped flowers. To the right, a steep, rocky cliff face descends towards the water. The sea is a deep blue, with some white foam visible near the shore. In the distance, a range of green hills or mountains is visible under a clear blue sky with a few wispy clouds. A small boat can be seen on the water in the distance.

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### Verse No. 29

If roses grow in Heaven Lord,  
please pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in my mother's arms  
and tell her they're from me.  
Tell her I love her and miss her much  
And when she turns to smile,  
place a kiss upon her cheek  
and hold her for awhile.

### Verse No. 30

It's so strange that those in need  
and those we love the best,  
are just the ones God called away  
and took them home to rest.  
But every time I think of Dad  
I seem to hear God say:  
*"Have faith and trust my Promise  
You'll meet again some day".*

### Verse No. 31

If we had all the world to give,  
we'd give it, yes, and more.  
To hear his voice, to see his smile  
and greet him at the door.  
But all we can do dear father,  
is go and tend your grave.  
And leave behind tokens of love  
To the best Dad that God made.

### Verse No. 32

Please. God, forgive a silent tear,  
a fervent wish our Dad was here.  
There are others, yes we know,  
but he was ours and we loved him so.  
Dear God, please take a message  
to our Father in Heaven above.  
Tell him how much we miss him  
And give him all our love.

### Verse No. 33

When we remember your smile,  
it brightens up our day.  
And thoughts of your warmth and love,  
always smooth the way.  
Your gentle spirit is still with us,  
though you maybe gone.  
Sunny days and cool breezes,  
Always for you dear Mum.

### Verse No. 34

Things I feel most deeply  
are the hardest things to say.  
Dear Mum, I loved you always,  
in my own very special way.  
If I could have one lifetime wish,  
one dream that could come true.  
I'd pray to God with all my heart,  
someday I'll be with you.

### Verse No. 35

Never say goodbye to love  
and let it pass away.  
Always hold me in your heart  
and think of me each day.  
For my love is always with you,  
from now until the end.  
For moments shared will never die  
and true love shall transcend.

### Verse No. 36

Those we love remain with us  
for love itself lives on,  
and cherished memories never fade  
because a loved one's gone.  
Those we love can never be  
more than a thought apart,  
for as long as there is memory,  
they'll live on in the heart.



### Verse No. 37

After the clouds, the sunshine,  
after the winter, the spring.  
After the shower, the rainbow,  
for life is a changeable thing.  
After the night, the morning,  
bidding all darkness cease.  
After life's cares and sorrows,  
the comfort and sweetness of peace.

### Verse No. 38

Where I have gone I am not so small.  
My soul is as wide as the world is tall.  
I have gone to answer the call,  
the call of the One who takes care of us all.  
Wherever you look, you will find me there.  
In the heart of a rose, in the heart of a prayer.  
On butterflies' wings, on wings of my own,  
To you, I'm gone, but I'm never alone...  
I am home.

### Verse No. 39

Our father kept a garden,  
a garden of the heart.  
He planted all good things  
that gave our lives a start.  
He turned us to the sunshine,  
the seeds of what we'll be.  
We are our father's garden.  
We are his legacy.

### Verse No. 40

A butterfly captures our hearts  
from the moment they appear.  
They are vibrant and graceful  
as their presence lifts our spirits.  
Gone much too soon,  
they will never be forgotten.

### Verse No. 41

Those we love remain with us  
for love itself lives on,  
and cherished memories never fade  
because a loved one's gone.  
Those we love can never be more  
than a thought apart,  
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they'll live on in the heart.

### Verse No. 42

A butterfly lights beside us like a sunbeam.  
And for a brief moment its glory  
and beauty belong to our world.  
But then it flies again.  
And though we wish it could have stayed...  
We feel lucky to have seen it.

### Verse No. 43

I'll never find another friend  
to take the place of you.  
No one will ever touch my life  
exactly like you do.  
No one who's quite so thoughtful,  
no one I cherish so.  
No one will mean so much to me;  
I just wanted you to know.

### Verse No. 44

Now the labourer's task is over,  
now the battle day is past.  
Now upon the farther shore  
lands the voyager at last.  
Father, in Thy gracious keeping,  
leave us now thy servant sleeping.

### **Verse No. 45**

In our hearts your memory lingers,  
sweetly tender, fond and true.  
There is not a day dear Mother,  
that we do not think of you.

### **Verse No. 46**

Because in her life she was saintly,  
in her heart she was loving and pure.  
Her reward is a place in Heaven,  
our grief we must endure.

### **Verse No. 47**

Your smile has gone forever,  
your hand we cannot touch.  
We have so many memories  
of you, Dad, we loved so much.

### **Verse No. 48**

You were a loving husband,  
a friend, so good and true.  
A better husband never lived,  
your equals are but few.

### **Verse No. 49**

As I journey toward life's sunset,  
mourning him who went before.  
Faith assures me, I'll be with him,  
when I reach the other shore.

### **Verse No. 50**

A part of me she took with her  
but her love she left me to keep.  
So we will never really be parted,  
the bond is just too deep.

### **Verse No. 51**

We lost a dad with a heart of gold.  
How much we miss him can never be told.  
He shared our troubles & helped us along.  
If we follow his footsteps,  
we will never go wrong.

### **Verse No. 52**

Looking back with memories,  
upon the path you trod.  
We bless the hours we had with you  
and will leave the rest with God.

### **Verse No. 53**

Your life was one of kindly deeds,  
a helping hand for others needs.  
Sincere and true in heart and mind,  
beautiful memories left behind.

### **Verse No. 54**

Just a prayer from the  
ones who loved you,  
Just a memory fond and true,  
In our hearts you will live forever,  
Because we thought the world of you.

### **Verse No. 55**

A silent thought,  
a quiet prayer,  
For a special person  
in God's care.

### **Verse No. 56**

Deep are the memories,  
precious they stay;  
No passing of time,  
can take them away.

*Guardian Angel, from heaven so bright,  
watching beside me, to lead me aright.  
Fold thy wings round me, and guard me with love,  
softly sing songs to me of heaven above.*





### Verse No. 57

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Precious they stay;  
No passing of time,  
Can take them away.

### Verse No. 58

Those we hold most dear  
never truly leave us.  
They live on in the kindness  
they showed, the comfort they shared,  
and the love they brought into our lives.

### Verse No. 59

All I ask is that you will remember  
me at Mass and Holy Communion.  
O Mary conceived without sin, pray  
for us who have recourse to thee.

### Verse No. 60

In life I loved you dearly,  
In death I love you still.  
In my heart you hold a place,  
That no one could ever fill

### Verse No. 61

Our lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland,  
you gave hope to your people in a time  
of distress and comforted them in sorrow.  
You have inspired countless pilgrims to  
pray with confidence to your divine Son,  
remembering His promise: "Ask and you  
shall receive, seek and you shall find".

Help me to remember that we are all  
pilgrims on the road to heaven. Fill me  
with love and concern for my brothers  
and sisters in Christ, especially those  
who live with me. Comfort me when I  
am sick, lonely or depressed. Teach me  
how to take part ever more reverently  
in the Holy Mass. Pray for me now,  
and at the hour of my death. Amen

### Verse No. 62

I am home in heaven, dear ones.  
Oh, so happy and so bright!  
There is a perfect joy and beauty  
in the everlasting light.  
All the pain and grief is over,  
every restless tossing passed;  
I am now at peace forever,  
safely home in heaven at last.  
There is work still waiting for you,  
so you must not idly stand,  
do it now, while life remaineth,  
you shall rest in God's own land.  
When that work is all completed,  
oh, the rapture of that meeting;  
oh, the joy to see you come!

### Verse No. 63

Now I am contented  
That my life it was worthwhile  
Knowing as I passed along the way  
I made somebody smile.  
When you are walking down the street  
And you've got me on your mind  
I'm walking in your footsteps  
Only half a step behind.  
And when you feel the gentle breeze  
Or the wind upon your face  
That's me giving you a great big hug  
Or just a soft embrace.  
So please don't be unhappy  
Just remember I'm out of sight  
Remember that I'm with you  
Every morning, noon and night.

### Verse No. 64

Your gentle face and patient smile,  
with sadness we recall.  
You had a kindly word for each  
and died beloved by all.  
The voice is mute and stilled the heart,  
that loved us well and true.  
Ah, bitter was the trial to part  
from one as good as you.  
You are not forgotten loved one  
nor will you ever be  
As long as life and memory last  
we will remember thee.  
We miss you now our hearts are sore,  
as time goes by we miss you more.  
Your loving smile, your gentle face  
no one can fill your vacant place.

## Verse No. 65

Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace.  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love  
Where there is injury, pardon.  
Where there is doubt, faith.  
Where there is despair, hope..  
Where there is darkness, light  
and where there is sadness, joy.  
O Divine Master, grant that I may not  
so much seek to be consoled as to console;  
To be understood as to understand.  
To be loved as to love.  
For it is in giving that we receive -  
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned  
and it is in dying that we  
are born to eternal life.

## Verse No. 66

Partings come and hearts are broken,  
Loved ones go with words unspoken,  
Deep in our hearts there's a memory kept,  
For a husband and father we'll never forget.  
Some day I hope to meet you,  
Some day, I know not when,  
To clasp your hand in a better land,  
Never to part again.  
Lonely is my home without you,  
Life to me is not the same,  
All this world would be like Heaven,  
Just to have you back again.

## Verse No. 67

I've lost my life's companion,  
A life linked with my own,  
You're still mine to remember,  
A husband proud to own.  
Many a tear I've shed since I lost you,  
Many more will continue to fall,  
You took my happiness with you,  
The happiest hours of all.  
Thus shall I walk with you  
And keep the bond that love doth give,  
Knowing that remembrance,  
though unspoken,  
Shall reach you wherever you live.

## Verse No. 68

May the Lord watch between me  
and thee, when we are absent  
from one another.  
Partings come to let us know,  
We love more deeply than we show,  
But love in death should let us see,  
What love in life should really be.  
You always waited for me,  
Anxious, if I were late,  
In winter at the window,  
In summer by the gate,  
Your thoughts were always for me,  
Not once did you forget,  
And so I know from Heaven above,  
You'll be waiting for me yet.

### Verse No. 69

We honor you for whom you were  
and the special things you've done...  
that made your life so rewarding  
and made you such a special woman.  
Your memories are ours to cherish  
as we fondly remember your ways...  
keeping you safely tucked in our hearts  
is where you'll always stay.

### Verse No. 70

May love and laughter light your days,  
and warm your heart and home.  
May good and faithful friends be yours,  
wherever you may roam.  
May peace and plenty bless your world  
with joy that long endures.  
May all life's passing seasons  
bring the best to you and yours!

### Verse No. 71

Many the thoughts I give to you  
As the long hours go by.  
Thinking of the things we used to  
do and say, just you and I.  
Sometimes they make me smile  
Sometimes they make me cry  
But are precious to me alone  
Memories of You and I.

### Verse No. 72

Gone are the days we used to share  
But in our hearts you are always there.  
The gates of memory will never close  
We miss you more than anyone knows.  
With tender love and deep regret  
We who love you will never forget.



## Verse No. 73

When God held out his precious hands  
To take you from your pain  
You stretched your weary hand right back.  
As He softly called your name  
“Come home with me,” he quietly said  
“Your pain will leave you soon.  
Just close your eyes and take my hand,  
we’ll quietly leave the room.”

## Verse No. 74

May you always walk in sunshine  
and God’s love around you flow.  
For the happiness you gave us,  
no one will ever know  
It broke our hearts to lose you  
but you did not go alone.  
A part of us went with you,  
the day God called you home.

## Verse No. 75

You’ve just walked on ahead of us  
and we’ve got to understand.  
We must release the one’s we love  
and let go of their hands.  
We try to cope the best we can  
but we’re missing you so much.  
If we could only see you  
and once more feel your touch.  
Yes, you’ve just walked on ahead of us.  
Don’t worry we’ll be fine  
But now and then I swear I feel  
Your hands slip into mine.

## Verse No. 76

I often lie awake at night  
when the world is fast asleep.  
I think about the sister I love  
with tears upon my cheeks.  
I can’t get over losing you  
no matter how I try.  
I will always keep you in my heart  
until the day I die.  
You were that special sister  
that many were afraid of.  
But no one had, what we had,  
a Sister’s special bond.

## Verse No. 77

I believe in mystery and miracles  
and the magic of a new day.  
I believe in angels and natural wonders  
and the beauty inside people.  
I believe in rainbows and happy endings  
and dreams come true.  
I believe in a bright and shining tomorrow  
ahead for you.

## Verse No. 78

We little knew that morning  
that God was going to call your name,  
In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same.  
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone,  
For part of us went with you, the day God called you home.  
You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide,  
And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side.  
Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,  
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again.

## Verse No. 79

I'll lend you for a little while,  
a child of mine God said.  
For you to love her while she lives  
and mourn for when she's dead.  
It may be six or seven years,  
or forty two or three.  
But will you, 'til I call her back,  
take care of her for me.  
She'll bring her charms to gladden you  
and should her stay be brief.  
You'll always have her memories  
as a solace for your grief.

## Verse No. 80

Right now I'm in a different place  
and though we seem apart.  
I'm closer than I ever was  
I'm there inside your heart.  
I'm with you when you greet each day  
and while the sun shines bright  
I'm there to share the sunsets too,  
I'm with you every night  
I'm with you when the times are good  
to share a laugh or two,  
and if a tear should start to fall  
I'll still be there for you  
And when that day arrives  
that we no longer are apart.  
I'll smile and hold you close to me  
forever in my heart.

