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I Will Be Here

If in the morning when you wake,
The sun does not appear,
I will be here.
If in the dark we lose sight of love,
Hold my hand and have no fear,
I will be here.
I will be here,
When you feel like being quiet,
When you need to speak your mind I will listen,
Through the winning, losing, and trying we’ll be together,
And I will be here.
If in the morning when you awake,
The future is unclear,
I will be here.
As sure as seasons were made for change,
Our lifetimes were made for years,
I will be here.
I will be here,
And you can cry on my shoulder,
When the mirror tells us we’re older.
I will hold you, to watch you grow in beauty,
And tell you all the things you are to me,
We’ll be together and I will be here.
I will be true to the promises I’ve made,
To you and to the one who gave you to me - I will be here.
Like a Teddy Bear

Learn to listen like a teddy bear -
With ears open and mouth closed tight
Learn to forgive like a teddy bear -
With heart open, not caring who is right
Learn to love like a teddy bear -
With arms open, and imperfect eyesight
**I Love You - Deanne Laura Gilbert:**

‘I Love You’ means that I accept you for the person that you are, and that I don’t wish to change you into someone else. It means that I do not expect perfection from you, just as you don’t expect it from me.

‘I Love You’ means that I will love you and stand by you even through the worst of times. It means loving you when you are in a bad mood or too tired to do the things I want to do. It means loving you when you are down, not just when you’re fun to be with.

‘I Love You’ means that I know your deepest secrets and do not judge you for them, asking in return only that you do not judge me for mine. It means that I care enough not to let you go. It means thinking of you, dreaming of you, wanting and needing you constantly, and hoping you feel the same way for me.

‘I Love You’ means forever.

There is no measure for such things. For this all nature slows and sings.
The Confirmation

“Yes, yours, my love is the right human face.
I in my mind had waited for this long,
Seeing the false and searching for the true,
Then found you as a traveller finds a place
Of welcome suddenly amid the wrong
Valleys and rocks and twisting roads, But you,
What shall I call you? A fountain in a waste,
A well of water in a country dry,
Or anything that’s honest and good, an eye
That makes the whole world bright. Your open heart,
Simple with giving, gives the primal deed,
The first good world, the blossom, the blowing seed,
The hearth, the steadfast land, the wandering sea,
Not beautiful or rare in every part, but like yourself, as they were meant to be.”
Friendship by Elizabeth Jennings

Such Love I cannot analyse;
It does not rest in lips or eyes,
Neither in kisses or caress
Partly, I know, its gentleness.

And understanding in one word
Or in brief letters. It’s preserved
By trust and by respect and awe.
These are the words I’m feeling for.

Two people, yes, two lasting friends.
The giving comes the taking ends.
Because You Share a Special Love

The more you’re together
The more things you share.
The more you find new ways
To show that you care....

More hopes come to mind now,
More plans and dreams too,
And all seem more likely
To really come true...

More meaningful moments,
More talks heart to heart,
More thinking of each other
Anytime you’re apart.

More love than you’ve ever
Been part of before -
More reasons for you both
To love each other more.
Learn to Make the Most of Life

Learn to make the most of life
Lose no happy day
Life will never give you back
Chances swept away.
Leave no tender word unsaid
Love while life shall last
Into the Future

Each Year you’ve been together
Your love has grown and grown
Undaunted by the trials you’ve faced
Reassured by the joys you’ve known

And now you stand before us
Side by side and hand in hand
To take this step together
Towards the future you have planned

The promises you’re making
You make with love filled hearts
Safe in the knowledge that today
Is the day that future starts.
Walk With Me

Do not walk in front of me -
I may not be able to follow
Do not walk behind me -
I may not be able to lead
Just walk beside me and be my friend
Robert Browning to Elizabeth Barrett

I look back, and in every one point, every word and gesture, every letter, every silence - you have been entirely perfect to me-
I would not change one word, one look. My hope and aim are to preserve this love, not to fall from it.
The Mathematics of Love

From today may your joys be added,
Your cares subtracted
Your worries divided
And your love multiplied!
A Love Poem

Love. What is it?
You cannot hold it, neither see it.
But it is all around us.
It is the essence of our lives.
Sooner or later you are bound to meet it.
Some people go out to greet it.
It is there; it is here;
It is gone; it is near;
It is something we cannot afford to miss,
This once in a while, this bliss,
This thing called love.
Days - Marion Garretty

I spread out the days before me -
The days we have spent together -
Some bright as frosty stars,
Some glowing with an opalescent magic,
Some cool as water-tumbled pebbles,
Some flashing with fire.
And wonder what would they have been without you?
This Life

The life that I have is all that I have,
And the life that I have is yours.
The love that I have in this life that I have,
Is yours for evermore.
No More Loneliness

May the sun bring you new strength by day;
May the moon softly restore you by night.
May rain wash away your fears
and the breeze invigorate your being.
May you, all the days of your life,
Walk gently through the world and know its beauty.

Now you will feel no rain, for each of you will be shelter to
the other.
Now you will feel no cold, for each of you will be warmth to
the other.
Now there is no more loneliness for you, for each of you
will be companion to the other.
Now you are two bodies but there is only one life before
you.
Go now to your dwelling-place to enter into the days of
your togetherness.
And may your days be good and long upon the earth.
How to Stay Together One More Day

Laugh at yourself and at each other. Practise unselfishness. Show your Love. Talk to not at, each other. Respond lovingly to his. Greet and leave each other with kind words. Criticise the action, not the person. Hold hands. Resolve the day’s differences before bedtime. Admit your failings and ask for forgiveness. Don’t fight dirty. Enjoy the present and welcome the future. Make love, not waves.
Towards a Happy Future

Loving, thoughtful, understanding,
Giving, taking, undemanding.
Little words with lots of Meaning
When on each other you are leaning,
But these all help to pave the way
For a Happy future from this day.
The Garden

At the heart of a relationship is a walled garden, a secret place of hidden beauty from which both partners go out refreshed, and which is kept for them alone. If it is neglected there is only a wilderness for them to offer each other, for a garden untended goes wild. But time given to keeping the garden beautiful is time well spent and will give increased fulfilment in every area of life.

If together you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost: that is where the castles should be - now put the foundations under them.
A Chinese Poem

I want to be your friend forever and ever.
When the hills are all flat
And the rivers run dry
When the trees blossom in winter
And the snow falls in summer,
When heaven and earth mix
Not till then will I part from you.
Towards a Happy Future

Loving, thoughtful, understanding,
Giving, taking, undemanding.
Little words with lots of Meaning
When on each other you are leaning,
But these all help to pave the way
For a Happy future from this day.

As you stand at this your threshold
to the treasure house of life
May you use it’s riches wisely
to avoid all pain and strife

As you pass along the path of life,
do remember all the way,
That the joys you reap in years to come
spring from seed you sow today.
And when in later years, you pause
to reflect on what you’ve done,
May you look back contented
and value what you’ve won.
The Day

May this be the start of a happy new life
that’s full of special moments to share

May this be the first of your dreams coming true and of hope that will always be there

May this be the start of a lifetime of trust
and of caring that’s just now begun. May today be a day that you’ll always remember the day when your hearts become one
Our Love - Bruce B. Wilmer

Our love is something we have built
From passions, hopes and dreams.
It’s safe from any passing moods,
Secure from all extremes.
It’s something real and special,
Something solid, something pure.
It’s something we can always count on,
Ringing sound and sure.
It’s something grounded in the heart,
Emitting confidence.
It lives in our emotions,
It is something we can sense.
Our love remains a binding force,
Resistant to all strife.
Amidst the outer pressures,
It’s our anchor throughout life.
Look for the Sun

Treat yourselves and each other with respect, and remind yourselves often of what brought you together. Give the highest priority to the tenderness, gentleness and kindness that your partnership deserves. When frustration, difficulty and fear assail your relationship – as they threaten all relationships at one time or another – remember to focus on what is right between you, not just on the part which seems wrong. In this way you will ride out the storms of life, when clouds hide the face of the sun in your lives – remembering that even if you lose sight of it for a moment, the sun is still there. And if each of you takes responsibility for the quality of your life together, it will be marked by abundance and delight.
From George Eliot

Oh the comfort, the inexpressible comfort, of feeling safe with a person; having neither to weigh thoughts nor measure words but pour them all out just as they are, chaff and grain together, knowing that a loving hand will take and sift them, keep what is worth keeping and then with the breath of kindness blow the rest away.
Love Poem

Sharing one umbrella
We have to hold each other
Round the waist to keep together.
You ask me why I’m smiling –
It’s because I’m thinking
I want it to rain forever.
A New Chapter

Today is a very special day, for it is the day you start another chapter in your book of life. You have both found that special person with whom you want to share your love and your life. Someone who can make the sun shine in your heart - even on the cloudiest of days, and someone who will fill the next chapter in your life with happiness beyond your dreams. Live the life you believe in and you will have everything you need to reach those dreams. Just look into your hearts and you will find the strength in each other that will make each new challenge easier to face –
Together

The close friends and family, sharing this day with you, all have memories very precious and personal to each of them, but would ask only this of both of you: Always give the best of yourselves to each other and ask no more than you can give. Accept one another for the way you are. You fell in love with the qualities and abilities and the outlook on life that you both have - don’t try to change them. Share your time, your close attention, and bring joy, strength and imagination into your relationship. Grow along with each other; be willing to face changes as you both change in order to keep your relationship alive and exciting. And, most importantly, love each other in good times and in bad in the only way you know how. Completely and forever.
Our Wish for You

Our wish for you today is this:
That the road rise to meet you.
That the wind be always at your backs
That the sun shine warm upon your faces
That a rainbow follows any rain
That the hand of a friend may be always near
And that the love you share today grows only stronger
In Love or Real Love?

In love brings goosebumps and butterflies.
In love is obsessed with the colour of eyes.
In love swings like a pendulum.
In love rises and falls.

Not so for real love, this is for always.
Real love holds you when you feel alone.
Real love is unconditional and enduring.
Your best friend always.

Real love sees the wrinkles and loves you more,
For they tell a story of a path walked together.
In love washes in and out,
Like waves on the sand.
Real love strengthens and binds you together.
Real love is a choice not a feeling.
Choose real love today and forever.
When You Met…

When you met you were not planning to fall in love; you were not planning to feel so attracted to someone. But when you met you awakened feelings inside yourselves that you had forgotten existed.

On the day you met, you did not realise how much your love would grow; that the attraction which first brought you together would reach beyond passion, to the comfort of knowing that you each had someone very special. Someone who would be not only a lover, but also a close friend.

When you met you had no idea where your relationship would lead you, or how beautiful you would make each other’s world; but today you know that without a doubt the luckiest day of your lives was the day that you met.
From Shakespeare:

Let me not to the marriage of true minds
Admit impediments. Love is not love
Which alters when alteration finds?
or bends with the remover to remove:
O no! - it is an ever fixed mark,
That looks on tempests and is never shaken.
It is the star to every wandering barque,
Whose worth’s unknown, although its height be taken.
Love’s not Time’s fool, though rosy lips and cheeks
Within his bending sickle’s compass come;
Love alters not with his brief hours and weeks,
But bears it out even to the edge of doom.
If this is error and upon me proved,
I never writ, nor no man ever loved.
Love’s Philosophy – Percy Bysshe Shelley

The fountains mingle with the river
    And the rivers with the ocean
The winds and clouds mix forever
    With a sweet emotion;
Nothing in the world is single;
    All things by a law undefined
In one spirit meet and mingle

See the mountains kiss high above
    And the waves clasp one another;
No sister-flower would be forgiven
    If it disdained it’s brother;
And the sunlight clasps the earth
    And the moonbeams kiss the sea:
What is all this sweet work worth
    If thou kiss not me?
Extract from Les Miserables

You can give without loving, but you can never love without giving. The great acts of love are done by those who are habitually performing small acts of kindness. We pardon to the extent that we love. Love is knowing that even when you are alone, you will never be lonely again. And great happiness of life is the conviction that we are loved. Loved for ourselves. And even loved in spite of ourselves.
Captain Corelli’s Mandolin

“Love is a temporary madness, it erupts like volcanoes then subsides. And when it subsides you have to make a decision. You have to work out whether your roots have so entwined together that it is inconceivable that you should ever part. Because that is what love is. Love is not breathlessness, it is not excitement, it is not the proclamation of promises of eternal passion … that is just being “in love,” which any fool can do. Love itself is left over when being in love has burned away, and this both an art and a fortunate accident … to have roots that grow towards each other underground, so that when all the pretty blossom has fallen from your branches you find that you are one tree and not two.”
True Love

True love is brilliant flame
That burns in constancy
And none can dim it's special glow
Or change it's destiny

True love speaks in tender tones
And hears with gentle ears
True love gives with open heart
And true love conquers fear

True love makes no harsh demands
It neither roars nor binds
And true love holds with gentle hands
The heart that it entwines
Apache Blessing

Now you will feel no rain, for each of you will be the shelter for each other. Now you will feel no cold, for each of you will be the warmth for the other. Now you are two persons, but there is only one life before you. Go now to your dwelling place to enter into the days of your life together. And may you days be good and long upon the earth. Treat yourselves and each other with respect, and remind yourselves often of what brought you together. Give the highest priority to the tenderness, gentleness and kindness that your connection deserves. When frustration, difficulty and fear assail your relationship – as they threaten all relationships at one time or another – remember to focus on what is right between you, not only the part which seems wrong. In this way, you can ride out the storms when clouds hide the face of the sun in your lives - remembering that even if you lose sight of it for a moment, the sun is still there. And if each of you takes responsibility for the quality of your life together, it will be marked by abundance and delight.
No Longer Alone

You each have found the love of your life,
The wonderful one you adore,
The one who will share all your dreams and desires,
Your plans, your adventures and more.

Each of you now has a very best friend,
A comforter when things go wrong.
Someone who’ll encourage, cheer and support you,
Help change all your ‘weak’ to your ‘strong’.

Set out today, new partners in life,
Hearts filled, overflowing with pride,
Knowing that now as you face each new day,
There’ll be someone you love by your side.