

Time, the Great Currency

We have made a mistake
The whole human race
Has made a grave error

We trade hours for dollars
We convert time to money
We are told to start early

In our youth
Told to work
Make money

Go to college
To spend our late teens
And early to mid-twenties

Then use our college education
To find a good paying job
So we can pay off our debt

So we can spend our mid to late twenties
And early, mid and late thirties
Working

So we can pay off our debt
That we earned
Learning how to make more money

After spending our best years
We will continue to work
Until retirement

We have reached our "golden" years
We have our hard earned money
Even with millions

Was it worth it?
The thing about time is
We can convert it into anything we want

But we can never convert it back
You
At 65 years old, with pain in your joints

How much would you pay
To be eighteen for a day
With the world before you

And a spring in your step
Ask yourself
One question

Were your dollars worth the time?