

American Hero

She woke up one morning  
The fan spinning above her head  
Next to her one true love  
Intoxicating: can't get out of bed

His dog tags on her dresser  
And a uniform folded on the chair  
A true American hero  
Strength and pride so rare

And then she heard the phone  
It rang, he answered, and she knew  
He had to leave to fight our fight  
Freedom for the red white & blue

We complain, we yell, we scream, and we cry  
But nothing we do here can even compare  
To the war they are fighting over there  
And even though she was sad to see him go  
She knows  
Her man is an American hero

Real Connection

When someone comes along and you don't think twice  
You know they're a permanent addition to your life  
The smiles-- they stay  
Like a radiant sun ray  
The kiss - one of a kind  
His lips always on my mind

When feelings start to come over you fast  
You better hold on and make them last  
The excitement - its real  
Can't explain the way I feel  
His heart - instant connection  
He shows me the meaning of true affection

Can't get over his smile, can't get over his touch  
I'm in for a long ride: buckle up

Dreams

So many things I want to do with this life  
the most cliché, be a good mother and wife  
But a lot of things fall outside that realm  
Some just for me the list might overwhelm

Open a bakery and see it bring smiles  
Hike on a deserted beach for miles and miles  
Be consumed in love and not know what to do  
Except hold someone's hand and see the world view  
Change someone's life a little at a time  
Donate, help them build, don't need to make a dime

Jump off a boat in the middle of the sea  
When all I can see is water- no land around me  
Stay up all night walking around a city  
Make lyrics into a song, something delicate and pretty  
Jumping out of a plane is definitely on my bucket list  
But that's coming up soon not one to be missed

But most of all the thing that I need  
Is to be by friends and family in times of joy and in need  
Because the people you surround yourself with make your life better  
Without them what's the point of being a go getter  
Cause it's all about sharing the joy that you find  
Embrace the adventures and good times leave the troubles behind

New Feelings

The more that I see you, I start to feel something rare  
Like lightning in a bottle: powerful, elusive, a warning flare

Though it seems like a great thing, can't help but be scared  
Your actions show that you care, but feelings hard to be shared

It's true we're all different: I'm competitive, open, and caring  
You're mysterious, a closed book I want to read, and oh so daring

I have never been more intrigued by anyone than I am right now  
And when I see a big smile on your face all I can say is wow

They say lightning doesn't strike the same place twice but on top of the airport I knew  
That lightning and feelings would strike me, every time I look at you

You're Wrong

My body is still in love  
But my soul is here broken  
Wasn't ready to let you go  
But it's time I face the facts  
It really was your last chance  
I'm finally strong & taking a stance

How many times do I have to say you're wrong and I'm leaving  
You've had so many chances to make this right  
So even though I'll think of you always  
And carry you still in my heart  
You're wrong  
And yes, I'm already gone