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You're an inspiration to me more than you know.

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LOVE



Impossible to Forget You



Your hard-chiselled face is all I see
 behind my closed eyelids,
What can I do to make you disappear,
 erase you from my heart and mind?
Forgetting you is impossible.

I suffer yearning for you,
By the couch I watch you chatting,
Butterflies in my stomach flirt and dance
Seeing you happy and never worrying,
And still I yearn for that beautiful mood too,
Forgetting you is impossible.

I loved you right from the start,
You said I'm too reserved and conservative—
you couldn't love me back,
And that I must forget you and carry on,
But how?
Forgetting you is impossible.
Your career and my spirituality come first,
The different paths we walk,
Neither of us willing to change nor compromise,
Yet desiring each other
Forgetting you is impossible.

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You're my desire, my fantasy,
Oh please, don't ask me to move on,
Now, please, tell me:
How I can forget you,
when all I want is you?
Forgetting you is impossible.

The Flame



A flame in my heart,
Burning with fury,
Only you to quench it,
With a similar kind of flame.
A feeling of love in my heart,
Oh now I know,
You are the feeling.

Your eyes oh stranger,
Hold a gaze with a force,
So strong,
Pulling me closer every second,
To the depths of your heart.

Your eyes speak to me,
Hypnotizes me,
In astonishment,
You exult me with your smile, your glimpse.
You belong elsewhere,
I know,
But this moment I want,
Forever to remember us,
Our eyes locked.

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With just a single look I drown,
Into the ocean of my dreams,
I stand lost,
Everything but you blurs,
Your eyes a spell on me.

Way Marks



Beautiful fabrics displayed at the boutique,
By the entrance of the maternal clinic,
A few yards downhill is a carpenter's shop,
Significant structural way marks.

Strange is the closed huge red gate,
To the isolate the small hotel,
Named after May's blossoming flower,
By the end of a narrow murrum road.

Around the bend is the hotel,
But of interest to me is the motel,
To the left of the narrow pathway,
Where we first met that day.

Unknown Charisma



The moment revealed the truth,
Brought the youth out of me,
My instincts telling me to submit,
Yet my brains didn't permit.

At first I decided not to think,
Unblinking looked into those eyes,
So seductive I couldn't resist,
Passion was the only message they communed.

Holding onto you I feel like dancing,
Against your heartbeat's rhythm racing,
Affection heightens within me,
Yet hesitation also strives inside me.

With You



Wondered why it never went right,
I had a picture of him,
The fairy tale man,
He wandered in my dreams,
Giving me sleepless nights,
Wondering where he dwelt,
Before I met you.

Sitting here with you feels right,
Can't trace the beginning nor the end,
Of the long random talk,
Spending time with you is all I want,
Seeing you smile, feeling your touch,
Hearing your voice speak and sing,
My heart flutters and skips a beat.

I feel your electrifying emotions as if they
are my own,
Connected, understood and accepted,
In a way I can't explain,
You long for a long tight hug and kiss,
Your eyes glow in a language only known to
the heart,
And ignite the same emotions deep within me.

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Like mushrooms blossoming in the woods,
Confusing as it feels I know it,
I've felt it before, but this is different,
Sustaining itself in my heart and mind.

Your kiss has kept me radiant,
Your touch electrocutes me,
Your voice is a melody in my heart,
And a memory that won't fade away,
Your look makes me feel like I have known you
forever.

You ask me whether I'm afraid,
I am scared,
Afraid of what happens after today,
Afraid that I might not be what you seek,
Afraid of not being good enough,
Yes, I am terrified,
By the thought of losing you.

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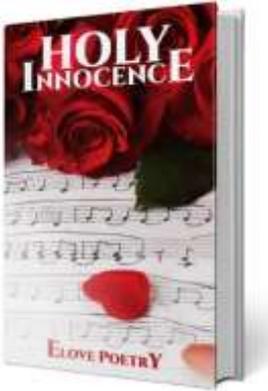
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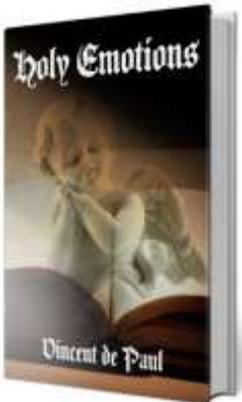
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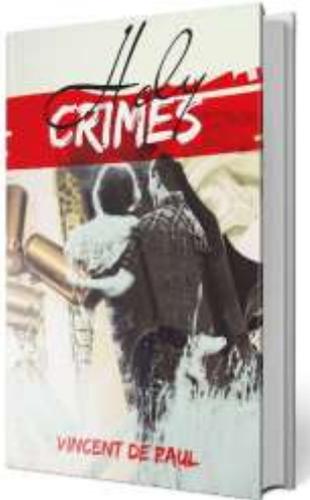
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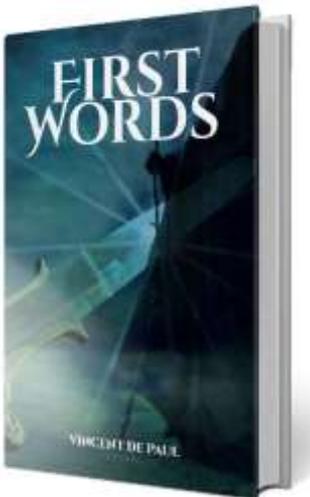
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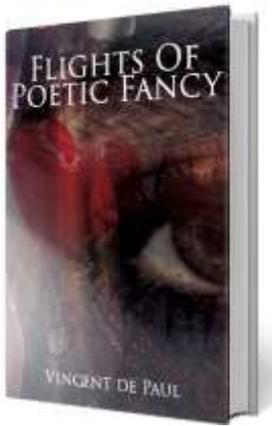
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