

# Love Note

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Good morning my love. I've been missing you. The light shining from your eyes has all but blinded me from seeing anything else but you during these pre-dawn hours. It is cold and quiet here in my lonely world tonight. I put on two blankets during the night but they were useless compared to holding your warm body in my arms. The fan is noisy but it cannot comfort me like the sound of you breathing in your sleep.

When I was young just the thought of you made me float around in heaven just like the thought of you makes me do today. I grew up in a family that didn't show affection. I knew love but it was rarely expressed with words or hugs. Where are you my heart? Why did you go away? When are you coming back? Are you coming back? I'm afraid of being alone in empty houses, they scare me, have sense I was 11 and was left behind on Herber Road. :-

I'm feeling a little blue tonight my love as my past starts to fade from my memories - you're the only one that are always clear in my mind - a comfort to my heart on these cold lonely morning - gone is my fear when you are with me.

I see the places we came from with tired old eyes. There are bright colors I don't remember. I close my eyes and hold you in my arms, always on city sidewalks, on dirt roads, in parked cars, on mountain top, on the ocean, during cold showers, on dance floors, in prison cells.

I Love You Always

Forever + Ever

Your Steve

inside my prison  
darkness and loneliness  
fill my cell  
with old memories  
I stand here along  
in the dark  
behind stone walls  
of true emptiness  
trapped inside my mind  
wanting to run  
back to my youth  
with all its dreams  
with all the hope  
all the laughter  
all the joy  
all the love

my biggest regret  
time I've wasted  
without holding you  
in my arms  
today I wipe away  
all the tears  
that no one  
will ever see

everything is gone now  
including my tears  
including my dreams

including my heart 11-1-17 Steve Burkett