



## Awaken My Heart

It has been so very long  
Since my heart has come to life  
At times, I forgot it was even there  
But the first time we did chat  
I felt it leap and jump and shout  
Now, even to see your name  
I feel my heart glow and pound.

The moment you come in to view  
I want to run to your open arms  
But decorum and reserve,  
They leave me in my stead  
I want to tell you the secrets I have,  
Let you see inside my heart  
But the walls are such a fortress  
I fear you will not see the light.

My darling one I'll take your hand  
As it is offered to a friend  
There will be moments of sadness  
And moments of glee and  
Times of tenderness, too  
But through ever tear every smile  
Every laugh and every sigh  
Your hand in mine will give us  
Strength to walk, to run, to be.

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