

To Have and to Hold

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**We fell in love on a magical day
With sparks and flutters that flew our way
It took us by complete surprise
With amazing wonder we're brought alive**

**At a time when our lives were falling apart
You awakened my soul and stole my heart
Gave me something I thought I had lost
Then took my heart to gently defrost**

**In the midst of stress and great despair
I awoke to discover that you were there
You took my heart to claim as yours
How? I can't explain. I have no words**

**Within your hands I gave you me
The part of me that the world can't see
I trusted you with my inner soul
To discover me and all I know**

**Within my hands you gave me you
The part of you that no one knew
To trust me with your inner soul
And discover you and all you know**

**Until death do we part was never read
No vows or commitments were ever said
But we know, oh we knew, how could we not know?
Forever bonded, yours and my souls**

**I reached to you with a tender hug
To give you a gift, the gift of my love
I feel your love as you hug me too
This love was destined for just us two**

**Once in a lifetime and it was given to us
Just once in a lifetime to feel such love
To connect, to bond, to never let go
Until death do we part to have and to hold.**