

## Children's Corner

### Everything Same, Yet different..



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The sun rose as usual, a new day had come  
Yet the world came to a halt without you mum  
It was the same everything yet everything seemed so new  
And I did not like the change because it did not have you!  
Appetite was lost, sleep seemed far away  
I knew days like this were now to stay.

The smiles transformed to tears, despair filled the heart,  
Nothing seemed appealing without you; it was difficult to make a new start.  
Everything was same – the house, farm, food, surroundings – with you where the  
times I'd spent

But your absence made the same everything so different  
It took me years to forget that day

The day that drew us apart – that took you away  
To come to terms with reality, to wipe my own tears,  
It wasn't easy for me – it really took me years.

And now when I somehow got used it, I have to start my again life  
I have to leave all this too; I have to relive the pain;  
I have to go far away and make a name for me

To climb the steps to success just like you wanted it to be  
I have to leave the comfort of home and its memories attached with you  
The world seems a mirage – sometimes pitch dark becomes the view.

Slowly and steadily, I'm climbing the stairs to success  
But the void left by your absence is the same nevertheless  
This time when everything's different – the surroundings, the people, the views  
They seem the same to me – 'unappealing' without you

The sun still rises, the day still starts  
But nothing ever seemed to admonish the pain in my heart.  
Today I'm all that you wanted me to be  
Only if now you could see me.....

Tears well up in my eyes but they do not flow  
Earlier it was your shoulder, now they have nowhere to go.  
If you can see me now, see that I'm miserable without you  
I hardly smile now – the reasons are few.

I have no one to care for me, to tell what I ought to do now  
Wish I could bring back that time, wish I could bring you back somehow.

I miss you, each second in my thoughts you are  
I can still feel you around though you are among the stars.  
If you can see me now, please come and wrap your arms around  
Ever since you've gone, no solace I've found  
I'm all that you wanted me to be.

I miss you 'Amma'..... wish only if you could see me!