

# **INTO RENEWAL**

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Dedicated to Brandy,  
I'm glad you came into my life.

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## INTRODUCTION:

These poems were written after the death of my first wife early in 2002. They represent the awakening that I began to experience in 2004 when the pain was no longer quite as strong as it had been. My hope is that you'll find a few favorites of your own that you'll treasure and share with others.

## SOUL SENSE

A city calls out to me  
From beyond an endless sea  
Through both time and space  
Heart beginning to race  
Once a hidden element  
Caught in the sudden moment

A world beyond my reach  
Yet a lesson to teach  
Images coalesce and mingle  
Senses beginning to tingle  
Of the hidden entity within  
Caught in the sudden din

A chorus of sound calling  
Thoughts kept in their hiding  
Beyond the realm of vision  
Soul beginning on a mission  
Hidden deeply for so long  
Until caught up in the song

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## PASSAGES

Walking across the shadows of the night  
She reaches into my dreams on passing light  
Dancer on the edge of dreams each sleep  
Where I reside in the castle's hidden keep  
Wishes and dream become one entity  
As my soul once again seeks to be free

Taking her hand each time I travel now  
My vision caught up in the nightly vision  
Of a souls passage into the evening flow  
Calling out to my life's simple passion  
Joining again with one another soul  
Once again seeking to be a whole

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## TIME PASSAGES

Time in a spiral around me  
Elements of you in what I see  
Walls coming down all around me  
Allowing me to finally see

Missing part of my soul in need  
Towards new ends my heart always leads  
Dancing always in the distance  
A vision out of reach seems to prance  
Reaching out my spirit today  
To touch a projection on the way

On enchanted twilight journey's  
Where I am always seeking to be  
Essence of every single want  
Every element it seems to haunt  
Extends out beyond my essence  
Seeking to coalesce with that presence

Passages of time come and go  
While I seek what I wish to know  
Letting my mind begin to grow  
With my emotions beginning to flow

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