

# The Ardent Optimist

## Across The Sun

Since infancy a void  
Has plagued my existence  
Attempts to disregard such anguish  
Only magnified the hollowness

So many years  
Have came and went  
Without a single trace of you  
This half a man, with half my heart  
Who I've been searching for  
Since I could walk

And still I hold on  
To faith that we shall meet again  
I'll stay forever strong  
Until the day I find  
Where I belong

This broken child  
Collapses forth  
In desperation  
Come in, make this life complete  
And stay forever more

The memory of you now  
Seems like fading moments  
Passing by  
Like senseless dreams  
That beg to wake me  
From my comatose reality

Disposed of precious love  
As though none was ever needed  
Addiction over blood  
The time has come to rectify  
What you have done

This passage is the fruition  
Of a life confession through song  
Reaching out, holding on to the hope  
That you will make me whole