

## Deep Winter

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The setting sunlight fades and once again I'm lonely  
You're here beside me yet a thousand miles away  
So as I pray for sleep that I might wake up only  
To find it's all been just a dream, a big mistake, a 're-take'

Now the hourglass of time is still  
Catatonic on the window sill  
Frozen solid by the winds that chill you and me

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We both have nothing left to say  
Lost in deep winter - broken down, decayed  
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We used to laugh and cry, it felt so natural to me  
It seemed the springtime in your eyes could melt the day  
A frozen hearted trace of words that mattered to me  
Became the resting-place for all that passed away between us

I confess it has an irony  
Neither of us where we planned to be  
On reflection, I can clearly see you and me

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