

## Victim Of Circumstance

Elegy

Sadly his mother watches helplessly,  
as her child demolishes the very fabric she believes in.  
Catching an occasional glimpse, she remembers with great pain,  
the anguish she felt, as the memories from her past re-appear.  
Frustration turns to confused anger.  
She still can't come to terms with the fact  
that her husband took his own life.  
"Why", she asks herself, "why didn't he tell me?  
Why couldn't anybody lend him a helping hand?"  
All the while her son is silently crying out for help.

Intro

Looking back in time,  
Without consent.  
two lovers ran away  
A tragic tale, so often made  
So sad and destined to fail

They're in and out of every place  
Searchin' hard a sad disgrace  
At best a darkened room, without a view  
Those memories, still remain  
Never once did she complain  
Now time repeats itself, all over again

What he did, was insane  
Sadly his own life he'd take  
And you've been left to face the guilt, alone

Just try to remember  
He was a victim of circumstance  
Close your eyes, try to recall  
The strength you felt  
Now, is the time to be stronger  
Than you've ever been before  
Bury all your anguish and fear, you're not to blame

Don't analyze, come to terms  
Face the truth, don't turn away  
Where there's a will, there has to be a way  
Into the world, your child came  
Responsibility or shame  
He backed away from you, don't lose him again

You're not alone! you've got to be stronger