## The Way It Is With Love

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Inside of every heart, there is a seed My mama watered mine, and raised me to be A rose, a rose, or some greater thing Mama, you're beautiful to me

Oh my Daddy, I want you to know Your little, baby girl became that rose The bloom, the bloom blushed deeper red With every drop of sacrifice you bled

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I have a vision, a hope and a dream I see a hill, across a healing stream Where the Rose arose, to set us free And the Cross became a family tree

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Circle of God comes around And turns us into special things, somehow And one day we'll hold little flowers of our own And we'll sacrifice so that they can grow

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