

# Still My Bleeding Heart

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A child to a boy  
From a boy to a man  
Pride growing stronger  
Reaching his victories

He speaks no lies  
He fights his cause  
He judges not the scavengers  
That persecute humanity

Fate does call  
And the sickness falls  
Lights of life dim down  
Fear like an alien comes to view  
But with words like the mountains

I'll die like a soldier in your arms  
My will enduring till the pain is gone  
Then he looked into his lover's eyes and he cried  
In the name of love  
Still my bleeding heart  
For the love of God  
Still my bleeding heart

His chin he held high  
And the courage in his voice  
Was like the burning of the sun  
But like the breath of an angel

How could this be  
I had to scream  
Why this innocent young boy  
Must suffer so helplessly

But who am I  
To challenge God  
In the ways of the world  
Remain divine mystery

I crumble down  
On my hands and knees  
While his words fill the air  
As he looks into his destiny

I'll die like a soldier in your arms  
I will be brave so you can be strong  
And then he looked into his lover's eyes and he cried  
In the name of love  
Still my bleeding heart  
For the love of God  
Still my bleeding heart

And he died like a soldier in his lover's arms  
Brave as a hero in a blood red war  
And his final words as he reached for the stars

In the name of love

Still my bleeding heart  
Be well my love  
Still my bleeding heart