

# Things I Wish I'd Said

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You lay there fighting for each breath  
While angels hovered 'round your bed  
With open arms like God's own smile  
They led you to the light

What a battle you have won  
And now your journey has begun  
To the land where spirits fly  
And your soul will never die

So travel lightly in my heart  
You and I will never part  
And far beyond this world we see  
There's a place for you and me

And I thank my lucky stars  
We had a chance to heal our scars  
Now I don't have to hang my head  
Over things I wish I'd said

So here am I your only son  
I'm thinking back on work we've done  
You were strong and I was young  
Man we had our fights

And everything I felt for you  
Has been turned to something new  
And this is love I feel today  
It will never go away

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You and I will never part  
Far beyond this world we see  
There's a place for you and me

And I thank the moon and stars  
We had a chance to heal our scars  
Now I don't have to hang my head  
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I don't have to hide my tears  
I don't have to drown my fears  
And I don't have to hang my head  
Over things I wish I'd said

No, I don't have to live in dread  
Over things I wish I'd said