

Blind
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I wish I'd seen it in you,
The way your eyes looked in distress,
Your demons shining through,
Your expressions in a mess.

The way your head looked tired,
Your shoulders hunching low.
The way you looked so drained,
And emotion didn't flow.

I wish I'd seen it in you,
Sadness filled your face.
The way you looked so blue,
Now you're in a better place.

I knew that you were struggling.
I thought you were in a fight.
I didn't know you were at war,
I would have given all my might.

I wish I'd seen it in you,
the battle going on.
I would have fought beside you,
And helped you right your wrongs.

If it were possible,
I would have taken on your pain.
Then maybe it wouldn't hurt so much,
Each time I hear your name.

I wish I'd seen it in you,
The longing for release.
I would have begged for you to stay.
I'd have fallen on my knees.

I didn't see it in you,
So, you stole tomorrow,
You left it all behind,
Especially, your sorrow.