

A Mother's Love

I run to you, I run around
But each time I find you, you tear me down.
I run to you, I run so fast
But when I find you, I get a look so vast.
I know your hurt, I feel your pain
I want to make you well again.
I hurt too, so much you don't know
But we must keep moving, must reap what we sow.
I want my boy back, need him so bad
How do we get back to what we once had?
I need my child to be ok
I want you back here with me some day.
You were so very close to having it all
I don't understand, how could you let yourself fall?
You were so high, so much better than the past
Why couldn't you hold on? Why couldn't it last?
I say each time, "That's all I can take"
But as your mother, that's not a move I could make.
You are my baby, my heart & my soul
I must believe that again someday, you'll be whole.
And you'll come home to me as the boy that I knew
Just please know always, no matter what, I LOVE YOU!

~ Kelley Stout