

## Today we parted

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Omission as lies  
Nature corrupted by shame  
Hope poisoned by habit

Trust in tatters  
Assaulted by life  
Bathed by tears  
Never to return absolutely

Reconciliation sought  
A heart that can't retain anger  
A head that forgives but not forgets  
A life in peril but does not know it

A duty that must be respected  
A love that suffers ill  
A choice that should never be enacted  
A wound that will not heal

Time will provide an answer  
History does not lie  
Peace bought by blindness  
Faith the hapless victim