

## **ODE TO TALI**

YOU ARE MY BEAUTIFUL GIRL  
MY PRECIOUS GRANDCHILD  
AND YOU WILL ALWAYS ALWAYS BE  
FOREVER MORE

I FEEL THE WARMTH OF YOUR HUG  
I HEAR YOUR LAUGHTER  
YOU'RE IN MY HEART  
YOU'RE IN MY SOUL  
FOREVER MORE

YOU FELL ILL SO VERY ILL  
ALL THAT PAIN AND SUFFERING  
THREE TO FOUR YEARS OLD  
YOU BORE THE PAIN UNTOLD  
YOUR BEADS OF BRAVERY SHOWED ALL  
HOW BRAVE YOU WERE

WHEN YOU CAME HOME AGAIN  
FROM ALL THE TREATMENT  
WE PRAYED THAT YOU WERE BACK AGAIN  
FOREVER MORE

BUT SO SUDDENLY THEN  
WITH SUCH A VENGEANCE  
THE PAIN RETURNED AND WE WERE TOLD  
IT WOULD NOT END

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I HEAR YOUR LAUGHTER  
YOU'RE IN MY HEART  
YOU'RE IN MY SOUL  
FOREVER MORE

YOU ARE MY BEAUTIFUL GIRL  
MY special ANGEL  
AND YOU WILL ALWAYS ALWAYS BE  
FOREVER MORE

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