

FOREVER MY BABY

The new moon sang the stars awake.
The sun rose for the first time,
And everything I thought I knew was changing.
With gurgling sighs, tiny fingers clutching my thumb,
The laws of chemistry made music,
There on the day you were born.

Now, I will love you forever,
As wide as the sky, as deep as the sea.
Longer than starlight may tumble from heaven,
Forever my baby you'll be.

Children blindly leading children,
Desperately pretending
A dance of nursery rhymes and fairytales will somehow work out fine.
But stone-faced lawyers write the words to a tune nobody understands.
And Childhood tries to fake a melody
And find a harmony alone.

But I will love you forever,
Though broken and blind and singing off-key
No fallen angel can turn down the light
Forever my baby you'll be.

You duck and weave. You spin. You're grown,
With little babies of your own.
You slowly find a voice so clear and strong, singing how
Shattered dreams won't understand how life will not abide a plan,
We take the punches and we roll,
Forgive and do the best that we can.

And I will love you forever
Though spirit may melt away like tears in the sea
(You'll) Still find it shining down like starlight from heaven.
Forever my baby you'll be.