

Capital Letters

I want to be the dialogue in your heart,
The voice which you will hear
And be healed or... be high
Even if you are low or slow

I want that voice to deepen
Our understanding of the melody
Of life and love, the serenading
Of thoughts, feelings and emotions

I want to be your favorite part,
The amount which no amount
Of money or wealth can buy—
The part that is in your heart

I want to be the right punctuation--
Your punctuation, not infatuation
Whose bud blooms in my imagination
I want be the wise words of destination

I want you not only to teach me
What to say but how to say them
For your loving words are framed
In quotation marks and capital letters

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