

*A Tear*

*As I walk along this sidewalk,  
Completely full of snow,  
I watch the snowflakes tumble down  
Upon the ground so low.  
My feet, they make no noise.  
It's almost like I'm not here.  
But it's because of plain old ignorance  
That no one notices my tear.*

*It's a tear that froze forever,  
On my timeless face.  
Just like the icicles around me,  
Intricate like lace.*

*Some say it's from lost love  
Or perhaps a dear lost friend,  
Or maybe it's from all this hate  
This world can't seem to mend.  
But no, it's just one tear  
One single solitary tear  
That simply says I'm sad from what  
The whole world lets me hear.*

*Everyday I hear someone say  
We need love and peace.  
Dressed like hippies, in the Sixties,  
with their awarity decreased.  
They talk of freedom, love for all,  
While they glorify their past,  
instead they should be thinking of  
How to make our future last.*

*How can we feed the children  
On the seeds of yesterday,  
How can we save tomorrow  
When we can't face today.*

*In the spring the snow will melt  
Giving way to warmer days,  
But the tear remains forever,  
Staining my young face.*

George Donovan

*Millstone*

*Turning the page to begin again  
Trying to bare my heart by the strokes of my pen  
Will you finally comprehend  
The passion within*

*I wish to submit to your heart  
But the paradox tears me apart*

*Turning away from the stolen pen  
Star Hanger, will you believe again  
Perhaps when that has come  
You'll see what I'm running from*

*I wish to submit to your heart  
But the paradox tears me apart*

*Breaking the silence with cries too shrill  
Am I aware of your own will  
Who are you and what am I?  
I bear a millstone tied too tight*

*I wish to submit to your heart  
But the paradox tears me apart*

Jason Richard

*Lament*

*Lost in time, trying to survive.  
Broken-hearted, just barely alive.  
Wondering what I did, what to  
do?  
Knowing that I lost you.*

*I think about you day and night,  
How can you say this isn't  
right?  
I know it's hard, but we have to  
try.  
I don't want our love to die.*

*Seeing your face every night in  
my dreams  
Is tearing me apart, at the seams.  
I don't know what to do, what to  
say.*

*I just want the pain to go away*

*And for the love to return  
And for the passion to once  
again burn.  
Between us there was a spark, a  
flame.  
It wasn't just a game.*

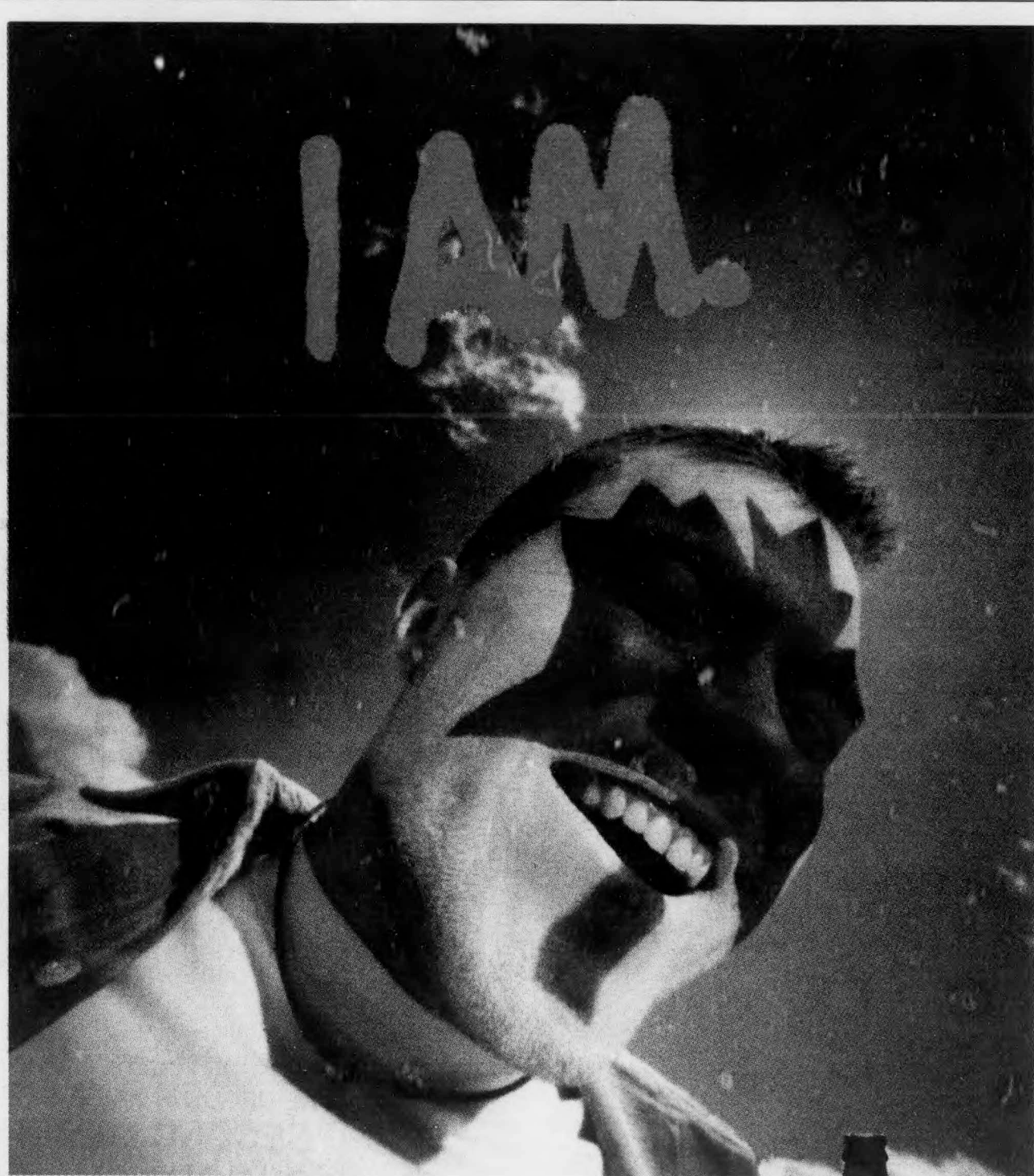
*It was true, it was real.  
I can't ignore what I feel.  
Please don't ask me to go  
Our love is all I know.*

*I want for us to once again be  
one  
And for this painful separation  
to be done  
To feel your loving kiss  
Your warm, tender touch is  
what I miss.*

*You were so sweet and gentle  
Care and affection, your heart  
was full*

*But I know that's all gone  
It's the beginning of a new dawn*

*I still feel your presence every  
day  
There are so many words I need  
to say  
For my passion and love are so  
true  
Sweetheart, Baby, please, I love  
you.  
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**CANADIAN**

