

Love's Union

In the deepest of dark, in the cruelest of cold
Love's light keeps glowing, its story must be told
As the winter breeze freezes our hands and our toes
We know a place where we can find warmth for our souls

When the sirens keep screaming, when the anger still roars
Love's faith gives comfort, its strength can end wars
If we watch that small box, it seems there's no escape
World news sparks fear of confinement and a sense of hate

If a child cries for help, if a child fears the night
Love's songs can uplift, its spirit helps us do what is right
So, every day as the sun rises, and hot cocoa nips our tongues
We are glad we have a place of magic to fill our hearts and our lungs

In this zone, love has no limit, like flying doves or a million suns
Love's beauty will amaze us, our bright future has just begun
So no matter the conditions, we learn to make our way
The love and support you give us help us achieve for what we prayed

Along with our friends, the beloved scholars we know are the best
Love's union provides us with all the factors of success
So hear our tears of joy after long days of work and our laughter too
This love would not be in us if it wasn't for you



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