

For The Lady

Here is a song written long ago in those "early days" that was the outcome of a great many long conversations with a dear friend named Doris - about relationships, loves lost, and getting over past mistakes. Composed back in my college days, it wasn't properly written down nor recorded until much later. Still I'm grateful to her for giving her time and lending an ear to me then - and I'll remember her always. You can learn more about Doris in my poetry section.

One of the themes of the song is that she gives her love to everything - and everyone - equally. Her friendship was total, and her genuine concern for everyone always inspired me. Sometimes we can get caught up in love relationships and we can become so isolated socially that we don't have the time or the compassion to look out for those around us who might need a long talk or a shoulder to lean on. This lady taught me such a valuable lesson - one that I've had to relearn over the years - but each time I learn it again, I smile and remind myself to always save a moment of love - "For The Lady".

~ John