OUR BOND

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Did you hear me cry out to you
In the night? Like the mighty lion
Would roar for her mate
Did you hear my plaintive sighs
Just as the ocean's soft waves
Rush to caress the silver sand

Did you taste the salt in my tears

As I realize you were only

A dream

A mirage

A reflection

Out of my reach

Taste my love for you

Let me quench your thirst

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Do you speak to me, my love
And I do not listen
Do you understand
Your fears
Your fear of the light dawning
In your life

Your fear of hurting me
Oh my love, I want to
Open those cold steel shutters
That are your eyes and ears
I plead that you open them
To my love, and let me
Gently caress your pain
Let me soothe your loving heart
And make you whole again