

## Rejection and Failure

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are guiding lights.

### For my Love

I conquered worlds for you

presented unimaginable riches to you  
you were not moved

Again I departed with my armies

I laid bare ancient civilisations for you  
in myriad worlds for you  
But you were not moved

I gathered exotic perfumes, living treasures, countless slaves  
from every corner of the universe for you  
yet you remained unmoved

I surrendered my strength and armies  
to you  
and laid bare my soul to you  
you were not moved

I tore out my heart for you  
and sacrificed my mind to you  
still  
you remained unmoved

I went alone  
one last time  
to find a gift for you

bereft of heart, mind and soul  
without armies, clothes or thought  
I turned inward  
and discovered one last treasure  
a gift from you

A swirling shaft of light with seven spinning jewels  
I returned to you

You smiled, embraced me  
and took me to you.

Now I give my best to you  
I dance, sing and play for you  
I write verse for you alone

You are well pleased,  
my Love

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