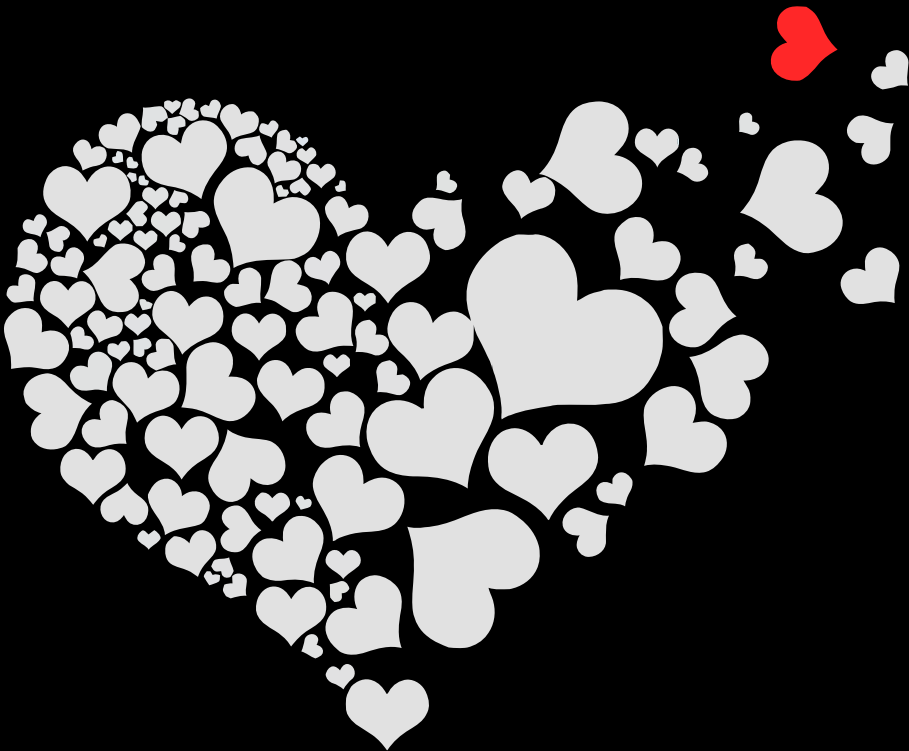
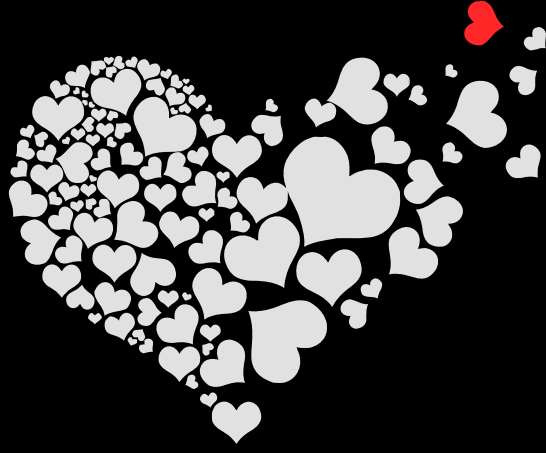


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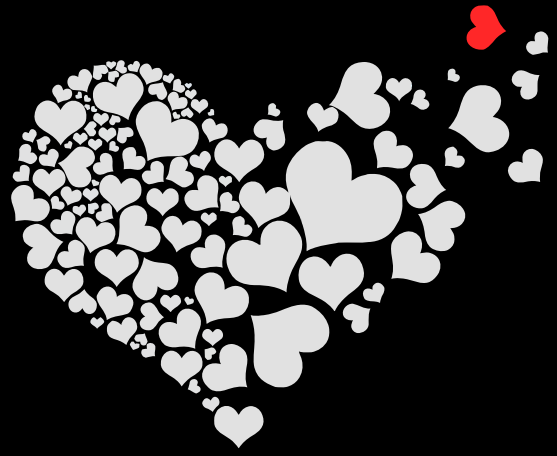
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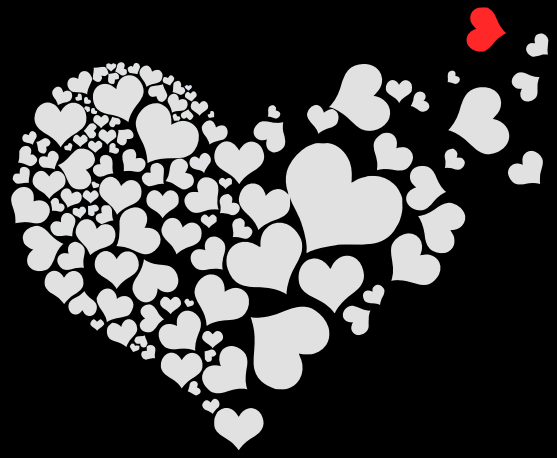
In thy beguile eyes, I see a cavernous Ghazal
of an unsought and a woeful tryst.
Thy mind does show some Amal
yet it remains covered in thy past's mist.





Every line of this Ghazal bleeds sorrow
like dewdrops in the morning bloom
vaporise into the sky of the warm morrow.
O thy eyes! Thou art an epitome of gloom.





Tears of severance hover above every word
in the Ghazal of unsung minstrelsy
and the doleful melodies that went unheard.
Thou art a commix of tragedy and love's fantasy.

O Aphrodite! How can I portray how thou art?
Thou maketh one dream to break his heart!

