**You Touched My Inner Soul**

The Clarity you gave to me,  
It shone like Angel rays,  
Like water rushed on golden sands,  
And crashed along the bays.  
  
The questions deep within my heart,  
Confused my humble mind,  
Yet when you spoke your words aloud  
It seemed, no longer I was blind.  
  
The answers all came flooding in,  
They touched my inner soul,  
The knowledge that you gave to me  
Within my heart I hold.  
  
I understood that the events  
That troubled me somehow,  
Was nothing to be frightened of,  
Instead I should be Proud.  
  
I Thank You Sir most graciously,  
These words I say aloud,  
For the Clarity you've given me,  
Has made me feel quite proud.

**My Teacher**

I asked her,  
Why are you so gentle?   
And she answered,   
To make you peaceful!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so friendly?   
And she answered,   
So that you learn friendship!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so concerned about me?  
And she answered,  
So that you learn to care!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so polite?   
And she answered,   
So that you learn politeness!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so encouraging?   
And she answered,   
So that you gain confidence!   
I asked her,  
Why are you so tolerant?   
And she answered,   
So that you learn to be patient!  
I asked her,  
Why do you forgive me every time?   
And she answered,  
To make you realize the value of forgiveness!  
I asked her,   
Why are you so faithful?  
And she answered,   
So that you learn to trust!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so positive?  
And she answered,   
So that you learn to seek hope!  
I asked her,  
Why are you so perfect?   
And she answered,  
To make you perfect!   
Then I asked her  
Why are you leaving me?  
And smiling, she answered,   
So that you become independent!  
Angrily, I asked her,  
Why did you allow me to develop an unbreakable, eternal bond with you?  
And she answered,   
So that you have someone to share your problems with! 