

Very well.

Here's a little story in my terms.

Once, upon a time...

A boy met a girl in Coorg, and they fell in love.

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Firstly as I recall, *You & I*, well there was no *You & I* because of the professional situation around us.

I'm not sure what your deal is, but you surely make me a better person and you always have my back.

What more I can ask for?

I think us, our thing, it definitely goes beyond just work.

I can let my guard down in front of you.

That is not something I do with anyone else, including my birth mother.

You make me, vulnerable.

If it's any consolation to your pride, it appears to me that it makes you too vulnerable.

You, you are selfless to a nauseating degree.

Nowadays our fight are like something out of a action movie.

I agree that we don't share many common interests & we are different people, but I love that about us.

I love that you're little messy and that you cares so much about your dumb sleep, food & you don't get stressed out about you getting old.

So potato, po-tah-to.

Well, I know you like our partnership much better when I do all the work and you're the fun, irresponsible one.

You know, it made me realize something.

All of that School/PU/College drama that you missed out on the gossip, the hallway crushes, dances, I'm ready to give all of that.

If you and I dance, it will be the first time I'll ever realize you are the girl I want to dance all my dances with.

You wanted the truth & you deserve the truth, but right now I can't show it to you, so I'm just gonna have to tell you.

It's all true of me with you.

I've had literal eons to come to terms with what you see in me.

But it's not all that I am.

At least I hope not.

Nobody was my first love till I met you.

It's you.

It always have been you.

Between heaven and hell, there's an imperfect place.

Our place, here on earth.

That's where we first met.

One who finds the best in each other and other who can fight about everything.

But we understood each other, and together we, in this imperfect place, we created something that might actually be perfect.

US...

I know that at some point you became convinced that you were unworthy of love & I look forward to spending the rest of my time **poofing** you wrong.

If recent fights are any indication then I am sure that there's going to be a lot of bumps along the way.

But, as I stand in front of you today strongly, I promise you that I will never, ever give up on you.

Because you, are everything to me.

You're the best partner I have ever had in all my life & I can only hope that you can count on me as much as I can count on you.

So, Indeed you're very special for me.

I'm not exactly sure what I'm doing here so late, but I imagine it's something to do with the fact that I wasn't on time today.

And the truth is I believe timing is everything.

And even though it was for a very good reason, I didn't tell you because last time on this day, there were some very unpleasant feelings involved for both of us.

And, well, I didn't want to dredge any of those up again.

So, I bluffed.

But I've come to realize that perhaps bluffing is the same as lying and that's, as you know, something I never want to do.

Especially to you.

And this is impeccable timing.

You've been just in time for your wish.

Well, forgive my tardiness, but I thought it prudent to deliver your wish in this way.

So, ah , happy 25th birthday.!!