## **Dear Sister...**

There is this world beyond your eyes.

A world where we rule.

A world where anything is possible.

A world you simply can't see

A world full of possibilities

Can you or have you imagined that?

Those endless nights where my soul would linger for the answer

When will you realise the truth?

When will the harsh winds go?

When will the flowers bloom?

When will mankind realise that anything is possible?

Those warm moments I spent with you went by within a flash of lightning.

Time is ticking way too fast now you leave me.

Even though you're on the same earth as me

You and me we're destined to be together.

Why why this isolation, when will our shadows meet?

These questions make my heart race until I find the answer

Why are you so close to me yet so far?

Your duty calls, your duty calls

But I don't know if fate can reunite us

You will still be with me through the world beyond your eyes

The day I met you was the day we were both separated

The title of sisters was ripped apart from both of us

But still in my world

There is a place we can go and escape!

Reality is not in support of us, reality was never really sweet

It was bittersweet

We both had ups and downs, a line is drawn between us both.

But I will make my fantasy a reality

We both share the same blood that runs through mine and vour veins

Even if it didn't, you are my sister

I have a shoulder for you to lean on throughout your ups and downs as I am your sister

Throughout my life, I will have you and you will have me

A single smile from you can light up the dark sky

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And a single laugh will make rain fall on dry land.

That's the power you hold in my world so let's escape together.

Maybe your eyes can see my world, maybe you will realise.

So, let us go and rewrite the stars, the stars of fate.

There is this one faint memory that keeps me alive.

It goes back to those days at the beach, do you remember? Those were our last days before our separation.

You and I would have a race to the shore, treading along as grains of sand got stuck to our feet.

The faint sounds of your laughter would make a smile rise upon my face.

As the waves collided and as you jumped and splashed, making the salty droplets splash Everywhere.

And that's when I gave you the locket, you glared at me and then snatched it off me playfully, your delicate hands swirled around the marble.

And engraved in silver was mine and your names.

The sunlight glistened on it making it seem like a lost gem.

And when you opened the locket, your eyes enlarged, and a smile formed on your face.

Inside was a portrait hand drawn by me, it was you and me. I wonder if you still have it.

I know that you might not have it as you have such an important duty of ruling this kingdom.

Even though I am thought to be below you.

Thought to be a disgrace just because I don't own the same wealth, I am your sister... right?

But in my world, a single beat of your heart is worth more than any riches you can imagine of.

Maybe you will understand, I am sure that day is still to come.

Until then I will keep you safe in a world that's beyond your eyes...

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