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## **Unmindful Death**

Undesired death! You are a revealer

Oft, thou art a healer

For days you slyly spied

In haste shoved me to last ride

Moments of joy you stole

To gift grief to kins, beyond control.

Unjust death! Wasn't I wrapped in love
Nipped early, Why untold? How?
Shattered hearts wailing aloud
All my hues merge in shroud
No smile, no pain today I fake
Sorrow, unlived dreams, with me I take.

Unquestionable death! My soul sojourns with you

To a world untrodden, distant and new

Quietly I depart with you forever

A new beginning for all, however.

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## The Doyen

She is naïve Spontaneously sweet Even if you rave Rarely would she tweet. Loaded with love and care twitched face is a rare Summit of patience Miffed, she'll spring with resilience. A worthy confidant Manages every truant When dumped she renounces Insulted she bounces. But her fate always swings From father to husband to son or kins With clipped wings. raped, slaughtered, Harassed Sans love in obligation trapped Killed bodily, choked tenderly Abused emotionally, tormented lovingly And SILENCED ...daily. Every woman has grit of iron, Grace to silently be a doyen.

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