

## ALWAYS YOU

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1. Running 'round the tree trunk in our childhood . . .  
Thrill me as we leaned into our teens . . .  
Wanted you forever in our adolescence . . .  
Chemistry goin' wild 'neath the scenes.
2. Always knew when we were six or seven  
we'd be mates until forever's end.  
Never even gave it a second thought then,  
knew you'd always be my lifetime best friend.

**BRIDGE 1:** And as we grew to full-grown stature,  
how our love bonded and grew;  
chemistry and mystery mixed with passion,  
in ways, back then, we never knew.

### [TURNAROUND]

3. Who'd have thought when we were spunky youngsters,  
pickin' black-eyed Susans on the hill;  
blowin' fairies in the wind from dandelions spent —  
in 50 years we'd be doin' it still.

**BRIDGE 2:** And as our love became our children,  
a living pattern carried on,  
just like us, spawned out of life's mysteries,  
regenerating when we're gone

4. Playing in the backyard swimming pool through summer,  
water no more than two-feet deep.  
But it was our dream-come-true, our haven in heaven,  
among rich joys in memory we could keep.
5. Oh, beautiful life, with no regrets, only fondness,  
and not a thing that I'd undo.  
Oh, the marvel of destiny in our oneness —  
half of my whole life made of you.

### [INSTRUMENTAL, CARRY OUT TO END]

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