

Dad

You're a big part of my life and I think about you every day
About the things you used to do and things you used to say
I'm overwhelmed with love, respect and such an aching loss
That you're not here to cheer me on and yet you are because

You're in my genes and in my heart and when I'm feeling sad
Sometimes you're in my mirror: I can see you in me Dad.
You never took the limelight but were always centre-stage
With laughs and jokes and singing songs of a forgotten age

You always had a kindly word for everyone you met
I wish I could be like you though I haven't made it yet.
You were the heart and soul of things everywhere you'd go
You're still the heart and soul of me, I really hope you know

If love brings life eternal then you are forever more
Living in our hearts and memories of times before
If goodness is the key then you're in the vast somewhere
Still with me every day until I'd hope to join you there

Singing with the angels, free from stress and pain
I hope it's true; what I would do to hug you once again.
I miss you more than you can know and cherish all we had
You really were the greatest and I'll always love you Dad