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Just because someone stops loving you doesn't mean you have to stop loving them

I will always love you

Because

I hand out pieces of my heart like party favors

Thank you for coming into my life—here take this

A unique and special piece of me chosen specifically for you

It's an open invitation, all are welcome

To the girl I flew to the moon with every day on the swings in third grade Here—for you

To the boy who turned my backyard into an ever changing landscape of adventure

Please—for you

To all who have since left my party

You still have pieces of me that I will remember you by

So, to the boy who first told me I was beautiful and worthy and enough

Who has since gone to many other parties and received many other goodie bags

I hope—you tuck mine away somewhere safe

That when you need to be reminded that you are beautiful and worthy and enough

You can take it out and listen as it gently whispers all the things you need to hear

All the things a heart can never forget