

Teachings with time

You were there from day one
Always on the sideline cheering me on
Always there to fix my mistakes and to solve my problems

From the bike to the driver's seat
You taught me it all
For that I am grateful
As now I stand tall

For 17 years you held my hand and never let go
Until now
Now the sidelines are empty
No one to cheer me on
I watched as they took you away
and I wondered what went wrong

I think back to the memories we shared
Preserving every second I can
You always had the solutions
Without you I am lost
I am grateful for the years we shared
Yet am sorrowful we can't have more

I know you still hold my hand
Although I can't see
You are watching me grow everyday
Cheering me on
Although I can't hear

The pain is inevitable
Yet it keeps me going
I work to preserve your legacy
To make you proud

I take you with me every step of the way
Grateful for you having paved me this way