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## The Peace You Deserve

So many years passed by in waiting
It took so much time to work up the nerve
To make a move is what I've been anticipating
I've wanted to give you the peace you deserve

I went and saw your parents today
I drove all that distance
I travelled all that way
To get them to abide my insistence

Over cups of coffee we spoke
I explained who I was in a calm tone
They thought it was a joke
But I said things only you could have known

Their response was full of hate
They said I was just as lost
That you were damned by our first date
That there was a line we both crossed

They told me to leave I pleaded to let me take you off that shelf They said I had no right to grieve As much as I could I lowered myself

I begged to set you free With their bigoted reasoning I was amazed I pleaded from down on one knee From my "evil" they'd keep the son they raised

It ended with "Leave or I'll call the police"
I won't get to lay you to rest where we used to camp
With all my conviction I left them in peace
Out the door and my cheeks were soon damp

Someday I'll be able to give you the peace you deserve Until the day I die, your memory I will preserve