## **Finish Line**

From an early age

I knew it was a race

A race with rules yet to learn

Start the race with the shoes you have on

Hey, I ask, did I complete my first lap

The race continues

Now rules take shape, some tripping,

others putting on cleats, the race continues

Hey, I ask, did I complete my 2<sup>nd</sup> lap?

What's the rules about falling in love, now a 3-leg race

Perfect match'

Hey, I ask, did we complete lap 3?

The race has become serious, the race requires planning,

**not** the race of earlier years

Where's the finish line

Hey, I ask, those so close are leaving the race,

was that their finish line?

No longer counting laps, counting blessings as we near that finish line...

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