



A Winter's Valentine

Fuji's now wrapped in a mantle of snow
While farmers wait idly for springtime to sow,
And trees that once were so verdant and green
Now linger through winter, lifeless it seems.

Fog rolls in daily and covers the ground
Where daisies and tulips once greatly abound,
And birds that once flourished along rivers and ponds
Migrated south before autumn was gone.

Cherry blossoms too, the pride of the land
Waits ever so patiently for God's helping hand,
For winter is long in this land of the sun
Where nothing can change what nature has done.

But through this season of darkness and mist
One thing in winter does more than exist,
It's a love for you that is so dear
It grows through all seasons throughout the years.