

## Despair and Misery

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First baby at 15, no job and no home

*IV I*

*V*

No food for the family, no tv or phone

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*IV*

Her life now seems over, no purpose or care

*IV I*

*V*

Her children are suffering, it's her greatest despair.

*IV*

*I*

Despair and Misery,

*I*

*V*

*I*

She has nothing more but she fights to break free.

Her beloved Bobby, he died in Iraq

He left her with child and never came back.

Denial and anger, depression and pain

She struggled to feed them, but she could not maintain.

Despair and Misery,

They're all that he left her in 2003.

Despair and Misery, she just couldn't bear,

She watches her babies fall through the air,

To dark waters below that welcome them home,

To a heavenly place that they'd never known.

Despair and Misery,

Two tiny lives that are finally free.