

# Shilo

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Young child with dreams  
Dream every dream on your own  
When children play  
Seems like you end up alone

Papa says he'd love to be with you  
If he had the time  
So you turn on the only friend you can find  
There in your mind

Shilo, when I was young  
I used to call your name  
When no one else would come  
Shilo, you always came  
And we'd play

Young girl with fire  
Something said she understood  
I wanted to fly  
She made me feel like I could

Held my hand out, and I let her take me  
Blind as a child  
All I saw was the way that she made me smile  
She made me smile

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Shilo, you always came  
But you'd stay

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She had other plans  
"Got to go," said she "know that I'd understand"  
I understand

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Come today

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