

## Charlotte Perrelli

### "Appreciate"

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There's a man dying on the side of the road  
Won't make it home tonight  
He was driving fast on a cellular phone  
That's how he lived his life  
While he was hanging by a thread  
These were the final words he said

My girl turned sweet 16 today  
She's beautiful, so beautiful  
It might get rough sometimes; I hope she'll keep the  
faith  
I wish I grabbed the chance to say to her  
Life is too short so take the time and appreciate

There's this woman crying on the kitchen floor  
She got a call tonight  
Now she's trembling outside her daughter's door  
She walks in and holds her tight  
Wondering how and where to start  
Is there a way to shield her heart?

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faith  
I wish I grabbed the chance to say to her  
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Anybody loving will get hurt along the way  
Don't be afraid to open up  
And use the time you have before it fades  
Show you love

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