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THE ROAD TO EL DORADO

On the road to El Dorado I stopped to smell the flowers
I lay content amongst their sweet scent as minutes turned to hours
Around me birds were singing, a song as pure as an angel's tears
Time slipped away, hours turned to days, and days turned into years.

I had searched for El Dorado nearly all my life
With little thought to whom or what I'd have to sacrifice
To drink deep from the holy grail on the altar of success
I thought if I could sup from that golden cup, I'd find peace and happiness.

But the road to El Dorado is a steep and slippery track
For every yard I climbed I would find I'd slip two yards back
Never found my El Dorado or walked it's golden streets
Though it still gleamed deep in my dreams, it was always out of reach.

On the road to El Dorado I looked only straight ahead
Deaf and blind to the truth behind the dreams inside my head
Until I saw sunshine dancing in the morning air
And I realised El Dorado was around us everywhere.