

ARE THERE NO MORE TEARS?

Marilyn's 37-year-old son Randy and 16-year-old granddaughter Sara died in a car accident in 2006

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Time heals, they tell me,
And it's been six years,
After that, are we well?
Are there no more tears?

It is easier, I have to say,
But I can't tell you that I'm okay.
These precious children, blood of my blood,
They were here, they lived, they laughed
and they loved.

No amount of time will change that fact,
Nothing I can say will bring them back.
So don't roll your eyes when you see my tears,
Even though it's been so many years.

I'll continue to cry,
but I'll be okay,
When I take their hand,
in Heaven some day.

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AUTHOR NOTE:

I wrote this on the sixth anniversary of Sara and Randy's death in 2012. I didn't know where I should be in the grieving process. I just knew that it still hurt as much as it had in the beginning.