

# Victor Ly, I Cannot

I cannot love you  
when I remember your lies.  
I cannot look at you  
especially not into your eyes.  
I cannot get near you  
when I remember your hate.  
I cannot get close to you  
because now it's too late.  
I cannot fall for you again  
when I remember the pain.  
I cannot allow destiny  
to drive me insane.

I must stop lying to myself  
when I already know why  
I cannot love you,  
even if the truth is denied.  
Even though I love you  
you do not love me in return.  
Although I want to see you  
the truth my heart has learned.

That's why I cannot love you  
because now you are gone.  
No longer can I hold you  
because from our love you've withdrawn.

I cannot hold you anymore  
no matter how much I pray.  
I cannot kiss you anymore...  
kiss all the pain away.

Now I sit here all by myself  
wondering what else I cannot do.  
And I realize that I can no longer...  
I can no longer love you.