

IL RESTERA DE TOI

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AN ENGLISH TRANSLATION

What Will Live On

What you gave will live on,
rather than lie locked in rusting coffers.
From your secret garden, what will live on
is a forgotten flower that never withered.

What you gave will blossom in others.

Whoever reaches life's end will one day find theirs again.

What you offered in your open arms,
one morning in the sunlight, will live on.
What you lost will live on too,
what you waited for, but never lived to see.

What you endured will live again in others.

Whoever reaches life's end will one day find theirs again.

A tear that fell will live on,
a smile that blossomed in the eyes of your heart.
What you sowed will live on,
what you shared with those who begged for happiness.

What you sowed will grow in others.