



# The golden words

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Dear Reader,

We don't really know each other, but I want to write you a letter. Everything is written in black and white on paper. But it is up to you to give it a meaning and a color. Just like how we do it with our lives.

Life has many ups and downs. Sometimes you win and sometimes you lose. Sometimes you have to take 2 steps backwards, in order to take 5 forwards. I guess you should do the best you can with the things you have. Love the deepest you can with the ones that you care for. Go for what is yours and become the best you can be for the world, for others, for me and for you.

Despite the situation that you're in right now, you should never give up. Things don't always go as you want, but everything will be fine.

Tell me.

Where would you be, if things didn't go the way it went? Every single thing formed us to the person that we are today. I know that everything has a purpose, moment and a time for it. And I believe that there is more than this.

Stand still.

How crazy is it, that we never thought we would be here, but now that we're standing here we don't really stand still, because we want to go further?

A lot of times we ignore the process just to see the end results. Or we want a lot of things that we don't even need. Or we're afraid to truly dream. But if you don't dream, you dream your dreams away.

I want to inspire you with my thoughts, my heart, my words. Inspire you with my life. I'm writing to comfort you, to make you feel valued and loved. I am very curious how far you will come in life and how things will go. Whatever happens, happens. Enjoy the ride, always reflect and be grateful.

We're in this together. So if you feel like you have to cry, we cry together. We will understand each other. So if you ever need me, know that I'm here for you. And I'm already proud of you. May the Lord protect and guide you.

Like I said, we don't really know each other, but I want to write you a letter. Everything is written in black and white on paper. But it is up to you to give it a meaning and a color. The color I choose is gold. That's why I want to write you this letter with my golden words.

Love and blessings,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lian Verkerk'. The signature is stylized and somewhat cursive, with a large initial 'L' and 'V'.

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Give me some time;  
Even if I'm in the dark, I know that one day I will  
shine.  
I'm searching this world in order to find  
myself, my purpose and a meaning to my life.

My heart is at war, because I want peace in my  
mind.  
My words don't match my thoughts how I want  
every time.  
Not only the ones that can't see, are the ones that  
are blind.  
Take what is yours, and I will take what is mine.