



Our Angel

*Mia Elizabeth, how we adore you so,
We delight in each day watching you grow.
You're the twinkling sunshine of our lives, that's true,
There's nothing more precious than the gift of You.
From a scrunchy newborn to this wonderful girl,
You've enchanted us daily, in a captivating whirl.
Right from the start, when in Mummy's tummy,
We read and sang to you and knew you'd be scrummy.
You squirmed and responded when we played 'Baba D',
And we were convinced you were a boy, with certainty.
Mummy sobbed with elation when 'It's a Girl!' Daddy said,
As secretly you were what we'd prayed for instead.
We were in awe of the miracle with which we'd been blessed,
You were beautiful and perfect, we were deliriously impressed.
And so you've continued to besot us each day,
Whether smiling, or kissing or dancing away.
You're a vision to gaze at, a sumptuous dream.
Flawless soft skin made from peaches and cream.
Long, flirty lashes frame your enormous blue eyes,
Rich, vibrant pools of innocent surprise.
Your sweet, rosebud mouth pouts so delicately,
And your silky soft hair shines like light toffee.
In fact, you're irresistible and we couldn't love you more,
Which is why we can't help smothering you with kisses galore!
We relish every morning, when you greet us with a grin,
Each time you take another step, so determined all within.
The way you play 'Where's Daddy', or eat Nana's Rich Teas,
Your delight at watching butterflies, or sucking in the breeze!
We love watching your wonderment when visiting the farm,
The giggles over the waddling ducks are really such a charm.
You're definitely a lady and love handbags and shoes,
You like kissing family photographs or making cute little moos.
We call you our Princess, Minky, Mouse or Bee,
But mainly you're our Sunshine Girl, as we whisper repeatedly.*

*Each night as Mummy holds you close, before you go to sleep,
She sings 'You Are My Sunshine', a reminder of our love so deep.
We cherish you our darling, adore every inch of you,
We're enraptured by your beauty and your budding personality too.
We're excited about the future, and watching your life unfold,
We'll always be right by your side, ready your hand to hold.
Mia, thanks for giving us the best year of our lives,
With your bubbling self around each day, happiness certainly thrives.
We're privileged you're our daughter, thrilled through and through,
We'll be grateful for eternity for a baby as perfect as you.*

Happy Birthday Sweet Mia, Love from Mummy & Daddy 15th October 2005