SISTER OF MY HEART

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Dedicated to Randi Kraus, from her sisters in Hadassah ... and to our sisters throughout the world

[* q'milut chasidim (Hebrew) - acts of lovingkindness, righteous deeds]

Sister, sister of my heart, quiet and sweet-natured, you have touched the deepest part of me. When walking on the beach, or at lunch in a café, you lighten up my day in your own honest way.

Sister, sister of my heart,
I want to show how much I love you, but I don't know where to start.
With your outstretched, loving hands and your generous soul,
you've played a special role in making my life whole.

How do I find the words to thank you for the part you've given of yourself? If I could fill your shelf with honors that award you, I'd turn toward you and express to you all you mean to me, and to so many who'd agree ... that you have touched them with your faith, inspired them through your grace.

You are a blessing. You are a blessing. You are a blessing.

Sister, sister of my heart, compassionate and kind, you are a master of the art of making the world a better place, bringing a smile to someone's face, a good and loyal friend, through life and till the end.

Sister, sister of my heart, your courage and devotion light a magnificent spark of strength and valor for the dream of g'milut chasidim.*

You have served the world.
You have repaired the world.
You have rebuilt the world.
You are my sister, the sister of my heart.