A SONG WRITTEN FOR PATRICK

Through Every Test

Birth



Hurricane Sandy filled the sky
You stood with me, you stayed nearby
Our first vacation in Jamaica shone
I knew I wasn't there alone
The storm was loud, the world was new
And love began to pull us through

> *Patrick, everyday thank you*
> *For loving me the way you do*
> *Through every test, you stayed so true*
> *Thanks for always seeing us through*

At concerts, music filled the air
I felt your steady love was there
Long distance put our love to test
You gave our every day your best
You worked so hard, yet stayed so true
Your loyal love came shining through
Your support would not let me fall
You were my strength through it all

> *Patrick, everyday thank you*
> *For loving me the way you do*
> *Through every test, you stayed so true*
> *Thanks for always seeing us through*

Your loving heart stayed close and near
Across the miles, you stayed right here
You are a good man, tried and true
You never gave up, you saw us through
Your loyal heart has made me strong
Through every mile, you stayed strong
Every day I want you to know
My grateful heart will always show

I'll hold the love you've given me
May every wish you hold come true
May love stay strong, alive, and free
As I keep walking close with you

> *Patrick, everyday thank you*
> *For loving me the way you do*
> *Through every test, you stayed so true*
> *Thanks for always seeing us through*

That first storm still lights up the sky
My grateful heart will stay close by