**You Are Close When I Pray**

**Another chapter is before you,**

**proving you are all grown up.**

**Little by little you are making important**

**decisions, thereby filling your own cup.**

**Filling it with new adventures,**

**of which I know you are ready for.**

**You have this confidence, Any reservation?**

**I don't see any, but who's keeping score?**

**As your grandmother, from the day you**

**were born, I've had this glow within.**

**Your mom is very proud of you**

**too but she has always been.**

**To love someone as much as**

**we do, words are not enough.**

**And how does one put a price with**

**the choices one has? Searching is tough.**

**But then I think of the type of person you**

**are, no matter if we are close by or far apart.**

**You are like a sponge, you absorb the love**

**we give and always keep it close to your heart.**

**I am counting on that, as I envision**

 **what you will be doing day by day.**

**There will be miles between us but I know**

**you will always be close by when I pray.**

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