

## Roy and Edna

side by side for life,  
growing together in love,  
your daughters' beacon

supporting, leaning,  
yet standing tall and strong,  
a forest of two

since your sapling years  
twenty-three leafy branches  
sprout twigs from your stem

two cut down too soon  
in the summer of their growth,  
yet gave root to more

your model marriage  
shed light on love's rocky path,  
we walk in your shade



Two trees named Roy and Edna in 1985 and 2003  
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