To my son on his birthday

This is the year you would be a man 21 is what you should have been But nine years old was in your plan

Remembering the day you were born Is a story I continue to tell How would I have known nine Years later was the start of My living hell.

Over the years I have managed to survive
Thank you for the memories
With these I can thrive.

My world revolves around those memories of you Keeping you alive in my heart is what helps me get thru.

How we were cheated, you of a life, Me of a son, to take care of me in Times of strife.

Now I go on, waiting for the day Doing what I have to do, until I find my way
Of why I am still here and What is the reason.

On your birthday means the passage of another season.
Till then, we'll be together Somewhere Out There
Or Where Dreams Come True.

Love, Mom

Rosemary

In memory of my son, Arthur III