

Etheridge Knight

A man of might

A safe port from a storm
It was Etheridge Knight's

Who's great insight

Was there when the Poet was born

From a raw wild untamed seed

He made a Poet grow

He cultivated rainbows

He glorified the snow

He made dead brown leaves spring to life

To sad hearts he brought a smile

Etheridge could take most anything

And lay it out with style

Yes Etheridge Knight

With your great insight

You may not even know it

That after I first met you

You became the Father

Of another Poet

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