

*For India on her 21st birthday from GrandPat and Peggy...*

*... India, a spiced land  
India. Rainbow colours  
Tempests of saris sun songs,  
India - a granddaughter born bright.*

*India - a name beyond the clouds  
A dawn with dance.  
India - a granddaughter with eyes  
Seeing futures by mountain skies.*

*India - a story told  
Nile's waters by Sudan to Ganges  
A rose tipped Ethiopian dawn.*

*India, India, India...  
May your life journey be long on pathways warm.  
May you see a mermaid on a dolphin's back  
Know sweet music and harmony*

*India with whistling wind fingering clouds  
Laugh loud on Kilimanjaro slopes.  
Watch stars gather upon a wave  
Hold Neptune's golden rings.*