

### 3.6 Valentine (2012)

I could have waked u with a kiss  
But I slept so bad, so bad;  
I could have rushed  
to get u winter roses  
But I had sillier things on my mind;  
I could have cooked u breakfast  
of all the things u like the best,  
But I was expecting a phone call.  
I could have bought u a ring at Aspreys in Mayfair,  
But was scrambling on and off the trains;  
I could have asked u out this eve,  
But u were out and out again;  
I could have danced with u all night,  
But my physio warned me not to;  
I could have annoyed u all evening long  
with little whisperings of love,  
But u've been watching that detective  
In her silly hi heels.

And all today I could have thought of u  
... and I did, all day, between  
and before and after  
all the other little happenings of today.  
And at the ending of the day,  
I still can take u up to bed  
and snuggle up and snuggle down  
and hold u all night long,  
because  
you always are  
My Valentine.

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