

I Am CARICOM

*Living on this island all my life,
Not having a thought for the pain and strife
That went before to bring me ease,
Those whose, blood, sweat and tears I can never appease.*

*My days passed without a care,
Dancing to the beat of the steel without fear.
Moving to the pulse of soca, rapso and chutney.
Calypso and the conscious music of society.*

*Today because of a little more knowledge,
I am learning to understand what gave them courage
To think that much could be done,
Striving to forge a unity of nations under the Caribbean sun.*

*Maybe someday we can all be like minded,
Economically, culturally and socially, united.
Strive for our children and grandchildren to think Caribbean Community.
So that our nation would be a major part of charting CARICOM history.*