

## Little Shooting Star

Writing poems  
Is a bit like having sex  
With your lover...

Grab the moment  
While it's there -  
Or something else  
Might come up  
To get in the way!

And for every year  
Spent  
In the love of my life,  
I know that I will find  
At least one  
Little shooting star,

To carry  
In my hip pocket

Forever.

Tim Barritt. Circa 2003.  
*Earth Angel 181*