

# **A Spark that Time will not Snuff : A Tribute to Salil Durani**

**He did not wail nor whine,**

**As his journey was ending forcibly -**

**A bio-chemical accident, a conspiracy of genes,**

**He went about living**

**Till the wee moments of his existence,**

**No, it was not his sentiment for life,**

**But his invincible will to live -**

**His paeon to life,**

**A spark that time will not snuff,**

**Today we mourn him,**

**Tomorrow when sun comes out,**

**We will miss him.**

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