believe

I believe that if I establish the direction
And show you what perfection
Looks like,
You will surprise me in your pursuit
Of the goal.
I believe that if I give you the reins,
You will ride yourself and sustain
A momentum that will show
Your heart and soul are in the journey.

I believe that if I praise your progress,
Your performance unhindered
Will soar to lofty heights
Beyond your imagination.
I believe that if I set the priorities
And surrender the authority,
You will bask in the fascination
Of new found freedom
As you display your creative rights.

I believe that you are capable
Of enormous outbursts of expression;
But I have to make concessions
So that you will exhibit inescapable
Evidence of aptitude,
That has been sealed in your heart.
I believe that if I do my part,
We will discover the wonder, the art
Of truly being yourself.

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