

Try To Be the Least in Need

It is a person's duty to get oneself into a position where one can be generous with their time and silver.

Whenever you gather with friends or are in a crowd, try to be the one least in need. For simply doing that is giving.

But I want to express myself, my longings, and all my cares in human ways, some aspect of you might feel.

Who wants to deny you that, dear? I can listen to you from my seat on a chair, ever nearby, and see you as clearly as anyone has.

I am so close, next time you pass, I just might prove it and stick out my leg and trip you . . . let you fall into my lap.

- Rumi