

1. Pray for the hungry people, living in our land.  
Pray for the lonely ones, who need a helping hand.  
Pray for the lost who sift away like grains of sand,  
and pray for the brave injured, because they take a stand...
2. Yes, pray for the misguided soul, standing in the rain.  
Pray for the ones who can't stand one more ounce of pain.  
Pray for the souls who have to go through it again,  
after they've been there until it near-drove them insane...
3. And, pray for the dying civilians slaughtered in war.  
Pray for the hurting children, who just can't take more.  
Pray for the battered women, wounded to the core,  
and refugees denied entrance, who wait outside safe shore...
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4. Let's pray for the suffering innocents who're locked away.  
Pray for the courageous, who gave their lives away.  
Pray for the ones who went, so you and I could stay;  
to wake again in this place, where we'd see another day...
5. Pray for the ones who lose the greatest gift of all.  
Pray for the ones who hurt and die, before they crawl.  
Pray for the ones who for the guilty take the fall.  
And pray for the groping purposeless, who missed their call...

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6. And, pray for the abandoned babies and elderly.  
Pray for the small, who never had a Grandma's knee.  
Pray for the deaf and blind ones who will never see.  
And pray for the slaves who can only dream of being free...
  7. O, pray for... \*\*

[Add endless verses of historical plight, contemporary need & tragedy; and have audience write, with me their ongoing verses put on visual screen as we read & sing together, concerning their personal, "now" issues. This is a great audience participation song, that enhances interest in the performance].

\* [Modulate up at asterisks].

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