

# PRAYER FOR A BLESSING

INTRO 3/4 G | G

**VERSE 1**      <sup>G D em C G C G</sup>  
Now gracious Lord, Thine arm reveal  
<sup>D G D G D</sup>  
And make Thy glory known  
<sup>D G D em C G em D</sup>  
Now let us all Thy presence feel  
<sup>D G D G</sup>  
And soften hearts of stone

**VERSE 2**      <sup>G D em C G C G</sup>  
Help us to venture near Thy throne  
<sup>D G D G D</sup>  
And plead a Savior's name  
<sup>D G D em C G em D</sup>  
For all that we can call our own  
<sup>D G D G</sup>  
Is vanity and shame

**VERSE 3**      <sup>G D em C G C G</sup>  
From all the guilt of former sin  
<sup>D G D G D</sup>  
May mercy set us free  
<sup>D G D em C G em D</sup>  
And let the year we now begin  
<sup>D G D G</sup>  
Begin and end with Thee

VERSE 4

<sup>G D em C G C G</sup>  
Send down Thy Spirit from above  
<sup>D G D G D</sup>  
That saints may love Thee more  
<sup>D G D em C G em D</sup>  
And sinners now may learn to love  
<sup>D G D G</sup>  
Who never loved before

VERSE 5

<sup>G D em C G C G</sup>  
And when before Thee we appear  
<sup>D G D G D</sup>  
In our eternal home  
<sup>D G D em C G em D</sup>  
May growing numbers worship here  
<sup>D G D G</sup>  
And praise Thee in our room

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