

# Michael McDonald, For A Child

(Michael McDonald)

Love is the answer to a child  
Just as hope is the answer to us all  
But it's there at the beginning  
That we learn to hope at all  
And god help us if we don't

[Chorus:]

Tell me where is this place  
From which there's no return  
What can we know of another road  
From the one that we made  
With our anger and our rage  
We dare not go where there is no hope  
Not even for a child

If dreams fly over the rainbow  
Truth lies waiting for us all  
If siren's voices cloud our reason  
Can we still resist their call  
'cause god help us if we don't

[Chorus]

For so many people livin' their whole lives  
Waiting to be saved  
For so many children taking that short trip  
From the cradle to the grave