

# Collin Raye, A Mother And Father

I know you're listening as I lay me down to sleep  
It's not for me I ask, but my children's souls to keep  
It seems the world is going crazy  
And though I need to do my share  
Could you please take them under wing  
Watch over them especially  
Keeping them safe from everything  
This is a mother's prayer  
I know you're listening in the silence of this night  
The news is blistering but I hold on to your light  
And though there's darkness all around us  
By my faith I know you're there  
Give me the strength to lead the way  
Send me the words I need to say  
Use me to guide them day to day  
This is a father's prayer  
I know I can't do this by my self  
I thank you for your help  
I know you're listening so I know I'm not alone  
I feel you here with me as we all face the unknown  
Could you return us to your garden  
Where no one's hurt and no one's scared  
Free us from pride and bitterness  
Keep us so close we won't forget  
Teach us to love as you love  
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This is a mother's, a father's prayer