

# John Denver, The Peace Poem

There's a name for war and killing  
there's a name for giving in  
when you know another answer  
for me the name is sin  
but there's still time to turn around  
and make all hatred cease  
and give another name to living  
and we could call it peace

And peace would be the road we walk  
each step along the way  
and peace would be the way we work  
and peace the way we play

And in all we see that's different  
and in all the things we know  
peace would be the way we look  
and peace the way we grow

There's a name for separation  
there's a name for first and last  
when it's all for us or nothing  
for me the name is past  
but there's still time to turn around  
and make all hatred cease  
and give a name to all the future  
and we could call it peace

And if peace is what we pray for  
and peace is what we give  
then peace will be the way we are  
and peace the way we live

Yes there still is the time to turn around  
and make all hatred cease  
and give another name to living  
and we can call it peace