

THE PRAYER

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Slowly, with expression (♩ = 72)

mf B♭(9) Fsus F Dm

(with pedal)

D♭ B♭m Fsus F Female: *mp*

1. I pray you'll be our

rit. e dim. *mp*

Verse 1:

B♭ Csus C F

eyes, and watch us where we go,

F/A

B \flat

Gm/C

and help us to be wise

in times when we don't

E \flat /F

F

poco rit.

know.

Let this be our

poco rit.

Chorus:

Gm

Gm7/C

C7

A7sus

a tempo

prayer,

when we lose our way.

a tempo

A7

Dm

B \flat

Dm

Am

Lead us to a place,

guide us with your grace

B \flat F/C C B \flat /F F

to a place where we'll be safe.

Male:
mf
La lu - ce che tu

This system contains the first vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with the lyrics 'to a place where we'll be safe.' and then features a male vocal entry with the lyrics 'La lu - ce che tu'. The piano accompaniment consists of a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

Verse 2:

B \flat C7sus C7 F

mf
I pray we'll find your light, and hold it in our
dai, nel cuo - re res - te - rá.

This system contains the second vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with the lyrics 'I pray we'll find your light, and hold it in our dai, nel cuo - re res - te - rá.' The piano accompaniment continues with a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

F/A B \flat Csus C Gm/C C

hearts when stars go out each night, —
A ri - cor - dar - ci che l'e - ter - na ste - lla

This system contains the third vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal line starts with the lyrics 'hearts when stars go out each night, — A ri - cor - dar - ci che l'e - ter - na ste - lla'. The piano accompaniment continues with a right-hand melody and a left-hand bass line.

E♭/F *F7* *poco rit.*

oh.....

cresc. *poco rit.*

sei. Ne - lla mia pre -

cresc. *poco rit.*

Chorus:
a tempo

Gm *Gm7/C* *C7* *A7sus*

Let this be our prayer, when sha-dows fill our

a tempo

ghie - ra quan - ta fe - de c'é.

a tempo
f

A7 *Dm* *B♭* *Dm* *Am*

day. guide us with your grace.

mp

Lead us to a place,

dim. *mp*

B \flat

F/C C7

B \flat /F

F

Give us faith so we'll be safe. *cresc.*
So - gna - mo un *cresc.*

Give us faith so we'll be safe. *cresc.*
So - gna - mo un

Bridge:

C/B \flat

B \flat

C/B \flat

Fsus

F

C/B \flat

B \flat

C/B \flat

mf mon - do sen - za piú vio - len - za. Un mon - do di giu - sti - zia e di spe -

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Fsus

F

B \flat maj7

Fsus

F

Dm

ran - za. O - gnu - no dia la ma - no al suo vi - ci - no sim - bo - lo di

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D \flat B \flat m

Fsus

F

cresc.

pa - ce, di tra - ter - ni - tá.

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La for - za che ci

cresc.

Verse 3:

E \flat

Fsus

F

Fsus

F

B \flat

We ask that life be kind,

and watch us from a -

dai

éjl de - si - de - rio che.

B \flat (9)/DE \flat

Fsus

F

bove.

We hope each soul will find

O - gnu - no tro - via - more

in - tor - no e den - tro

A \flat /B \flat

B \flat

mf

an - oth - er soul to love.

Let this be our

sé.

Let this be our

dim.

Chorus:

Cm

Cm7/F

F7

F7/E \flat

D7sus

prayer,

let this be our prayer,

just like ev - 'ry

prayer,

just like ev - 'ry child,

mf

D7

Gm

E \flat

Gm

Dm

child,

need to find a place,

guide us with your grace.

need to find a place,

guide us with your grace.

dim.

mp

E \flat B \flat /F F7 E \flat /B \flat B \flat B \flat /A
cresc. *cresc.* *cresc.*

Give us faith so we'll be safe.
 Give us faith so we'll be safe.

Freely
 Gm E \flat Gm Dm E \flat B \flat /F F7
mf cresc. *f* // *mp* *molto rit.*

E la fe - de che hai a - cce - so in noi. Sen - to che ci sal - ve -
mf cresc. *f* // *mp* *molto rit.*

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G \flat A \flat B \flat

r \acute{a} .
 r \acute{a} .

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