

# PETITION

Intro (♩ = ca. 80)

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## Refrain

O Lord, have mer - cy on us all, grant us your

peace, bring us your heal - ing.

*last time: molto rit.* (◡) (Fine)

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## Verses

*Melody*

1. For those who tend the sick with love that knows no  
 2. For those who teach the child with pa-tience keep-ing  
 3. For those who serve the weak with kind-ness reach-ing  
 4. For those who free-ly give who toil with-out  
 5. For those who point us to what's beau-ti-ful and  
 6. For those who've lost so much and fear for los-ing

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PETITION, cont. (2)

1. fear, be ev - er at their side.  
 2. watch, re - fresh their wea - ry minds.  
 3. out, O be their source and help.  
 4. praise, lead them to rest in you.  
 5. true, breathe hope in - to their songs.  
 6. all, O fill their cup with hope.

(Oo)

1. And for the suf-f'ring ones who lean in - to your  
 2. And for the hun - gry ones who lean on them to  
 3. And for the lone - ly ones, may ev - ery heart be  
 4. And we who may re - ceive, O help us un - der -  
 5. For all who can - not see the ev - i - dence of  
 6. And let us reach in faith, re - mind - ing those who

(Oo)

*D.S.*

1. care, with heal - ing now a - bide.  
 2. learn, pre - pare them in your time.  
 3. found and in your mer - cy, held.  
 4. stand our debt of grat - i - tude.  
 5. you, Lord, whis - per to their hearts.  
 6. weep that they are not a - lone.

*D.S.*

(Oo)

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