

## **Grant Us**

There is a lament rising from the earth  
there is a chorus of tears and pain  
there is death silence

Our God, Grant us your consolation!

There is hunger for contact and hugs  
there is thirst for shaking hands  
there is need for tranquility

Our God, Grant us your presence!

There is fear and uncertainty in our homes  
there is an emptiness in our streets  
there is sadness and loneliness

Our God, Grant us your peace!

There is haste and restlessness in our thoughts  
there is a desire to restart and to get back  
there is a desire to forget

Our God, Grant us your patience!

There is a desire to help and assist  
there is a desire to take care of those in difficulty  
there is a desire to heal and be healed

Our God, Grant us your strength!

There is faith in our hearts, there is hope of life  
there is a prayer that rises from the souls of those who calls for you.  
there is a need for listening.

Our God, Grant us your Word!

Amen!

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