## **A Night Prayer**

Thank you, Lord, for the day that has passed. Thank you too for your love and protection.

Forgive me for any wrong I have done this day.

Forgive me for being bad tempered or hard to live with.

Forgive me for hurting those I should love.

Forgive me for any word of comfort or praise or thanks which I might have spoken and did not speak.

Forgive me for any help I might have given to someone in need and did not give.

Lord, I pray tonight for all humankind: for the believer and the unbeliever; for those who are trying to find you; and for those who are trying to ignore you.

Bless those who are lonely, and who feel their loneliness worst of all at evening time. Bless those who are old or sick, or who will not sleep tonight. Bless all homes and families and bless those who have no home of their own.

Give us all restful sleep, and the peace of heart that comes from knowing that our sins are forgiven, and that we are always in the hands of our heavenly Father. Amen.