

# The Servant Song David Haas

Will you let me be your servant  
Let me be as Christ to you  
Pray that I might have the grace  
To let you be my servant too

We are pilgrims on the journey  
We are travelers on the road  
We are here to help each other  
Walk the mile and bear the load

I will hold the Christ light for you  
In the night time of your fear  
I will hold my hand out to you  
Speak the peace you long to hear.

I will weep when you are weeping  
When you laugh, I'll laugh with you  
I will share your joy and sorrow  
Till we've seen this journey through

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## Let me be your servant.



Our prayer is characterized by silence ~

**Be still and know that I am God!**

In that silence we listen for a new word.  
God is present in all our lives.  
God cares for us, and  
our life experiences are a source  
of deepening knowledge of God and self.

Inspired by God's Word in the silence  
we share from our hearts.

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## To Ponder: Rabbi Jack Riemer: Social Action

We cannot merely pray to You, O God, to end war:  
For we know You made the world in a way  
That we must find our own path of peace  
Within ourselves and with our neighbor.

We cannot merely pray to You, O God, to root out prejudice:  
For You have already given us eyes  
With which to see the good in all people  
If we would only use them rightly.

We cannot merely pray to You, O God, to end starvation:  
For You have already given us the resources  
With which to feed the entire world  
If we would only use them wisely.

We cannot merely pray to You, O God, to end despair:  
For You have already given us the power  
To clear away slums and to give hope  
If we would only use our power justly.

We cannot merely pray to You, O God, to end disease:  
For You have already given us great minds  
With which to search out cures and healing  
If we would only use them constructively.

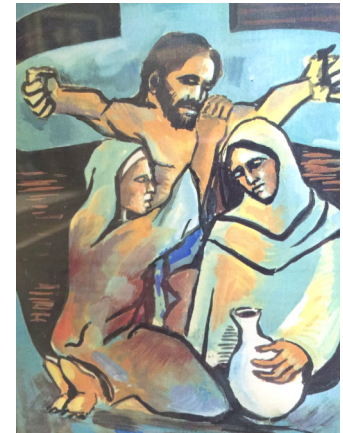
Therefore we pray to You, instead O God,  
For strength, determination, and will power,  
To **do** instead of just to pray  
To **become** instead of merely to wish.

## Reading: Prayer Song from Ghana, traditional

Journeying God,  
pitch your tent with mine  
so that I may not become deterred  
by hardship, strangeness, doubt.

Show me the movement I must make  
toward a wealth  
not dependent on possessions,  
toward a wisdom  
not based on books,  
toward a strength  
not bolstered by might,  
toward a God  
not confined to heaven.

Help me to find myself as I walk in other's shoes.



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