

FOR A GREATER MIRACLE

In an age of miracles, O God,
we come to you in search of miracles.

When humans circle the moon and jog in the vacuum of space,
when distances collapse and speed becomes commonplace,
when human hearts are transplanted and medicines work wonders,
we come to You, O God, in search of a greater miracle.

We come because this is an age of anxiety,
because we suffer loneliness and fear,
because day after day seems meaningless,
because hatred, discrimination, and killing still take place.
In an age of miracles, O God,
we come to you hungry for a miracle.

Grant us today the miracle of Forgiveness;
speak to us of the miracle of Love;
amaze us this hour with one great reminder:

“God so loved the world that his only son he gave,
that those who believe in him should not perish but have everlasting life.”

Amen.

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