Almighty God,
Upon you I call.
Don't let evil spirits
Possess my soul —
Don't let hatred
Strangle my love,
Or despair
Crush my hope —
Tie me with the rope
Of patience
To the pillar of strength
When anger erupts
In my mind —
Don't let emotion
Blind my reason —
Teach me the psalm
Of faith
And restore my calm —
Dispel my doubts and fears
While the bells of life
Toll my years —
Let the warm rays
Of affection and compassion
Conquer my spirit —
O, Lord, our God,  
Please disperse  
The seeds of peace  
And brotherhood  
Upon the earth,  
As time rolls  
On the wheels  
Of the universe —
MUSIC FOR PRAYER
Don't let evil spirits possess my soul.

Don't let hatred strangle my love, or despair crush my...
poco rit.  \hspace{1cm} mf a tempo

hope.

poco rit.  \hspace{1cm} mp, a tempo

hope.

poco rit.  \hspace{1cm} mf a tempo

hope.

poco rit.

Tie me with the rope of patience to the

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Tie me with the rope of patience to the

Tie me with the rope of patience to the

pilar of strength. When anger erupts in my mind,

pilar of strength. Oo

pilar of strength. Oo

pilar of strength. Oo

pilar of strength.

Don't let emotion blind my reason. Teach

me the psalm of faith, and restore my calm. Dispel my

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me the psalm of faith, and restore my calm. Dispel my
doubts and fears, While the bells of life toll my doubts and fears,

Let the warm rays of affection and compassion
rit. 3
conquer my spirit. O Lord, our God,

rit. 3
unis. p
conquer my spirit. O Lord, our God,

rit. 3

poco rit.
Please disperse the seeds of peace And

div.
Please disperse the seeds of peace And

poco rit.

Please disperse the seeds of peace And

poco rit.
brotherhood upon the earth, As time
brotherhood upon the earth, As time
brotherhood upon the earth, As time

poco meno mosso
dim.
rolls on the wheels of the universe, As time
rolls on the wheels of the universe, As time
rolls on the wheels of the universe, As time

poco meno mosso
dim.

Prayer - 8
PRAYER FOR ASSISTANCE

Oh, God, my Creator,
Help me to play the role of peace
In life's theatre.
O Lord of the Earth
And of the firmament,
Let me represent
The Spirits of love and harmony.
Teach me honesty and decency.
Instruct me in the art of modesty.
Assist me to create my psalms
Glorifying Your Name.
Anoint me with Thy healing balms
And soothe the wounds
Of painful emotions
With Your miraculous potions.
Comfort my aching heart
And let me start a new episode
On life's station,
Perform on me the great miracle
Of Regeneration.
MUSIC FOR PRAYER FOR ASSISTANCE
PRAYER FOR ASSISTANCE
For Solo and S.A.T.B. Chorus

Arranged by
Frank Metis

Freely, with motion

Words and Music by
Magda Herzberger

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Prayer for Assistance

Oh God, my Creator,

Help me to play the role of peace in life's the-
Prayer for Assistance

In life's theatre.

Lord of the earth and of the firmament,

Firmament.

Lord of the earth and of the firmament,
Prayer for Assistance

Let me represent the spirits of love and harmony.

Oo, Oo.

Let me represent the spirits of love and harmony.

Teach me honesty and decorum (harmony)

opt. solo
Prayer for Assistance

Instruct me in the art of modesty, instruct me in the art of modesty,

Instruct me in the art of modesty,

With some motion

Assist me to create my psalms

Assist me to create my psalms
Prayer for Assistance

20

glorifying Your Name. Anoint me with Thy healing balms, And

20

Anoint me with Thy healing balms, And

22

soothe the wounds of painful emotions With

22

soothe the wounds of painful emotions With

22

soothe the wounds of painful emotions With
Your miraculous portions.

Poco rit.

D Profoundly, with some motion

Comfort my aching heart, And let me start

Poco rit.

mf

Comfort my aching heart, And let me start

Comfort my aching heart, And let me start

Comfort my aching heart, And let me start

mf

mf
a new episode on life's station. Perform on

me the great miracle of Regeneration

me the great miracle of Regeneration

me the great miracle of Regeneration
My eyes shed drops of tears
Into the pools of years
For those I loved and lost
And like a haunting ghost
My spirit roams around
Searching for their unknown
Burial ground—

They were the victims
Of their faith,
Sentenced to death
Without a sin,
For worshipping
The only God
They believed in—

They died without protest,
With no rebellion,
Together with the rest
Of six million
Innocent Jews
In the Nazi camps
Of Germany—
O, Lord, please help me
To keep alive their memory—
They died in vain,
I witnessed their agony
And pain,
I heard their cries,
O, Lord, our God
Open for them
The gates of Paradise—
Let their souls
Rest in peace ... 
Forgive mankind’s atrocities ...
REQUIEM
They Died in Vain

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Very freely, with sorrow

Let their souls rest in peace.

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Requiem

[Music notation]

Sadly, with some motion

eyes shed drops of tears into the pools of years For

eyes shed drops of tears into the pools of years For

those I loved and lost, and like a haunting ghost, My

those I loved and lost, and like a haunting ghost, My

My
Requiem

B Mod. slow, march-like  \( \frac{d}{=80} \)

ground. They were the victims of their faith,
ground. They were the victims of their faith,
ground. They were the victims of their faith,

\[ \text{Sentence to death without a sin, For worshipping the only God} \]
\[ \text{Sentence to death without a sin, For worshipping the only God} \]
\[ \text{Sentence to death without a sin, For worshipping the only God} \]
\[ \text{Sentence to death without a sin, For worshipping the only God} \]
they believed in. They died without protest.

they believed in. pp unison

they believed in. pp unison

they believed in. Mm

they believed in. Mm

pp unison

With - out pro-test.
No rebellion, Together with the rest

Angry, with slightly more motion

of six million innocent Jews in the

of six million innocent Jews in the

of six million innocent Jews in the

of six million innocent Jews in the
Requiem

Nazi camps of Germany. O,
Nazi camps of Germany. Germany. O,
Nazi camps of Germany.

Somewhat slower

Lord, please help me to keep alive their memory.
Lord, please help me to keep alive their memory.

poco rit.

poco rit.

poco rit.
Requiem

They were the victims of their faith,
in God

They were the victims of their faith,
in God

sentenced to death without a sin, For worshiping the only God

sentenced to death without a sin, For worshiping the only God
Sorrowfully, with some motion

They believed in. They died in

Mm

They believed in. Mm

They believed in.

vain, I witnessed their agony and
Requiem

I heard their cries, O,
pain.

I heard their cries, O,

Lord, our God, open for them the gates of Para-

Lord, our God, open for them the gates of Para-

Lord, our God, open for them the gates of Para-
Requiem

41

rit. e dim.

\(\text{dise,} \quad \text{rit. e dim.} \quad \text{Par - a - dise.} \quad \text{mf} \quad \text{They} \)

41

rit. e dim.

\(\text{dise,} \quad \text{rit. e dim.} \quad \text{Par - a - dise.} \quad \text{mf} \quad \text{They} \)

41

rit. e dim.

\(\text{dise,} \quad \text{Par - a - dise.} \quad \text{They} \)

F Mod. slow, march-like \(\text{d} = 80\)

43

\(\text{f} \quad \text{They were the vic - tims of their} \)

\(\text{f} \quad \text{were the vic - tims of their faith, sentenced to death without a sin, For} \)

43

\(\text{f} \quad \text{They were the vic - tims of their} \)

\(\text{f} \quad \text{were the vic - tims of their faith, sentenced to death without a sin, For} \)

43

\(\text{marcato} \quad \text{f} \quad \text{For} \)
Requiem

faith, in God they believed in.
worshiping the only God they believed in.

Solemnly

Let their souls rest in peace,
Let their souls rest in peace,
Let their souls rest in peace,
Requiem

49. give mankind's atrocities.

51. Very freely, with sorrow

Oo Oo

Oo

Oo Oo
Slowly and mournfully

They were the victims of their faith.

They were the victims of their faith.

They were the victims of their faith, They

Without a sin, for

Without a sin, for

died in vain.

died in vain.
worshiping the only God

They died in vain.

They died in vain.

They died in vain.

they believed in.

they believed in.

They died in vain.

They died in vain.
They died in vain.