

SONGS FOR PRAYER AND ANIMATION

We Give Our Yes *Carlo M. Marcelo*

REFRAIN: We stand before the grand horizon / Five hundred years of faith,
grateful today. / We bear the gift of mission / Totally yours, we give ourselves /
Faithfully yours until the end / To your mission, Lord, / we give our Yes!

1. Go where the sun rises above the hills / Share the Word and serve
those who are in need. / Let the Morning Star accompany your way. /
Spread the fire of mission for the Lord. **REFRAIN**

2. We are gifted to give and live our gifts / Mercy, compassion, justice and peace. /
The sign our world today will come to believe / is the love we have for one and all. /
We bear the gift of mission / Mercy, compassion, justice and peace. **REFRAIN**

Finale: To your mission, Lord (2x) / We give our Yes. (2x)

The Jubilee Song *Carlo M. Marcelo*

1. It's a time of joy, a time of peace / A time when hearts are then set free /
A time to heal the wounds of division. / It's a time of grace, a time of hope /
A time of sharing the gifts we have / A time to build the world that is one.

REFRAIN: It's the time to give thanks to the Father, Son and Spirit /
And with Mary, our Mother, we sing this song: / Open your hearts to the Lord
And begin to see the mystery / That we are all together as one family. /
No more walls, no more chains, no more selfishness and closed doors /
For we are in the fullness of God's time. / It's the time of the Great Jubilee.

2. It's a time of prayer, a time of praise / A time to lift our hands to God /
A time to recall all our graces. / It's a time to touch, a time to reach /
Those hearts that often wander / A time to bring them back to God's embrace. **REFRAIN**

Ang Tawag *Narcisa Fernandez*

1. Ang tawag sa atong Ginoo, / tubagon unta sa pagtuo. /
Manguha kita nga malaumon, / ang Ginoo makagagahum. /
Ang tawag larawan sa gugma, / mao'y hagit sa tagsa-tagsa. /
Gitawag ka sa pag-alagad sa tiunay mong paghalad.

REFRAIN: Pagkadaghan sa anihunon, / pagkanihit sa mangangani karon. /
Hatagan unta kita sa Ginoo, / ug daghang mamumuo.

2. Ug sangpitan ta si Maria, / inahan nato sa kanunay. /
Maghiusa kita uban kaniya; / magmalig-on kita sa gugma. /
Kay ania man sa kamut ta / ang paglaum sa tagsa-tagsa. /
Gitawag ta sa pag-alagad, / sa tiunay tang paghalad. **REFRAIN**

Pananagutan *Eddie Hontiveros*

1. Walang sinuman ang nabubuhay para sa sarili lamang. /
Walang sinuman ang namamatay para sa sarili lamang.

REFRAIN: Tayong lahat ay may pananagutan sa isa't isa. /
Tayong lahat ay tinipon ng Diyos na kapiling N'ya.

2. Sa ating pagmamahalan at paglilingkod sa kanino man. /
Tayo ay nagdadala ng balita ng kaligtasan. **REFRAIN**

3. Sabay-sabay ngang magawitan ang mga bansa /
Tayo'y tinuring ng Panginoon bilang mga anak. **REFRAIN**

Here I Am, Lord *Dan Schutte*

1. I the Lord of sea and sky, / I have heard my people cry. /
All who dwell in dark and sin, / My hand will save. /
I who made the stars of night, / I will make their darkness bright /
Who will bear My light to them? / Whom shall I send?

REFRAIN: Here I am, Lord. / Is it I, Lord? /
I have heard You calling in the night. /

I will go, Lord. / If you lead me. /

I will hold your people in my heart.

2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, / I have borne my people's pain. /
I have wept for love of them. / They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, / give them hearts for love alone. /

I will speak My word to them. / Whom shall I send? **REFRAIN**

3. I, the Lord of wind and flame. / I will tend the poor and lame. /
I will set a feast for them. / My hand will save. /

Finest bread I will provide, / till their hearts be satisfied. /

I will give my life to them. / Whom shall I send? **REFRAIN**

Tell the World of His Love *Trina Bellamida*

1. For God so loved the world / He gave us His Only Son, /
Jesus Christ our Savior, / His most precious One. /
He has sent us His message of love, / and sends those who hear /
To bring His message to everyone / in a voice loud and clear.

2. Let us tell the world of His love, / the greatest love the world has known. /
Search the world for those who have walked astray, / and lead them home. /
Fill the world's darkest corners / with His light from up above /
Walk every step, every mile, every road / And tell the world, tell the world of His Love.

3. ► repeat 2; then add: The greatest love the world has known /
Walk every step, every mile, every road / And tell the world, / tell the world, /
Tell the world of His Love. / Tell the world of His Love.

Be Not Afraid *Bob Dufford*

1. You shall cross the barren desert, / but you shall not die of thirst. /
You shall wander far in safety, / though you do not know the way. /
You shall speak your words in foreign lands / and they will understand. /
You shall see the face of God and live.

REFRAIN: Be not afraid, / I go before you always. /
Come, follow Me, / and I will give you rest.

2. If you pass through raging waters, / in the sea, you shall not drown. /
If you walk amid the burning flames, / you shall not be harmed. /
If you stand before the pow'r of hell, / and death is at your side. /
Know that I am with you through it all. **REFRAIN**

3. Blessed are your poor, / for the Kingdom shall be theirs. /
Blest are you that weep and mourn / for one day you shall laugh. /
And if wicked men insult and hate you / all because of Me. /
Blessed, blessed are you! **REFRAIN**

Only Selfless Love *Carlo M. Marcelo*

Today in the world where life is born, / There's a struggle that is fought, /
To be welcomed, to be cared for, to be at home.
Today when all life seems bought and used, / There's a struggle to belong, /
To be free and to be a gift to everyone.

► We call all families, rise up and raise your hands as one. /
Come show the world the love that binds / All God's children into one.
We call all families share the treasure that's in your hands. /
What can save us now? / What can lead us now? / What can make us all be one?

REFRAIN: Only selfless love, / Jesus show the world /
That only selfless love / can bring a hundred fold of /
Fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, homes. / Where peace and mercy reign /
Where faith and home remain / Where life begins and ends in God's embrace. /
Calling all families! / Let's make it happen / through only selfless love.
Like the Holy Family with Jesus, Joseph, and Mary, /
Home is where true love begins, / Love rejoices, / Love embraces.

Tanging Yaman *Philip Gan – Manoling Francisco*

REFRAIN: Ikaw ang aking tanging yaman, / Na di lubusang masumpungan. /
Ang nilikha Mong kariktan, / sulyap ng 'Yong kagandahan.

1. Ika'y hanap sa t'wina, / nitong pusong Ikaw lamang ang saya. /
Sa ganda ng umaga, / nangungulila sa 'Yo, Sinta. **REFRAIN**

2. Ika'y hanap sa t'wina, / sa kapwa ko Kita laging nadarama. /
Sa Iyong mga likha, / hangad pa ring masdan ang 'Yong mukha. **REFRAIN**

NOTE: Various well-known Marian hymns and the Our Father are also recommended for use during prayer and mission animation sessions.

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