

## **Desmond Child**

### **"A Ray Of Hope"**

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Blessed are the merciful  
For they shall obtain mercy.  
Blessed are the meek  
For they shall possess the earth.

I am a man  
Or sometimes I'm a child  
I'm caught up in a struggle,  
Has me runnin' wild.

The angel on my shoulder  
And the Devil at my feet.  
The apple of temptation  
Held in front of me.

And I will try  
Every day to be a better man  
And send a wave of love  
To everyone I can.

And I believe  
That there's a ray of hope.  
Of light that's shining down from heaven.

Say a prayer  
For the unfortunate man  
Who knows of no salvation  
And greed is his religion.

Say a prayer for the men  
Who don't practice what they preach.  
For children and the innocent  
Misled by what they teach.

And I will try  
Every day to be a better man  
And send a wave of love  
To everyone I can.

And I believe  
That there's a ray of hope.  
Of light that's shining down from heaven.

Oh, as I walk  
Down these city streets  
I see a side of life  
That isn't always pretty.

But I know  
That we're all part of His plan.  
Saints and sinners, all of us  
Walking hand-in-hand.

So we strive  
Every day to be better men.  
And send a wave of love  
To everyone we can.

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