

## The Walkabouts

### "Prayer for You"

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When you burn your kingdom  
Through the ashes I will come  
I know it makes no difference  
But I can't leave ya to your fun  
Usin' up your torch song gifts  
Why do you rush the end along?  
Actin' like you'll soon forget  
The end is comin' on its own  
Just this once  
I'll say a prayer for you  
Though I won't pretend to help  
Just this once  
I'll say a prayer for you  
Burnin' up the floorboards  
Burned every place you stood  
Every second chance: firewood  
Bad luck is a famous name  
For what you brought yourself  
And I'm too dumb to help  
Just this once  
I'll say a prayer for you  
Though I won't pretend I'm right  
If you ask  
I'll say a prayer for you  
They say the city don't give up  
And I believe that's true (don't you?)  
Ricochets from boom to bust  
Like most of us  
Who never cared enough...  
Just this once  
I'll say a prayer for you  
Though I won't pretend I'm right  
If you ask  
I'll say a prayer for you  
In the middle of the street  
I will stop  
I'll say a prayer for you  
If that's what you really want  
I will stop...  
I'll say a prayer for you  
In the middle of the street...

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