



# CHRISTMAS LIST

I'd like a little bravery for Christmas,  
The nerve to love my neighbour as I could,  
To be friends with black and white  
And not just on Christmas night,  
The guts to stand for what is right and good.

I'd like a little humanness for Christmas,  
An open window to my fellow men.

I'd like to dare to care,  
Warmly smile instead of stare,  
Have my great delight in people back again.

I'd like some fresh awareness for Christmas.

I'd like to taste the air and see the sky,  
Smell the rain and feel the sun,  
Treasure people, every one,  
Make the contact live between the world and I.

I'd like a little confidence for Christmas,  
Get that thrill of knowing surely all is fine,  
Know things only feel that tough,  
That my best is good enough,  
That there's lots of future waiting down the line.

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