

A Missionary's Prayer

Lord,
When I am tired,
Give me an extra boost of energy to do your work.
When I am homesick,
Put Your loving arms around me.
When others hurt my feelings,
Help me to forgive.
When I don't feel like reading Your Word,
Give me the desire to know more about You.
When I am bored,
May the work I'm doing come alive.
When I'm angry,
Calm my temper.
When others hurt,
Help me to care.
When I am selfish,
Help me to share.
When I am scared,
Help me not to fear.
When I see a need,
Help me to reach out.
When I feel inadequate,
Give me confidence.
When I mess up,
Help me to laugh.
But everyday and most all,
Just love me.

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