# **Down to the River to Pray**

### Refrain:

As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about the good old way, and who shall wear the starry crown, good Lord, show me the way.

Oh, siblings, let's go down, let's go down, come on down. Oh, sisters, let's go down, down to the river to pray.

Refrain

Oh, parents, let's go down ...

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Oh, children, let's go down ...

## **Prayer for Wholeness**

#### **Sunday Morning Prayer of Blessing**

May the angels of light glisten for us this day. May the sparks of God's beauty dance in the eyes of those we love. May the universe be on fire with Presence for us this day. May the new sun's rising grace us with gratitude. Let earth's greenness shine and its waters breathe with Spirit. Let heaven's winds stir the soil of our soul and fresh awakenings rise within us. May the mighty angels of light glisten in all things this day. May they summon us to reverence, may they call us to life.

#### John Philip Newell

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