

# Take My Hand

G Capo 2

G D  
Don't talk to me of war  
C G  
for your words will turn to action  
C G  
and talk of truth and justice  
C D  
changes into bombs and guns  
C  
and the cost of lives so taken  
G Em  
is more bodies in their wake  
C Am  
and more mothers grieving children  
C D G  
that their leaders did forsake

Don't talk to me of hate  
for hate moves through generations  
breeding fear and ignorance  
that blinds imagination  
and the cost of hate is freedom  
paid with our children's lives  
and with freedom we can dry the tears  
a million mothers cry

Chorus

D G D  
Please take my hand  
C G  
and the hand of the one beside you  
C G  
and we will weave a ribbon of hope  
C D  
that will reach around the world  
C  
that the life of one more mother's child  
G Em  
not be taken in God's name  
C D  
in the name of love  
G

**please take my hand**

Don't talk to me of God  
if your God would be a weapon  
and in his name you justify  
the armies that you strengthen  
for the cost of God so worshipped  
is more souls lost in the night  
and in truly seeking spirit  
we can change the dark to light

Chorus twice  
repeat last line at end