## **Prayers for Peace**

## Father Almighty, we pray for your peace on earth,

For peace that is life giving;

For peace that is love-bearing;

For peace that is true freedom;

For peace that is purposeful;

For peace that is prevailing;

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## O God of many names,

Lover of all nations,

In our hearts.

In our homes,

In our nations,

In our world.

The peace of your will,

The peace of our need.

George Appleton, Bishop

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## Father, deepen our desire for peace;

Restore our resolve for peace;

Increase our intent to work for peace.

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Will for us your peace, Perfect and prevailing,

For your Son, our Saviour Christ's sake.

From a prayer by Pamela Wilding, Kenya

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Have mercy on us, Lord, for all the damage done to people by people in war,

And strengthen those who are striving to bring peace to our world now.

A prayer by Angela Ashwin