

Heaven Help Us All

Stevie Wonder

Heaven help the child who never had a home
Heaven help the girl who walks the streets alone
Heaven help the roses if the bombs begin to fall
Heaven help us all

Heaven help the black man
If he struggles one more day
Heaven help the white man
If he turns his back away
Heaven help the man
Who kicks the man who has to crawl
Heaven help us all

Heaven help us all
Heaven help us all, help us all
Heaven help us, Lord, hear our call
When we fall, oh yeah

Heaven help the boy who won't reach twenty-one
Heaven help the man who gave that boy a gun
Heaven help the people with their backs against the wall
Lord, Heaven help us all, oh all right

Heaven help us all, Lord. Heaven help us all
Heaven help us all, help us all
Heaven help us, Lord, hear our call
When we fall, oh, help us all

Now I lay me down before I go to sleep
In a troubled world, I pray the Lord to keep
Keep hatred from the mighty
And the mighty from the small
Heaven help us all

Oh, oh, oh, yeah
(Heaven help us all) help us all
(Heaven help us all) I need you Lord
(Heaven help us all) Need your help, need you now
(Heaven help us all) Need you now

Stevie Wonder, born Stevland Hardaway Morris, was born May 13, 1950, in Detroit. It quickly became clear that he was a talented musician and at the age of 11 he signed with Motown Records.

In 1970, Ron Miller composed "Heaven Help Us All" for Stevie Wonder and it quickly reached #2 on the R&B Charts upon its release. The song was part of Wonder's acclaimed album "Signed, Sealed & Delivered," which began his dominance of the charts throughout the 1970's when he won 3 Grammys.

Over the course of his career, he has won 25 Grammy Awards and sold over 100 million records worldwide. His "classical" period in the 1970's was incredibly influential and was described by Rolling Stone as a period that, pioneered stylistic approaches that helped determine the shape of pop music for decades."



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