O Perfect Love

O Perfect Love, all human thought transcending, lowly we
O Perfect Life, be thou their full assurance of tender
Grant them the joy which brightens earthly sorrow; grant them the

kneel in prayer before thy throne, that theirs may be the
charity and steadfast faith, of patient hope and quiet, brave en-
peace which calms earthly strife; grant them the vision of the glorious

end ing, whom thou in sacred vow dost join in one.
durance, with child-like trust that fears no pain or death.
morrow that will reveal eternal love and life.

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