

LIKE A PRAYER

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Tempo ad lib.

Dm C/D Gm/D Dm

mp Life is a mys - ter - y, ev - 'ry - one must

1 5

C/D Gm/D Dm C7/E F Bb

stand a - lone. I hear you call my name and it

1 5 1 2

F/C C Dm

feels like home.

1 5 1 5

Like a Prayer - 8 - 1

Moderate Dance beat

F

C

When you call my name — it's like a lit - tle prayer. —

mf

5 1 1 3 1 3 2

Bb

F/A

F/D Gm/D F

— I'm down on my knees, — I wan - na take you there. In the mid - night hour. —

2 3 1 5 3

C

Bb

F/A

F/D Gm/D

— I can feel — your power — just like a prayer, — You know I'll take you

1 2 2 1 1 1 1 5

Bb

F

C

Dm

there. I hear your voice, — it's like an an -
there. Like a child — you whis - per soft -

mp

1 2 1 1 1 5

C Bb F/A F/D Gm/D

— it's like a lit - tle prayer. — I'm down on my knees, — I wan-na take you

F C Bb F/A

there. In the mid-night hour — I can feel — your power — just like a prayer. —

1. 2.

F/D Gm/D F/D Gm/D F

— You know I'll take you — You know I'll take you there. When you call my name there. In the mid-night hour. *f*

C Bb F/A F/D Gm/D

— it's like a lit - tle prayer. — I'm down on my knees, — I wan-na take you — I can feel your power — just like a prayer. — You know I'll take you

Dm C/D Dm C/D

there.

mp *cresc.*

Dm C/D Dm C/D

Life is a mys - ter - y. — Ev - 'ry-one must stand a - lone. —

mf

Dm C7/E F Bb

I hear you call my name and it

cresc.

F/C C Dm C/D

feels like home. Just like a prayer your voice can take me there.

mp

Dm C/D Dm

mf Just like a muse to me, you are a mys-ter-y. *f* Just like a dream,

C/E Bb F/A Bb C F/C C

you are not what you seem. Just like a prayer, no choice, your voice can take me

F C Bb

f (there.) Just like a prayer, I'll take you there. It's like a dream to

1. F/A C 2. F/A C Dm

me. me. *sfz*