## **Bedtime Prayers for Children**

Now I lay me down to sleep, I pray the Lord my soul to keep:

May God guard me through the night And wake me with the morning light.

Amen.

Father, we thank thee for the night, And for the pleasant morning light; For rest and food and loving care, And all that makes the day so fair.

Help us to do the things we should,
To be to others kind and good;
In all we do, in work or play,
To grow more loving every day.



God made the sun,
And God made the trees,
God made the mountains,
And God made me.
Thank you O God,
For the sun and the trees,
For making the mountains,
And for making me.



## Sing-A-Prayer

Children love to sing tunes and they learn them easily. You can use simple, familiar tunes but change the words to create prayer songs. For example:

(Tune: Mary Had a Little Lamb)
Thank you, God, for loving me,
Loving me, loving me.
Thank you, God, for loving me,
I will love You too.

(Tune: Farmer In the Dell)
God gives us rain and sun,
And pretty flowers that grow,
Friends and family and lots of fun,
Oh, how I love Him so.