

Gently

Song & Reflection by Tammy Winn

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Prayer:

O Intricate Creator, gently open my eyes so that I can see how to bless the world by honoring your design of me.

Amen.

“Gently” - Music and Lyrics by Tammy Winn

*I went to play a festival
Another gig, another town
The lady that greeted me made a gesture with a book
Grateful I set it aside*

*Another place, another time
Another lonely, sleepless night
I reached for that book and began to read*

*It gently opened my eyes
The challenge was no surprise
The words were different, they pierced my heart
I know it's time to start*

*It talked about false converts
A man, a church, a city
The quest should be for righteousness not bliss
Misguided I have been*

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The words were different, they pierced my heart
I know it's time to start*

*I see more clearly as I take a step back
Peace comes with perspective
We are missionaries sent with a call
What I offer is my song*

*Lord gently open my eyes
Challenge me, surprise
Your life in Christ has pierced my heart
Help me to start*

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Reflection questions:

- How might I lift any barriers keeping me, or others, from living as we are fashioned to be?
- How can I embrace a way of being that fosters joy because it calls me to be more authentically alive?