

# To Tell Them

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Some people came here to party  
Some people came here to pray  
Some will stay until they're sorry  
Some'll be sad to have to go away  
Some people came here to listen  
Some people came here to talk  
Some people don't know how much they've been given  
Some people thank the Lord for what little they've got

But there's just one thing you've got to tell them  
Tell them one you've got to tell them all  
Because there ain't nobody so bad  
That the Lord can't save 'em  
Ain't nobody so good that they don't need God's love  
And there's one thing you've got to show them  
Just one thing you've got to let them see  
It don't make no difference what else that you may be wanting  
The love of God is the thing they need  
It's the thing they need

Some people came here on business  
Some people came on R&R  
Some strut around in their fancy stiches  
Some sink low because they got to hide some nasty scars  
There's some people can be so pious (pious)  
Some people are so depraved (depraved)  
Some of them seem to thrive on the quiet  
Some are just dyin' to go out and to make some waves

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(It's the thing they need)

Well, you can talk about fashion  
You can talk about the weather  
It's all just stuff and it all goes up in flames  
Just in case somebody comes askin'  
Why don't you do 'em one better  
If you got to talk why don't you tell 'em  
'Bout the things that remain the same

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It's the thing they need  
(It's the thing we need)  
It's the thing they need  
It's the thing they need