

# Through My Prayers

The Avett Brothers

Hard to believe I won't see you again  
We were just fighting when winter began  
The coldness of our words competing with the wind from the north  
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Still they make me shiver but in a very different way  
The pages of the calendar kept turning away  
I have some better words now, but it's too late to say them to  
you

My dream of all dreams and my hope of all hopes  
Is only to tell you and make sure you know  
How much I love you and how much I always did

And yes I know you loved me I could see it in your eyes  
And it was in your struggle and it was in your mind  
And it was in your smile you gave me when I was a kid

Feels like no one understands  
And now my only chance  
To talk to you is through my prayers  
I only wanted to tell you I care

Every night after and every day since  
I find myself crying when the memory hits  
Sometimes it knocks me down, sometimes I can just put it away

Down in my mind where I don't care to go  
The pain of a lesson is letting me know  
If you have love in your heart let it show while you can

Yes now I understand  
But now my only chance  
To talk to you is through my prayers  
I only wanted to tell you I care  
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