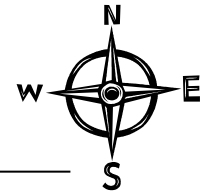


# Prayer Points



*'The age of the telescope was also the age of the microscope. There are as many worlds of wonder which are too minute for our vision as there are too great for our understanding' F.B.Meyer*

There is so much wonder to be found in nature, and in the uniqueness of every human being that ever existed, but we are often unaware of it. Occasionally, something happens which gives us a jolt. When I woke up from my recent operation, I found myself alone in a recovery ward. On the opposite side of the room were four windows, each one framing a section of the landscape outside; distant hills; fields surrounded by dry stone walls; rows of trees, and the red tiled roof of a house.

I lay there for hours, mesmerised by the subtle changes taking place outside. I was rewarded with the most beautiful sunset I have ever seen, the red glow slowly creeping downwards from one window to the next. As the sun disappeared, the moon and stars became visible, and the birds settled down in the trees. I was filled with awe, and deep peace.

May we all look for the wonder in each other, and see the small and hidden details of another's needs.

Deep peace of the running wave to you.

Deep peace of the flowing air to you.

Deep peace of the quiet earth to you.

Deep peace of the shining stars to you.

Deep peace of the Prince of Peace to you  
and all you love, this day and always.

*Iona Blessing*

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