

## **The Gift of God's Forgiveness**

look at us  
trying to become flowers  
in this frozen winter

look at us  
trying to become new creations  
in the same old world

we hear God's voice  
he calls us to high places  
but things take longer to fix  
than they take to break  
and we're rising up  
from a great great fall  
reaching so high  
from places so low

But God knows  
our woe  
and our long-long road  
and though he will not  
compromise his light  
with the dark  
and though he will not  
soften his high standard  
he lifts us when we stumble  
and he forgives us when  
we miss the mark