

Dominica Cries

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Dominica ask why ?

Why are my people silent?

Have they lost their love for me?

Have they lost their courage to fight

I am in shackles; I need to be set free.

Dominica cries

There are those who are bent to do evil,

Without ceasing.

To bring destruction to my name.

Hurting my own people and visitors alike

I plead with you from crimes refrain

Dominica cries

Many of my young minds seem lost indeed

Help them find their way back to me,

Breaking those chains of bondage

That oppresses them,

From their oppression set them free

Dominica cries

Have my children lost their joy, focus,

Energy, spontaneity and vibrancy?

Have they forgotten? That love unifies

And connects everything

Wake up my children, rise from your slumber

And feel the joy that true love can bring

Dominica cries

In the darkness of midnight

When no one seems to care

And evil roams around us all

And fill my citizens with fear

Dominica cries

Lord of all nations far and wide

Help my people see

May they understand their task in life

May they seek to do what's right

Dominica cries

When will we ever learn?

When will they have the wisdom to discern?

As the rain drops from the sky

So are the tears of Dominica's cry.

Dominica pleads! Stop my tears my children.