**We Surrender Our Children**

**When children are little, a parent**

**keeps a close eye on them.**

**Even a sniffle gets their attention,**

**they don't think of it as a whim.**

**Then children grow up, move out,**

**being responsible for their own needs.**

**A parent prays even harder be-**

**cause they are not there to lead.**

**And when they are too far away, a**

**parent feels more helpless than before.**

**The mind goes wild with possibilities,**

**they do not know what they are in for.**

**And when that happens, one**

**must stop, listen and let go.**

**Because the Heavenly Father**

**see all things, He already knows.**

**And although we have no control**

**on what our children go through,**

**knowing they are in His Hands,**

**one must keep all thoughts pure.**

**Lord, we know that You will**

**do whatever You need to do,**

**so with confidence we**

**surrender our children to You.**

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