

**I Hope**  
**Dixie Chicks**

[Verse 1]

**Em D/F# G**  
Sunday morning, I heard the preacher say  
**C**  
Thou shall not kill  
**Em D/F# G C**  
I don t wanna hear nothing else about killing

And that it s God s will  
**Em D**  
Because our children are watching us  
**C**  
They put their trust in us  
**C7**  
They re gonna be like us  
**Em D**  
So let s learn from our history  
**C**  
And do it differently

[Chorus]

**C G**  
I hope, for more love, more joy and laughter  
**C G**  
I hope, we ll have more than we ll ever need  
**F C**  
I hope, we ll have more happy ever after  
**C G**  
I hope, we can all live more fearlessly  
**D G**  
And we can lose all the pain and misery  
**C G C G**  
I hope, I hope

[Verse 2]

**Em D/F# G**  
Oh, Rosie, her man he gets too rough  
**C**  
That s all she can say,  
**Em D/F# G**  
is he s a good man He don t mean no harm  
**C**  
He was just brought up that way  
**Em D**  
But our children are watching us  
**C**  
They put their trust in us

**C7**

They re gonna be like us

**Em** **D**

It s okay for us to disagree

**C**

We can work it out lovingly

[Chorus]

**C G**

I hope, for more love, more joy and laughter

**C G**

I hope, we ll have more than we ll ever need

**F C**

I hope, we ll have more happy ever after

**C G**

I hope, we can all live more fearlessly

**D**

**G**

And we can lose all the pain and misery

**C G C G**

I hope, I hope

[Bridge]

**G**

**B7**

**C**

**Cm**

There must be a way to change what s going on

**G**

**Em**

**C**

**C7**

No I don t have all the answers

[Chorus]

**C G**

I hope, for more love, more joy and laughter

**C G**

I hope, we ll have more than we ll ever need

**F C**

I hope, we ll have more happy ever after

**C G**

I hope, we can all live more fearlessly

**D**

**G**

And we can lose all the pain and misery

**C G C G**

I hope, I hope