The Soldier Song

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Another day or so he'd be one year older
God bless his soul
Nearly 18 years old when he became a soldier
God bless his soul
It's not like he didn't know
The way that things could go
Hope was all he had to cope
But he never made it home
I hope and pray
That when God called his name
He did not die in vain
I'd like to think he died for you and me
And I hope one day
When we look back again
And he's just a memory
That we'll appreciate, respect the life he gave
In another year or so she might have been a mother
God bless her soul
But she'll never get to hold her baby girl, I know her
God bless their souls
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The way that things could go

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