

We Are the Children

As sung by Luis Fariñas, Los Quinchos School

We are the children that beg in the streets
And we want to sing this song
We want to say that we love you
And that we should share with you our love.

Christ said that children are from God
That we ought to be like them
Loving and sincere, without malice, always good
God bless all these children today.

Chorus:

We are the children, YES!
That work
Where is that love that we need so much?
We are the street children that suffer cold and hunger
That work until the sun goes down.

In any neighborhood, YES!
In the market, many times mistreated,
Many times humiliated.
We are the street children that suffer cold and hunger
That work until the sun goes down.

30 years have passed since that day
And some children have already grown
Today they are young people and they struggle, students
And they always listen to that child that used to exist.

Where we are, we are Quinchos with pride. Yes
Here we learn the value of our lives
María Eugenia, the Gospel, Jesus Christ and his Mystery
That impel us to transform this world.