

Beautiful City

Godspell



Out of the ruins and rubble
Out of the smoke
Out of our night of struggle
Can we see **a ray of hope?**

One pale thin ray reaching for the day

We can build a beautiful city
Yes, we can, yes, we can
We can build a beautiful city
Not a city of angels
But we can build a city **of man**

We may not reach the ending
But we can start
Slowly but truly mending
Brick by brick, **Heart by heart**

Now, maybe now, we start learning how

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But we can build a city **of man.**

When your trust is all but shattered
When your faith is all but killed
You can give up bitter and battered
Or you can slowly start to **build!**

A beautiful city
Yes, we can, yes, we can
We can build a beautiful city
Not a city of angels
But **finally a city of man.**
A city of man.

