

# A Hero's Tear

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A life when boldly wagered –  
And selfless courage too,  
Offered for a fellow man,  
When nothing less would do.

The price a hero offers,  
Is all they have to share.  
The cost a hero gladly pays –  
More than most would dare.

We never can repay them,  
For what they freely gave.  
A sacred gift of sacrifice,  
The trademark of the brave.

Glass Tears are shed for heroes,  
And those they love so dear.  
A gesture for the family,  
Our gratitude so clear.

A hero's special teardrop,  
Is more than they would ask.  
Repayment not expected,  
For their courageous task.