

# For a baby who died a long time ago

Lord, thank you for the life of my baby who died a long time ago.

Help me to recognise that you were present in my silent tears and unacknowledged feelings.

You saw how my dreams and hopes for this baby were shattered. You brought me through this difficult time.

Now I wish to honour my baby  
*(name your baby or you may wish to give your baby a name here).*

I believe that we shall be reunited to praise you forever in heaven.

Amen.

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