**A Prayer for Computers**

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**Bless again this day the mysterious computer**  
      which awaits your power and my human effort.  
Grant wisdom, knowledge and a clear memory to my mind  
      as I sit before this new creature of your infinite power.  
Bless my heart with endless patience whenever needed.  
Guide my hands that I may be your faithful servant in every key I press.  
Enable my limited efforts to bring glory to your Name  
      and blessings to your people everywhere.  
Delete me not from your Kingdom  
      and save me from all fear and from all error of sin and ignorance.

I whisper this prayer, mindful of the needs of all with whom and for whom I work,  
through the power of your Word and the life-giving energy of your Spirit.