## **SPEAK OUT!**

It seems the world has buried your voice, Your feelings dismissed, like whispers in noise. No one asks, "How do you feel inside?" You look in the mirror... And see a father—Not a man.

But why don't you see you're dying within? An empty chest, full of unspoken wounds. It's hard to be a father, Harder still to be unseen. Father—speak out!

Your love is an ocean—deep, unmoved, Your presence—solid gold, Too costly to measure or replace. But still, you carry the weight in silence... For our sake.

I wish the world knew the strength of your love, But pain has buried your roots in silence. Man of the universe—stand firm! Speak the worries you bury so deep, That we might teach our sons And daughters to speak, To feel, To heal.

**YOU ARE THE MAN. YOUR MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS TOO.** May you rise, Not just as a father, But as a man—Whole, heard, and unashamed.