## FOR OUR DAUGHTERS

FOR SHANAS

MUSIC & LYRICS BY MARIA LANDI

## **VERSE**

Get down, cover your head Don't wear bright colors Get down, that's what they said Then came the thunder Shattered fragments on the ground I was alone and broken down Get down, that's what they said

But I wasn't given life just to leave it On a battlefield torn to pieces They could turn my home into a war zone

#### **CHORUS**

But I can build a home out of ashes With four walls of compassion Come in, don't be shy I can raise the ceiling up higher So we can stand a little taller See a little farther, make a place Where our daughters can be free

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Stand up, hold your head high Show your colors Stand up, speak your mind You're like no other They will try to tear us down But together we'll stand our ground Stand up, don't you dare hide

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