SUGGESTED INTRO: This song was written after one of our Grannies welcomed a new grandchild into her life. But it's really about what we want for ALL the children in the world – because they are ALL our grandchildren.

Grannies' Lullaby

Tune: Hobo's Lullaby by Goebel Reeves, sung by Woody Guthrie and many others Lyrics: Kathy Miner, Raging Grannies of Madison.

Inspired by 'August's Lullaby', Solidarity Sing-Along at Madison, WI, Capitol

- Go to sleep now, precious baby, Rest your head and don't you cry --There is work to do in this world; You will join us by and by.
- 2. Yours and future generations Will inherit what we do; So we give our solemn promise Of a better world for you.
- 3. You need peace and you need justice, Health care and a chance to learn; Breathable air and fresh pure water, Love that endures as seasons turn.
- 4. We'll be singing truth to power, Changing things as best we can; You can trust your dear old Grannies --We are here to take a stand!
- 5. This old world, it has some troubles
 But they aren't here to stay -We'll vote the scoundrels out of office
 And enjoy a brighter day!
- 6. So go to sleep now, precious baby,
 Then later, give our songs a try;
 In your dreams you'll hear us humming -That's our Granny lullaby! (End by humming the last two lines)