Our Beloved Community

- Olivia Renault

Every day we reach closer to the lights.

Striving.

Yearning.

That city among the stars.

We have come so far, even in so little time.

Every day a choice.

For every journey there are steps back,

But still we persist.

Our friends, Loved ones, Strangers,

All supporting one another.

That city on the hill is not so far off.

We still have time to make it.

Be kind,

Those who walk alongside you

Are not always on the same path.

Be encouraging,

We all start at different places.

Be strong,

Every road has its cracks.

Be tolerant,

But never complacent.

Remember, the dark sky

Cannot be brightened by night

Only the daylight can do that.