YOU SET ME FREE

He was born in a manger, In the midst of all the danger, He knew the scriptures well, And not even once He fell, All He did was good, For righteousness He stood, But He still had to pay the penalty

Ch:

Why did you love a sinner like me?Why did you give your life on Calvary?Why didn't you save yourself from that tree?Oh Lord you did it to set me free! (2)

He took a lonely road, He walked a lonesome path, Carrying a heavy load, All of God's wrath, The burden that He bore, The body that was torn, The pain that He felt for you and me.

Ch:

He rose up from the dead, Or else nothing would have been said, He went up to the father, His trophies to gather, All who'd believe in Him, And trust Him as their Saviour, He lives in you his love to impart.

Ch: (repeat)

BLESSED

Blessed are the poor in spirit Theirs is the kingdom of God Blessed are they that mourn They shall have comfort

Ch:

You are the salt of the earth You are the light of the world So tell them about my love Tell them that I care

Blessed are the gentle For they shall have the earth Blessed are those who want righteousness They shall be content

Ch:

Blessed are the merciful For them I'll show mercy

Blessed are those who make peace I'll call them my sons

Ch:

Blessed are those who've been persecuted They shall have heaven Blessed are you if they talk against you There's a price for you

HIS SON

A certain man had two sons The younger one said he wanted, his will done Give me all that belongs to me I have my plans so let me be He took his things and went far away All his money he then displayed So many friends he made on the way But when he was broke there was no one to stay

Ch:

I am not worthy to be called your son I spent all the money, had my fun Now I have none and my life is done Please let me be your hired one

There was no food in the land So much of hunger I couldn't stand Any job I'll do I said So with the pigs I stayed and fed Why Oh Why did I leave my dad I never thought it could be so bad His servants have a better time And they don't spend a dime

Ch:

I couldn't believe he was running to me I thought only, hatred I would see Suddenly I felt a beautiful warmth A loving kiss and my father's arms Bring a robe, sandals and ring Let us be merry, let us sing My son was lost and now is found I've been blessed more than I can count

Ch:

This is the story of my father's love The almighty one in heaven above To pay my debt He send His son Forgiving my sins over satan He won You don't have to be slave no more Rather a son whom He adores Just come to your senses while you can He loved you before the world began

HE LEADETH ME

The Lord is my Shepherd He is all I want He makes me to lie in green pastures Though I walk through times of trouble I still will fear no evil For you are with me your rod and staff they comfort me, they comfort me

Ch:

He leadeth me (3) Besides the quiet waters (2)

You make my enemies Small before me You anointed me with oil My heart overflows with joy Your love and goodness they follow me And I want to dwell in your house want to be with you forevermore, forevermore

Ch:

He leadeth me (3) Besides the still waters He loveth me (3) He gave His life for us all.

THE TRUTH, THE LIFE, THE WAY

I'd love to tell about the love of Jesus He gave His life for all mankind We were like lost sheep scattered in the fields He found us and put us on His shoulders.

Ch:

He is the truth, the life, the way When I met Him one precious day He came into my heart He came in there to stay He'll be my Lord, my king always.

When you are alone, feeling sad Call to Him and He'll be glad The beauty of His grace will shine on your face On Jesus will be your gaze.

Ch:

There is there now no condemnation No worries on judgment day He is coming back Oh! Yes someday Then we will be with Him always.

Ch:

<u>IT'S TRUE</u>

You took one look at me And you knew what I would be I don't know, how you could see While you were hanging on the tree

Ch:

But I know it was true And it was only because of you Thank you for choosing me Suffering and paying the fee

Being born as a carpenter They thought that you couldn't be the one, the one All they did was make some fun They didn't believe you are the son

Ch:

Your silence they thought was weakness I only wish they knew You were a sheep before its shearer A lamb that was led to slaughter

Ch:

They were thrilled when you died You could feel the relief when they sighed They never thought you'd come alive Impossible to survive

AS AN INCENSE

Prayer is talking to the father All our news he would like to gather He just knows what's in our heart All we need to do is make a start

Ch:

As an incense it goes up to His presence A sweet fragrance that tells Him all our need He is waiting to hear our sweet voices To ask Him before we make our choices

Prayer is telling Him our needs Asking Him to show the path to lead He wants us to come before His presence To teach us the most important lessons

Ch:

Prayer is asking Him for the others The needs of your sisters and brothers He wants you to stand in the gap Before you can take a nap

Ch:

Prayers is thanking Him for the day To forgive the mistakes you made He wants to fill you with His love A peace like none other from above.

Ch:

As an incense (repeat 3 times)

NOT THE BETTER MAN

I could see a huge crowd Even from a distance they seemed so loud Jesus was passing through Jericho I too felt that I must go I saw a short man climb up a tree No other option if he wanted to see It looked liked Jesus was walking up to me But he stopped short and looked up the tree

Ch:

Aren't I a better man I live a good life and love my wife Give to the poor, go to the temple for sure But Salvation has come to that house

To Zac He said come down now I want to be with you while I am in town He was down so fast, let's have lunch he asked Jesus and He were off in a flash Suddenly there was no more noise, Just a low pitched hum of many a voice Doesn't He know what this man has done Took all the money and gave us none

Ch:

Then Zac stood up and said to the Lord Half my stuff I'll give to the poor To those I've cheated I'll surely give more Please forgive me and make me pure Jesus spoke and He was loud Zac is a son of Abraham It's for people like him I've come as a lamb I am not looking for the better man

<u>SAVED</u>

Dear Lord I give you my soul tonight I love you Lord, please come to me I want to love you forever more Holy Spirit please help me.

Ch:

He came into this world And died for you and for me Took the burdens on the cross And set us free He was mocked and despised They crucified our Christ In Him is our victory.

What joy it is for us to know Him To be a part of God's family What a joy to know that He loves you A sinner like you and me

Ch:

How beautiful it is to be in unity Looking for our Lord on Calvary's tree He suffered the shame, took all the blame Cause He loved you and me

Ch:

I know the plans I have for you says the Lord Plans to prosper you and me I know that you're often troubled My child please rest in me.

<u>THE GIFT</u>

Waiting for seven, long years Hoping you would come Dreamt about, holding you Even imagined, seeing your face Year by year the dread increased More and more I feared Faith was beginning to dim out As a candle reaching its base Seeing the kids, playing around No longer could I face Answering all the questions Of many a year gone by Dreading to meet the people you know Shying away from the crowd Just on our knees, to the Father, above

Ch:

Father, I can't imagine the pain That you've been through To let your only, Son be slain Crucified for me Hear Him cry on the cross, O God, Why you forsaken me O how much, you must, love me

Then like a miracle

At the least expected time God heard our cry for help And blessed us with you, my child Holding you, playing with you Watching you as you grow Now you are a year old And our love for you has grown Seeing your many, expressions Seeing you as you laugh Holding your hand, as you walk Then gently, letting you go Rocking you as you fall asleep The face of an angel Now we can't, imagine a life without you.

THE LOVE OF THE CROSS

When I was lonely feeling blue, Hiding my fears my sadness grew, Squandering my time in the pleasures of sin, I found no satisfaction. When I was scared alone and depressed, Trying to fight my troubles, I heard the knock of the Lord Jesus, He said in me there's rest.

Ch:

You came into my life and saved me from damnation, I live today and I owe it all to you, You loved me on the cross, and now I love you too.

Hear my voice when I cry O Lord, Be merciful and answer, My heart says of you seek His face, Your face O Lord I'll seek, Every day I felt so new, The more I learned about you, You sacrificed yourself O Lord, My life I give to you.

Ch:

You are my light and my salvation, There's no one that I'll fear You are the stronghold of my life, I shall not be afraid. One thing that I ask of the Lord, And that is what I'll seek, That I may dwell in the house of the Lord, As long as I live.

Ch:

AT HIS FEET

Mary came into the room, And fell at the feet of Jesus Tears wiped it clean, And she dried it with her hair Jesus looked and saying to her, I know your sins and they are many But now you're forgiven; now you're free Go and sin no more

Ch:

At His feet, At His feet At the feet of Jesus He bled and died as a sacrifice There's repentance, repentance for you

Jarius a ruler of the synagogue Saw Jesus a little ways He fell at His feet, Saying come and heal my daughter As they went up to the house She was lying dead in her body He took the damsel by her hand, Saying to her arise

Ch:

At His feet, At His feet At the feet of Jesus He gave His life as a sacrifice There's Salvation, Salvation for you (2).

IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS

In everything give thanks for the one who's made thee Give thanks to the one who knows your name He understands how you feel He knows what's best for you In everything, in everything give thanks.

Ch:

Give thanks to the Lord Almighty He loves you more than you can see The cross lies as a witness, of the pain He bore for you In everything, in everything give thanks (2)

He knows that you have a definite problem He knows that you are in pain Remember He lived here Just like you and me In everything, in everything give thanks.

Ch:

You think that it's more than you can take No its not He knows what you can bare There is a way of escape Just look around you In everything, everything give thanks.

Ch:

All we need to do is just to trust Him He knows about the plans He has for you He is the maker, he is the breaker He'll mould you in His way In everything, in everything give thanks (2).

Ch: