

The Power of the Cross

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Song Lyrics

O, to see the dawn of the darkest day;
Christ on the road to Calvary.
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then
nailed to a cross of wood.

Chorus:

This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us.
Took the blame, bore the wrath;
We stand forgiven at the cross.

O, to see the pain written on your face;
bearing the awesome weight of sin.
Ev'ry bitter thought, every evil deed
crowning your blood stain brow.

Repeat chorus

Now the daylight flees; now the ground beneath
quakes as its maker bows his head.
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life.
"Finished!" the vict'ry cry.

Repeat chorus

O, to see my name written in the wounds.
For through your suffering, I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live,
won through your selfless love!

This the pow'r of the cross: Son of God – slain for us.
What a love, what a cost!
We stand forgiven at the cross.



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Jesus, Messiah

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Verse 1:

He became sin who knew no sin,
that we might become His Righteousness.
He humbled himself and carried the cross;
love so amazing, love so amazing.

Chorus:

Jesus, Messiah, name above all names,
blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel.
The rescue for sinners, the ransom from heaven.
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.

Verse 2:

His body the bread, His blood the wine,
broken and poured out all for love.
The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn,
love so amazing, love so amazing.

Repeat chorus

All our hope is in You. All our hope is in You.
All the glory to You, God, the Light of the world.

Repeat chorus

Jesus Messiah, Lord of all.
The Lord of all.

Ancient Words

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Verse 1:

Holy words long preserved for our walk in this world,
they resound with God's own heart;
oh, let the ancient words impart.
Words of life, words of hope give us strength, help us cope;
in this world where'er we roam
ancient words will guide us home.

Chorus:

Ancient words ever true, changing me and changing you;
we have come with open hearts
oh, let the ancient words impart.

Verse 2:

Holy words of our faith handed down to this age,
came to us through sacrifice;
oh, heed the faithful words of Christ.
Martyr's blood stains each page, they have died for this faith.
Hear them cry through the years,
heed these words and hold them dear.

Repeat chorus twice