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Key: G

Intro

Em Em/F# G G Am Bm C Bm Am Am/C D

Verse

Em Em/F# G

Oh, to see the dawn

G Am Bm

Of the darkest day

C Bm Am Am/C D

Christ on the road to Calvary.

Em Em/F# G

Tried by sinful men,

G Am Bm

Torn and beaten, then

C Bm C D

Nailed to a cross of wood.

Chorus

Bm C D G

This, the pow'r of the cross:

Bm C D G

Christ became sin for us;

Bm C Cdim D

Took the blame, bore the wrath—

D/F# G C D G

We stand forgiven at the cross.

Verse

Em Em/F# G

Oh, to see the pain

G Am Bm

Written on Your face,

C Bm Am Am/C D

Bearing the awesome weight of sin.

Em Em/F# G

Ev'ry bitter thought,

G Am Bm

Ev'ry evil deed

C Bm C D

Crowning the bloodstained brow.

Em Em/F# G
 Now the daylight flees;
G Am Bm
 Now the ground beneath
C Bm Am Am/C D
 Quakes as the Maker bows His he-ad.
Em Em/F# G
 Curtain torn in two,
G Am Bm
 Dead are raised to life;
C Bm C D
 "Finished!" the vict'ry cry.

Em Em/F# G
 Oh, to see my name
G Am Bm
 Written in the wounds,
C Bm Am Am/C D
 For through Your suffering I am free.
Em Em/F# G
 Death is crushed to death;
G Am Bm
 Life is mine to live,
C Bm C D
 Won through Your selfless love.

Final chorus

Bm C D G
 This, the pow'r of the cross:
Bm C D G
 Son of God—slain for us.
Bm C Cdim D
 What a love! What a cost!
D/F# G C D G
 We stand forgiven at the cross.