

Pardoning Love

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Intro: Dadd9 Em9 Dadd9 Em9

Dadd9 Em9 Dadd9 Em9 G G
1 How oft, alas! this wretched heart / Has wander'd from the Lord!

Dadd9 Em9 D/F# Gm Dadd9 Em9 G G
How oft my roving thoughts depart, / Forgetful of his word!

Dadd9 G Dadd9 Em9 Dadd9 Em9
Oh forgetful of his word!

**2 Yet sov'reign mercy calls, "Return:" / Dear Lord, and may I come?
My vile ingratitude I mourn; / Oh, take this wand'rer home.
Oh, take this wand'rer home.**

Dadd9 Em9 Dadd9 Em9 G G
3 And can thou, wilt thou yet forgive, / And bid my crimes remove?

Dadd9 Em9 D/F# Gm Dadd9 Em9 G G
And shall a pardon'd rebel live / To speak thy wondrous love?

Dadd9 G Dadd9 Dadd9
Oh to speak thy wondrous love? (extra bar)

Instrumental solo over verse

<i>Dadd9</i>	<i>Em9</i>	<i>Dadd9 Em9</i>	<i>G</i>	
<i>Dadd9 Em9</i>	<i>D/F# Gm</i>	<i>Dadd9 Em9</i>	<i>G</i>	
<i>Dadd9 G</i>	<i>Dadd9</i>	<i>Em9</i>	<i>Dadd9</i>	<i>Em9</i>

and then come way down...

**4 Almighty grace, thy healing power / How glorious, how divine!
That can to life and bliss restore / So vile a heart as mine.**

(band in)

So vile a heart as mine.

Dadd9 Em9 Dadd9 Em9 G G
5 Thy pard'ning love, so free, so sweet, / Dear Saviour, I adore;

Dadd9 Em9 D/F# Gm Dadd9 Em9 G G
Oh, keep me at thy sacred feet, / And let me rove no more.

Dadd9 G Dadd9 | Em9 | Dadd9 | Em9 |
And let me rove no more.

| Dadd9 | Em9 | Dadd9 | Em9 | Dadd9