HOW SWEET THE NAME

John Newton, music arr. by Bill Moore

Interlude: ***D E C#m F#m F#m/E D E A D/E***

A A/G# F#m11 F#m11/E Bm A/C# D Esus E

1. How sweet the name of Jesus sounds In a believer's ear!

D E C#m F#m F#m/E D E A

It soothes his sorrow, heals his wounds And drives away his fear.

A E/G# F#m A/E Bm A/C# D Esus E

2. It makes the wounded spirit whole, And calms the troubled breast.

D E C#m F#m F#m/E D E D/E

Tis manna to the hungry soul, And to the weary rest.

3. Dear Name, the Rock on which I build
My Shield and Hiding Place,
My never-failing Treasury filled with
Boundless stores of grace.

4. By Thee my prayers acceptance gain
Although with sin defiled
Satan accuses me in vain
And I am owned a child

5. Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend,
My Prophet, Priest, and King,
My Lord, my Life, my Way, My End,
Accept the praise I bring.

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6. Weak is the effort of my heart
And cold my warmest thought
But when I see Thee as Thou art
I'll praise Thee as I ought

7. Til then I would Thy love proclaim
With every fleeting breath
And may the music of Thy name
Refresh my soul in death