

STANDING NEXT TO GOD

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INTRO) Gm Eb Gm F

1) Bb Dm F  
 I REMEMBER WHEN I WAS A BOY  
 Bb Dm F  
 LISTENING TO THE TEACHERS TALK ABOUT GOD  
 Gm Eb  
 PAINTING A PICTURE LIKE A STATUE IN THE SKY  
 Gm F  
 OVERSEEING CREATION DISTANT FROM MANKIND

2) Bb Dm F  
 I HEARD THE SERMONS FROM ON HIGH  
 Bb Dm F  
 RECOILED FROM THEIR HELL-FIRE ROAR  
 Gm Eb  
 GAVE THE ILLUSION OF A SAINT FAR OUT OF REACH  
 Gm F  
 CONDEMNING EVERY SOUL FOR ETERNITY...THEY WERE

CHORUS) Bb F  
 STANDING NEXT TO GOD  
 Bb Eb  
 FEELING TEN FEET TALL  
 Bb Gm Cm F  
 POSING FOR A PHOTOGRAPH TO HANG UPON THEIR WALL  
 Bb F  
 STANDING NEXT TO GOD  
 Bb Eb  
 LEARNING RIGHT FROM WRONG  
 Bb Gm Cm F Bb Eb Bb F  
 HOPING IT WOULD BE ALRIGHT FOR THEM TO TAG ALONG WITH GOD

3) Bb Dm F  
 I SOUGHT MY OWN PATH TO CHRIST  
 Bb Dm F  
 REACHED FOR AN ANSWER DEEP INSIDE  
 Gm Eb  
 PONDERED HIS GREATNESS UNDERNEATH A STARRY SKY  
 Gm F  
 ACHIEVED A UNION THEY CLAIMED I COULD NOT FIND..I WAS

(CHORUS)

(INSTRUMENTAL) Gm Eb Gm F

4) Bb Dm F  
 I SAW THE MOON ECLIPSE THE SUN  
 Bb Dm F  
 PEACE AND UNDERSTANDING CAME TO EVERYONE  
 Gm Eb  
 FELT LIKE A BOLT OF LIGHTNING STRIKING IN MY HEART  
 Gm F  
 JUST THEN I REALIZED, WE'RE NOT THAT FAR APART

(CHORUS)

OUTRO) Bb Eb F Eb Bb