

Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

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INTRO: $\begin{array}{cccccccccccc} / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / \\ A2 & & C\#m & | & Bsus & & E5 & | & A2 & & C\#m & | & Bsus \\ E/G\# & & A2 & | & C\#m & & Bsus & | & E/G\# & & & | & A2 \end{array}$

VERSE 1:

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} E & & /G\# & & A & & E & & /G\# & & A & & Bsus \end{array}$
Jesus, I my cross have taken, all to leave and follow Thee.

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} E & & /G\# & & A & & E & & /G\# & & A & & E \end{array}$
Destitute, despised, forsaken, Thou from hence my all shall be.

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} A & & & & Bsus & & A & & & & Bsus & & E & /G\# \end{array}$
Perish every fond ambition, all I've sought or hoped or known.

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} A & & & & Bsus & & A & /G\# & /F\# & & Bsus & (to\ interlude\ 1) \end{array}$
Yet how rich is my condition! God and heaven are still my own.

INTERLUDE 1: $\begin{array}{cccccccc} / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / & / \\ A & & C\#m & | & Bsus & & E/G\# & | & A & & C\#m & | & Bsus \end{array}$

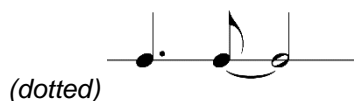
VERSE 2:

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} E & & /G\# & & A & & E & & /G\# & & A & & Bsus \end{array}$
Let the world despise and leave me, they have left my Savior, too.

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} E & & /G\# & & A & & E & & /G\# & & A & Bsus & E & /G\# \end{array}$
Human hearts and looks deceive me; Thou art not, like them, un - true.

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} A & & & & Bsus & & A & & & & Bsus & & E & /G\# \end{array}$
O while Thou dost smile upon me, God of wisdom, love, and might,

$\begin{array}{cccccccc} A & & & & Bsus & & A & /G\# & /F\# & & Bsus & (to\ interlude\ 2) \end{array}$
Foes may hate and friends disown me, show Thy face and all is bright.



INTERLUDE 2: $\begin{array}{cccccccc} C\#m & A & | & E & Bsus & | & C\#m & A & | & E/G\# & Bsus \end{array}$

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VERSE 3:

E G#m7 F#m7 Bsus E /G# A Bsus

Man may trouble and distress me, 'twill but drive me to Thy breast.

E G#m7 F#m7 E G#m7 C#m7 A Bsus E /G#

Life with trials hard may press me; heaven will bring me sweeter rest.

A Bsus A Bsus E /G#

Oh, 'tis not in grief to harm me while Thy love is left to me;

A Bsus F#m7 Bsus

Oh, 'twere not in joy to charm me, were that joy unmixed with Thee.



INTERLUDE 2: C#m A | E Bsus | C#m A | E/G# Bsus

VERSE 4: (rhythm out, continue syncopation)

C#m A E Bsus C#m A Bsus G#m7

Go, then, earthly fame and treasure, come disaster, scorn and pain;

C#m A E Bsus C#m E/B (straight hits) A Bsus E /G#

In Thy service, pain is pleasure, with Thy favor, loss is gain. (rhythm in)

A (hits) Bsus F#m7 Bsus E /G#

I have called Thee Abba Father, I have stayed my heart on Thee;

A (quiet) C#m7 A /G# /F# Bsus (to interlude 3)

Storms may howl, and clouds may gather; all must work for good to me.

(band build gradually)

INTERLUDE 3: A2 C#m | Bsus E5 | A2 C#m | Bsus
E/G# A2 | C#m Bsus | E/G# | A2 Bsus

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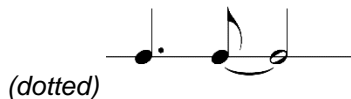
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VERSE 5:

E /G# A E /G# A Bsus
Soul, then know thy full salvation; rise o'er sin and fear and care;
E /G# F#m7 Bsus G#m7 C#m7 A Bsus E /G#
Joy to find in every station, something still to do or bear.
A Bsus A Bsus E /G#
Think what Spirit dwells within thee, think what Father's smiles are thine,
A Bsus A /G# /F# Bsus A
Think that Jesus died to win thee, child of heaven, canst thou repine?

VERSE 6:

E /G# A E /G# A Bsus
Haste thee on from grace to glory, armed by faith, and winged by prayer.
E /G# A E /G# A Bsus E /G#
Heaven's eternal days before thee, God's own hand shall guide us there.
A (half-time) Bsus F#m7 Bsus E /G#
Soon shall close thy earthly mission, soon shall pass thy pilgrim days,
A C#m7 (quieting) A /G# /F# BSUS (to outro, band quiet)
Hope shall change to glad fruition, faith to sight, and prayer to praise.



OUTRO: C#m A | E Bsus | C#m A | Bsus