

THE GOSPEL SONG

Introduction C F G C...

Verse 1

C G
He came to earth, to be given in birth,
F C
by a virgin in Bethlehem.
G F C F
Jesus was His Name, to save His people He became,
C G F C
human flesh like you and me.
F G C F
He was a stranger to sin, though tempted more than other men,
C G F C
the Holy sinless Son of God was He.
F G C F
He was full of grace and truth, had compassion on the multitude,
C G F C...
a friend of sinners He became, Oh praise His Name.

Verse 2

C G
He died on the cross, was buried in the tomb,
F C
and rose again the third day.
G F C F
He lived to die, so that we could live,
C G F C
praise His Name, for His people, He lives again.
F G C F
His blood was shed, "it is finished", thus He said,
C G F C
the price for our soul was paid in full.
F G C F
He was buried and rose again, now we're free from all our sins,
C G (slow) F C
for our guilt He took the blame, Oh praise His Name.

Verse 3 (slow)

C G
He ascended up on high, to His Father's side,
F C
and He's coming again one day.
G F C F
The Lamb He became, for sinners He was slain,
C G (fast) F C...
now for His people He is coming back again.
F G C F
He came to earth, to give us new birth,
C G F C...
forgiveness through His Holy Name, is why He came
F G C F
He's coming back in power, believe on Him this very hour,
C G F C
soon it will be too late to call His Name
(Repeat last two lines, slow down on last "Name")