

Be Not Afraid

Slow, andante (♩ = ca. 80)

VERSE 1

G Gsus4 G Gsus4 G Gsus4

1. You shall cross the bar-ren des-ert, — but you shall not die of

VERSE 2

2. If you pass through rag-ing wa-ters in the sea, — you shall not

VERSE 3

3. Bless-ed are your poor, for the king-dom shall be

G D/F# C Csus2 C C/B Am Am/G D/F#

thirst. You shall wan-der far in safe - ty — though you do not know the way. You shall

drown. If you walk a-mid the burn-ing flames, you shall not be harmed. If you

theirs. Blest are you that weep and mourn, for one day you shall laugh. And if

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G B7 Em Am C F D G Em

speak your words in for-eign lands and all will un-der - stand. You shall see the
 stand be-fore the pow'r of hell and death is at your side, know that I am
 wick-ed tongues in - sult and hate you all be-cause of me, bless-ed, _____

1. A A7 D D7 To Refrain 2. Am Am/G

1. face of God and live. _____ with you _____ through it

To Refrain 3. D D7 Am Am/G D D7

all. _____ bless-ed _____ are you! _____

REFRAIN

G Gsus4 G D Am7 D G6 C G/B

Be not _____ a - fraid. I go be - fore you al - ways. Come fol - low

Bm Em Am D G Gsus4 G Gsus4

me, _____ and I will give you rest. _____

G C/G G G Gsus4 G C/G G

D.C. 1.3.

D.C.