Amazing Grace

G       C     G
Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
       Em   D     D7
That saved a wretch like me!
G       C     G
I once was lost, but now am found;
       Em   D7   G
Was blind, but now I see.

G       C     G
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
       Em   D     D7
And grace my fears relieved;
G       C     G
How precious did that grace appear
       Em   D7   G
The hour I first believed.

G       C     G
Through many dangers, toils and snares,
       Em   D     D7
I have already come;
G       C     G
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
       Em   D7   G
And grace will lead me home.

G       C     G
When we've been there ten thousand years,
       Em   D     D7
Bright shining as the sun,
G       C     G
We've no less days to sing God's praise
       Em   D7   G
Than when we'd first begun.

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