

GOD

266 Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound

F C7 Dm Bb F

1 A - maz - ing grace, how sweet the sound
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
 * 3 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares,
 4 The Lord has prom - ised good to me,
 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years,

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that saved *a wretch like me! I once was lost,
 and grace my fears re - lieved, how pre - cious did
 * I have al - read - y come, 'tis grace that brought
 this word my hope se - cures; God will my shield
 bright shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days

Bb F Dm F C7 F

but now am found, was blind, but now I see.
 that grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved.
 * me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 and por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
 to sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

* or "and strengthened"

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AMAZING GRACE (NEW BRITAIN)

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