

AMAZING GRACE

Lyrics by: John Newton 1779 (v 1-4); Anonymous (v 5)
Tune by: Virginia Harmony 1831; arranged by Edwin O. Excell 1900

KEY – D

VERSE 1

D **G** **D** **A**
Amazing grace! How sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me!
D **G** **D** **A** **D**
I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.

VERSE 2

D **G** **D** **A**
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved,
D **G** **D** **A** **D**
How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believed!

VERSE 3

D **G** **D** **A**
Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come,
D **G** **D** **A** **D**
'Tis grace hath bro't me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.

VERSE 4

D **G** **D** **A**
The Lord has promised good to me, His words my hope secure,
D **G** **D** **A** **D**
He will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures.

VERSE 5

D **G** **D** **A**
When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun,
D **G** **D** **A** **D**
We've no less days to sing God's praise, than when we first begun.