

# Forever I'll proclaim the cross

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♩=80 With feeling

D D/F# G A F# / A# Bm

1. For - ev - er I'll pro - claim the cross, Where Christ re - trieved what once was lost. To  
2. I can not help but hum - bled be, To see His righ - teous ma - jes - ty, In hu

5 D D/F# G E/G# A

sin and death I was a slave, Til He re - deemed me from the gra - ve. The  
mi - li - ty de - part His throne, To claim a cross I should have o - wned. The

9 Bm D/F# G A F# / A# Bm

Lord laid my in - i - quit - ties On Him, to bring me life and peace. His  
King of all e - ter - ni - ty Was pierced and hung up - on a tree. And the

13 Bm A/C# B/D# Em D/F#

blood was shed to set me free. He pur - chased  
curse that held him there: my sin, I can - not

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me, And paid the price\_ at Cal - va - ry.  
bear, I cast my bur - den all on Him.

3. His mercy like a crimson tide  
Came flowing from His pierced side,  
To cleanse me from my every sin,  
Who selfishly abandoned Him.  
I surely have no place for pride,  
Like Peter, I could Him deny,  
And in my hands I hold the nails,  
Yet mercy sure,  
Still bids me come within the veil.

4. Oh, glory be to Jesus Christ  
Who gave Himself to bring me life.  
No longer dead He is alive;  
Ascended Christ is glorified.  
In heaven shall I behold the scars  
On hands that orchestrate the stars,  
And I will humbly bow the knee  
Before His throne,  
And worship Him eternally.