

The King on the cross

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C F
I remember on that day
C/E G
As the tears rolled down my face
Am F C
How he bore that cross, he was bent by the weight
F G C
Yet he walked on to that lonely place

C F
As the nails found their home
C/E G
Driven deep through flesh and bone
Am F C
And his head was given a crown of its own
F G C
He had never felt more alone

Gsus G F C
Hallelujah, to the King on the Cross
Gsus G F C
Raise a banner! Our forgiveness was bought
Gsus G Am G
F Em
In the darkness, when we thought that all was lost

Dm C/E G C
It was far from over for the King on the Cross

C F
So the soldiers broke their backs
C/E G
As they pulled up all the slack
Am F C
He was lifted high there was no turning back
F G C
As the skies dipped to funeral black

C F
Then a reverence filled the clouds
C/E G
And a silence dimmed the crowd
Am F C
"It is finally complete" he cried aloud
F G C
With his eyes closed his head took a bow

C
At the cross where God's judgment fell down
Dm
At the cross where His mercy poured out
C/E
In that moment our freedom was found
F G
At the cross, at the cross

C
Graves were opened, the dead came alive
Dm
Sun was blackened, the day turned to night
C/E
We were taken from death into life,
F G
At the cross, at the cross

C F
On an island all alone
C/E G
A Revelation I was shown
Am F C
There before me stood that man I had known
F G C
Not on a cross, but now enthroned

C F
He was dressed in robes of white
C/E G
And all around him He bent the light
Am F C
As he walked among the churches he cried
F G C
"Turn back to me, my bride"

Gsus G F C
Hallelujah, to the King on the throne
Gsus G F C
Raise a banner! He is God, He alone
Gsus G Am G
F Em
In the darkness, when it looks like there's no hope,
Dm C/E G C
This King from the cross, He will lead us home