

Amazing Grace

USA, lyrics by John Newton (1725-1807)

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1. A- - - maz - ing - - - grace, how sweet the sound, that -
saved a - - - wretch like me. I -
once was - - - lost, but now I'm found, was -
blind, but - - - now I see.

2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed.
3. Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come,
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.
4. When we've been here ten thousand years,
bright shining as the sun,
we've no less praise to sing God's praise
than when we've first began.