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BREAK THE CHAINS  
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# BREAK THE CHAINS

## VICTORY IS MINE

I felt the fire the spark ignite  
A brand-new soul in the dead of night  
Thought the skies would clear the war would fade  
But the shadows grew and the devil played  
Chains were broken but the fight came fast  
A storm rolled in from a buried past  
I was reaching up he was pulling down  
But I hear the truth in the battle sound

The harder it hits the louder I sing  
Every scar's a crown for my King

I'm standing tall through the fire and pain  
The devil's claws can't break my chains  
Peace ain't the calm it's the war I face  
With God by my side in the darkest place  
Eternity calls I won't look back  
The fight's my proof I'm on the right track  
Let the flames rise high I'll still proclaim  
Victory's mine in Jesus' name!

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## VICTORY IS MINE PART 2

The hits keep coming the night gets cold  
Temptation whispers "Just let it go"  
But I've seen the cross I've felt the grace  
No tragedy can steal my place  
Through every tear through every fall  
He walks with me He's my all  
The devil roars but he's got no claim  
I'm forged in the fight I'm fuel for the flame

The harder it hits the louder I sing  
Every scar's a crown for my King

I'm standing tall through the fire and pain  
The devil's claws can't break my chains  
Peace ain't the calm it's the war I face  
With God by my side in the darkest place  
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Victory's mine in Jesus' name!

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## VICTORY IS MINE PART 3

Thankful for the battle thankful for the war  
Every strike means I'm worth fighting for  
Closer to the throne with every blow I take  
The devil's losing ground my soul won't break!  
Eternal eyes I see the prize ahead  
No grave can hold what the cross has said  
Bring the heat bring the flood bring the night  
I'm alive in Him I'm built to fight!  
I'm standing tall through the fire and pain  
The devil's claws can't break my chains  
Peace ain't the calm it's the war I face  
With God by my side in the darkest place  
Eternity calls I won't look back  
The fight's my proof I'm on the right track  
Let the flames rise high I'll still proclaim  
Victory's mine in Jesus' name!  
Yeah the fight's my song the fight's my cry  
I'm growing closer with every "why"  
Through the chaos through the fray  
God's my rock I'm here to stay

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## VICTORY IS MINE

### **Song Summary:**

A high-energy battle cry celebrating spiritual victory in the midst of ongoing attacks from the enemy. It redefines peace as fighting with God, scars as crowns, and trials as proof of purpose, declaring unshakeable triumph through Christ's name.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- 1 John 5:4 – "For everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith."  
(Victory in Jesus' name)
- Romans 8:37 – "No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us." (Standing tall through fire and pain)
- John 16:33 – "In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world." (Peace in the war, God by side)
- 2 Corinthians 12:9 – "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." (Harder it hits, louder I sing)

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I'm caught in the fire trapped in my skin  
The war in my soul yeah it's pulling me in  
Sin's got a grip it's a razor-sharp lie  
Whispering failure but I'm ready to fight  
I fall I break but I'm not alone  
Your love's my anchor it's calling me home  
No shame no chains I'm running to You  
Jesus my Savior You're breaking me through!

I'm done with the shadows done with the blame  
Your mercy's my weapon I'm shouting Your name!

Break the chains I'm alive in Your grace  
No condemnation I'm seeking Your face!  
Your love's my fire Your strength pulls me through  
I'm running to You yeah I'm running to You!

When I fall I won't hide I won't turn away  
Your forgiveness is freedom I'm here to stay!

Break the chains You're my victory won  
I'm holding You close 'til the battle is done!

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## BREAK THE CHAINS PART 2

The devil's a liar he's screaming my shame  
Telling me failure defines my name  
But You see my heart You've known all along  
You paid for my weakness You made me strong  
I confess You cleanse You make me new  
Your blood's my cover I'm breaking through  
No guilt no fear I'm standing my ground  
With You by my side I'm forever found!

I'm done with the shadows done with the blame  
Your mercy's my weapon I'm shouting Your name!

Break the chains I'm alive in Your grace  
No condemnation I'm seeking Your face!  
Your love's my fire Your strength pulls me through  
I'm running to You yeah I'm running to You!

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## BREAK THE CHAINS PART 3

When I fall I won't hide I won't turn away  
Your forgiveness is freedom I'm here to stay!

Break the chains You're my victory won  
I'm holding You close 'til the battle is done!

Every scar every fall You're rewriting my story  
You're the King You're my all crowned in glory!  
I won't let shame steal the light that You gave  
You're my refuge my rock my heart's not a slave!  
(Scream) Let it go let it break let it burn let it fade!  
Your love's the fire that sin can't evade!

No condemnation!  
You forgive You restore!  
I'm running to You Lord forevermore!

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## BREAK THE CHAINS PART 4

Break the chains I'm alive in Your grace  
No condemnation I'm seeking Your face!  
Your love's my fire Your strength pulls me through  
I'm running to You yeah I'm running to You!  
When I fall I won't hide I won't turn away  
Your forgiveness is freedom I'm here to stay!  
Break the chains You're my victory won  
I'm holding You close 'til the battle is done!

Break the chains yeah break the chains!  
With You Jesus I'll never be the same!  
I'm holding You close You're my battle cry  
Forever Your love will be my supply!

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### **Song Summary:**

A raw, defiant anthem of liberation from sin, shame, and condemnation through confession, forgiveness, and Christ's blood. It rejects the devil's lies, embraces grace as a weapon, and runs toward Jesus as the chain-breaker and victory.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Romans 8:1 – "Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus." (No condemnation)
- John 8:36 – "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." (Break the chains, alive in grace)
- 1 John 1:9 – "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." (Confess, cleanse, make new)
- Isaiah 61:1 – "He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim freedom for the captives and release from darkness for the prisoners." (Running to You, breaking through)

# BREAK THE CHAINS WHEN RUINS REMAIN

I'm sitting in the ashes where my world fell apart  
Tears carve rivers through this broken heart  
The skies are silent no answers in sight  
Why'd You let this happen God in the dead of the night?  
I'm screaming to the heavens fists clenched in pain  
Why's my life in ruins like a storm's bitter rain?  
Helpless and lost I don't know what to do  
I'm crying out to You God begging for truth  
  
Why oh God did You let this tragedy strike?  
I'm drowning in sorrow no hope in my fight  
I'm praying through the darkness alone in my cries  
What do I do when my whole world dies?

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## WHEN RUINS REMAIN PART 2

The weight of this grief it's crushing my soul  
I'm staring at the pieces no way to feel whole  
I'm asking You Father why'd You turn away?  
Did I fail You somehow to deserve this pain?  
My faith feels fragile like it's slipping through  
I'm desperate for answers God I'm pleading with You  
In this shattered silence I'm falling apart  
Show me how to heal this broken heart

Why oh God did You let this tragedy strike?  
I'm drowning in sorrow no hope in my fight  
I'm praying through the darkness alone in my cries  
What do I do when my whole world dies?

Then a whisper breaks through like a light in the storm  
Your voice from the pages where Your truth is born  
"Fear not my child for I'm still in control  
I'm weaving your story I'm mending your soul"

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## WHEN RUINS REMAIN PART 3

You say "Trust in Me though the path is unclear  
My plans are for good I'm always near"  
From Romans to Psalms Your promises sing  
"Joy comes in the morning new hope I will bring"

You tell me to stand though my strength is so small  
To cast all my burdens You'll carry them all  
Your Word lights the way through the sorrow and strife  
You're the God of the ruins the Giver of life  
I'll cling to Your truth though the pain's still alive  
Your faithfulness holds me in You I'll survive  
You're working for good though I can't see it now  
I'll trust in Your promise I'll worship somehow

Oh God You're my refuge when tragedy strikes  
You're holding my heart through the sorrowful nights  
I'll trust in Your mercy Your strength will arise  
You'll lead me through ruins to hope that won't die

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## WHEN RUINS REMAIN PART 4

You're in control God I'll rest in Your plan  
Your love never fails You'll steady my hands  
With faith as my anchor I'll rise from this pain  
Your joy will return like the dawn through the rain  
I'll keep my eyes on You through the tears and the fight  
You're my hope my Savior my eternal light

# BREAK THE CHAINS WHEN RUINS REMAIN

## **Song Summary:**

A vulnerable lament turning to hope in the aftermath of tragedy. It voices raw questions to God, then hears His whisper of control, purpose, and restoration, choosing trust and worship even while grieving, anchored in promises of joy and good.

## **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Romans 8:28 – "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him." (Weaving story, working for good)
- Psalm 30:5 – "Weeping may stay for the night, but rejoicing comes in the morning." (Joy comes in the morning)
- Psalm 34:18 – "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." (Refuge when tragedy strikes)
- Isaiah 61:3 – "To bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes." (From ruins to hope)

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## LORD OF MY HEART

You are the light that guides my way  
Through every storm You never fade  
Your word declares "I am the truth"

My Savior Lord I trust in You  
With every breath I'll sing Your praise  
Your love endures through all my days

Jesus King of glory Lord of my heart!  
Risen reigning forever You'll never depart!

I lift my hands I surrender all  
You are my God I'll answer Your call!  
Hallelujah You are Lord!  
Hallelujah You are Lord!

Your sacrifice has set me free  
The cross proclaims Your victory  
"For God so loved" You gave Your Son  
My hope my peace the Holy One  
Your grace has called me as Your own  
I'll worship You before Your throne

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## LORD OF MY HEART PART 2

Jesus King of glory Lord of my heart!  
Risen reigning forever You'll never depart!

I lift my hands I surrender all  
You are my God I'll answer Your call!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain  
Power and honor to Your name!  
Every knee will bow every tongue confess  
Jesus You are Lord my righteousness!

Oh I'll live for You my King divine

Forever Yours forever mine!

Jesus King of glory Lord of my heart!  
Risen reigning forever You'll never depart!

I lift my hands I surrender all  
You are my God I'll answer Your call!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

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## LORD OF MY HEART PART 3

Jesus King of glory Lord of my heart!  
Risen reigning forever You'll never depart!

I lift my hands I surrender all  
You are my God I'll answer Your call!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

Hallelujah You are Lord!

You are my Lord my everything  
Jesus my Savior forever I'll sing  
Hallelujah You are Lord

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## LORD OF MY HEART

### **Song Summary:**

A soaring worship declaration of Jesus as eternal King, truth, sacrifice, and righteousness. It surrenders all in praise, affirming His lordship, victory, and worthiness, with every knee bowing and heart belonging to Him forever.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- John 14:6 – "Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life.'" (Word declares "I am the truth")
- Philippians 2:10-11 – "That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow... and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord." (Every knee will bow)
- Revelation 5:12 – "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!" (Worthy is the Lamb)
- John 3:16 – "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son." (God so loved, gave His Son)

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## TRUST THROUGH THE STORM

Shadows fall the world consumes  
My heart's heavy waiting for life to resume  
Bills stack high dreams fade to dust  
But I'm clinging to the One I trust  
Life's been a fire burning my soul  
Yet through the pain He makes me whole

I can't see the road it's lost in the night  
But His eyes are eternal His vision is light

I'll worship You Lord through the hurt and sorrow  
Sing Your name loud fighting the need to wallow  
I love You I trust You though I don't understand  
You're holding my heart in Your all-knowing hands

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## TRUST THROUGH THE STORM PART 2

The world's a mess it's tearing me down  
But in the chaos Your grace is found  
Every loss a lesson every tear a gain  
You're shaping my soul through the weight of this pain  
My view's so small just a speck in Your plan  
But You see forever You're the Great I Am

I'm blind to the purpose but You know the way  
Through the storm and turmoil You're my strength every  
day

I'll worship You Lord through the hurt and sorrow  
Sing Your name loud fighting the need to wallow  
I love You I trust You though I don't understand  
You're holding my heart in Your all-knowing hands

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## TRUST THROUGH THE STORM PART 3

You never leave though I feel so alone  
Your love's the strength that carries me home  
The trials refine me they make me Your own  
In the furnace of pain I'm never unknown

I'll worship You Lord through the hurt and sorrow  
Sing Your name loud fighting the need to wallow  
I love You I trust You though I don't understand  
You're holding my heart in Your all-knowing hands

So I'll stand in the turmoil with my eyes on Your face  
Trusting Your mercy resting in grace  
The storm's not the end it's just part of Your art  
You're growing my soul and You're holding my heart

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## TRUST THROUGH THE STORM

### **Song Summary:**

A steadfast resolve to worship and trust God amid financial, emotional, and spiritual storms. It acknowledges limited sight but clings to His eternal vision, refining fire, and faithful presence, growing faith through pain.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Proverbs 3:5-6 – "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding." (Trust though I don't understand)
- Isaiah 26:3 – "You will keep in perfect peace those whose minds are steadfast, because they trust in you." (Worship through hurt and sorrow)
- Malachi 3:3 – "He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver; he will purify the Levites and refine them like gold and silver." (Trials refine me)
- Psalm 139:23-24 – "Search me, God, and know my heart... lead me in the way everlasting." (Holding my heart in all-knowing hands)

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## RISE FROM THE DUST

I was sinking in quicksand heart torn and frayed  
Ghosts of my failures they danced in the shade  
Anxiety burned like a fever that won't break  
Every step that I took felt like one more mistake  
Something was missing a hole in my soul  
Running from shadows but losing control

Then You called my name Lord through the howl of the storm  
Your mercy wrapped 'round me kept my spirit warm  
From ashes to glory You pulled me above  
Jesus my Savior You filled me with love

Nights were a prison locked tight in my head  
Depression a weight pinned me down in my bed  
I'd scream at the silence but no one would hear  
Drowning in regrets choking on fear

But Your voice cut the darkness like a blade through the lies  
Said "Son I'm your refuge now open your eyes"

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## RISE FROM THE DUST PART 2

You called my name Lord through the howl of the storm  
Your mercy wrapped 'round me kept my spirit warm  
From ashes to glory You pulled me above  
Jesus my Savior You filled me with love

You broke all my shackles washed my sins in the flood  
Turned my tears into rivers my doubts into blood  
Now I'm standing on solid ground free from the rust  
With Your hand on my shoulder I'll rise from the dust

You called my name Lord through the howl of the storm  
Your mercy wrapped 'round me kept my spirit warm  
From ashes to glory You pulled me above  
Jesus my Savior You filled me with love

So I'll walk in Your light leave the shadows behind  
With Your peace in my heart and Your truth in my mind  
Thank You for staying for never letting go  
Lord Your grace is the fire that's burning my soul

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## RISE FROM THE DUST

### **Song Summary:**

A redemption story from depression, anxiety, and failure to resurrection through Jesus' call and mercy. It moves from quicksand and darkness to solid ground and fire-filled purpose, praising God for never letting go.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Isaiah 61:3 – "To provide for those who grieve in Zion—to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes." (From ashes to glory)
- Psalm 40:2 – "He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock." (Pulled me above, solid ground)
- Psalm 3:3 – "But you, Lord, are a shield around me, my glory, the One who lifts my head high." (Rise from the dust)
- 2 Corinthians 5:17 – "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!" (Filled with love, burning soul)

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## FREEDOM'S FIRE

I was chained to the dark weighed down by my shame  
Chasing shadows and sparks but they burned out the same  
Thought freedom was mine in the things I held tight  
But they owned me controlled me kept me lost in the fight

They said "Hold on to the world don't let it slip away  
You'll lose all your desires if you kneel down to pray"  
But I took that step let the old life unwind  
And found a fire in my soul that the world couldn't bind

Oh I'm free I'm alive with a hope that won't fade!  
The weight of my sin's been forever erased!  
No guilt no chains just a heart set ablaze  
Jesus saved me and I'm soaring in grace!  
Freedom's fire burning deep in my soul  
I'm whole I'm home He's made me whole!

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## FREEDOM'S FIRE PART 2

The things I once craved they don't call me no more  
They're dust in the wind scattered far from my door  
The world says I'm bound but I'm running unchained  
With a peace in my heart that no storm can restrain

The guilt that once crushed me it's buried and gone  
Replaced with a joy that keeps pushing me on  
I'm secure in His love with a hope that won't break  
Every step that I take I'm alive I'm awake!

Oh I'm free I'm alive with a hope that won't fade!  
The weight of my sin's been forever erased!  
No guilt no chains just a heart set ablaze  
Jesus saved me and I'm soaring in grace!  
Freedom's fire burning deep in my soul  
I'm whole I'm home He's made me whole!

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## FREEDOM'S FIRE PART 3

They don't understand they think I'm confined  
But I've traded my burdens for a peace so divine  
No sacrifice compares to the life that I've gained  
In His love in His truth I'm forever unchained!

Oh I'm free I'm alive with a hope that won't fade!  
The weight of my sin's been forever erased!  
No guilt no chains just a heart set ablaze  
Jesus saved me and I'm soaring in grace!  
Freedom's fire burning deep in my soul  
I'm whole I'm home He's made me whole!

Freedom's fire it's the ultimate high  
No sin no shame just His love in my life  
I'm saved I'm secure with a heart that's set free  
Jesus is my savior and He's all that I need

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## FREEDOM'S FIRE

### **Song Summary:**

A joyful testimony of trading worldly chains and fleeting desires for true freedom in Christ. It contrasts emptiness of materialism with the unquenchable fire of grace, guilt erased, and security in His love.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- John 8:36 – "So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed." (Free, alive, heart set ablaze)
- Galatians 5:1 – "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery." (No guilt, no chains)
- Psalm 37:4 – "Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart." (Things don't call anymore)
- Romans 6:6 – "For we know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body ruled by sin might be done away with." (Weight of sin erased)

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## ABRAHAM'S CRY

Up on the mountain heart heavy like stone

Abraham climbs he's never alone

Isaac beside him his only son

God's promise burns the chosen one

A voice from the heavens cuts through the air

"Take your boy to Moriah meet Me there

Offer him up a sacrifice true"

God's call breaks his heart what's a father to do?

Soul's in a storm ripped in two

Love for my son but God I need You

Knife in my grip heart locked in chains

Faith fights the fear drowning in pain

He's my hope my miracle light

Born from Sarah my joy my heart's delight

Years of waiting now this demand

God my heart's bleeding in Your hands

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## ABRAHAM'S CRY PART 2

I'm breaking shaking world's caving in  
Son of the promise where do I begin?  
Trust in the Father though shadows surround  
Raise up the knife my heart hits the ground  
God You provide You see all my pain  
Grace through the fire You'll break these chains  
From ashes of doubt Your mercy will soar  
Abraham's cry echoes Christ's roar

Isaac looks up "Dad where's the lamb?"  
Words catch in my throat can't speak the plan  
"God will provide" I whisper through tears  
Burying the weight of my deepest fears  
Stacking the altar stone on stone  
Each one a plea I'm not alone  
Binding his hands my soul starts to scream  
No way back now no waking dream

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## ABRAHAM'S CRY PART 3

Why this trial Lord? Why this cost?

My only son must he be lost?

Yet You gave Your own no holding back

Love so fierce it bridges the black

Through the anguish Your truth shines bright

Your Son for my sin the ultimate fight

Here on this peak Your promise holds fast

Grace in the ram salvation will last

I'm breaking shaking world's caving in

Son of the promise where do I begin?

Trust in the Father though shadows surround

Raise up the knife my heart hits the ground

God You provide You see all my pain

Grace through the fire You'll break these chains

From ashes of doubt Your mercy will soar

Abraham's cry echoes Christ's roar

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## ABRAHAM'S CRY PART 4

"Abraham stop!" the angel's voice rings

"Drop the knife no offering!"

Ram in the thicket caught in the dawn

God's provision when hope was gone

Faith held strong through the darkest fight

Trusted the Lord in the blackest night

From this mountain to the cross's call

God gave His Son to redeem us all

From Moriah's slope to Calvary's pain

God's love runs deep His promise remains

Abraham's story a shadow a flame

Jesus the Lamb forever the same

Scream this truth let the fire ascend

Faith through the flames His grace won't end

Lift up your hands let the heavens ignite

In Christ alone we're saved by His light

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## ABRAHAM'S CRY

### **Song Summary:**

A dramatic retelling of Abraham's test on Moriah, wrestling faith and heartbreak while trusting God's provision. It foreshadows Christ's sacrifice, showing obedience through anguish leads to grace, ram, and ultimate redemption.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Genesis 22:2 – "Take your son, your only son, whom you love—Isaac—and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there." (Mountain, knife, heart in chains)
- Genesis 22:8 – "Abraham answered, 'God himself will provide the lamb for the burnt offering, my son.'" (God will provide)
- Genesis 22:13-14 – "Abraham looked up and there in a thicket he saw a ram... So Abraham called that place The Lord Will Provide." (Ram in the thicket)
- Hebrews 11:17-19 – "By faith Abraham, when God tested him, offered Isaac... Abraham reasoned that God could even raise the dead." (Faith fights fear)

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## FACE YOUR GIANT

Young David walked through the valley low  
Five smooth stones in a shepherd's throw  
A giant stood nine feet tall and grim  
Goliath mocked but David trusted in Him  
With a sling in hand and fire in his soul  
He heard the taunts but his faith was whole  
The armies quaked but he stood his ground  
In the name of the Lord victory was found

Stone and sling faith will rise  
God's own hand lights up the skies  
Like David bold we face the fight  
Jesus leads us through the night  
With trust in Him the giants fall  
The cross stands taller than them all

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## FACE YOUR GIANT PART 2

No armor worn just a heart sincere  
The shepherd boy with no trace of fear  
He slung that stone and the giant crashed  
God's mighty power in a single flash  
The foe was slain by a humble man  
Whose faith in God held the battle plan  
From Bethlehem's fields to the cross's pain  
Jesus fought our sin broke every chain

Stone and sling faith will rise  
God's own hand lights up the skies  
Like David bold we face the fight  
Jesus leads us through the night  
With trust in Him the giants fall  
The cross stands taller than them all

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## FACE YOUR GIANT PART 3

Giants loom in shadows deep  
Fear and doubt where strongholds creep  
But David's God is ours today  
Jesus speaks and fears obey  
Through His blood the victory's won  
The Son of David God's own Son

Stone and sling faith will rise  
God's own hand lights up the skies  
Like David bold we face the fight  
Jesus leads us through the night  
With trust in Him the giants fall  
The cross stands taller than them all

So take your stand though the odds are slim  
With faith like David put your trust in Him  
The giant falls when we call His name  
Jesus reigns and the victory's claimed

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## FACE YOUR GIANT

### **Song Summary:**

Recounts David's triumph over Goliath through faith, not armor, linking it to Christ's victory over sin. It empowers believers to confront personal giants with trust in Jesus, the greater Son of David.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- 1 Samuel 17:45 – "David said to the Philistine, 'You come against me with sword and spear... but I come against you in the name of the Lord Almighty.'" (In the name of the Lord)
- 1 Samuel 17:47 – "All those gathered here will know that it is not by sword or spear that the Lord saves; for the battle is the Lord's." (Giants fall, God's hand)
- 1 John 5:4 – "For everyone born of God overcomes the world." (Victory won through blood)
- Psalm 27:1 – "The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear?" (No trace of fear)

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## FOR SUCH A TIME

In the shadows of a kingdom where the silence screams

A girl with no crown carries heaven's dreams

Orphaned in the fire raised in humble dust

But a spark in her soul says "In God we trust"

The palace calls her name a queen she'll be

Yet the weight of the world's what she can't foresee

Oh the fear is rising heart's a battle drum

But a voice keeps whispering "Your time will come"

For such a time as this she stands she fights!

A flame in the dark burning through the night!

God's plan unfolds in the courage she shows

Esther rises where His purpose grows!

Whoa-oh-oh for such a time!

Whoa-oh-oh His will divine!

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## FOR SUCH A TIME PART 2

A plot in the shadows death's decree is signed  
Her people marked to fall no hope left to find  
But Mordecai's words cut through her dread  
"Will you stand for the lost or bow your head?"  
She prays through the trembling fasting in the storm  
God's strength in her veins a hero is born

Oh the chains are breaking faith will overcome  
In the fire of His plan her moment has come

For such a time as this she stands she fights!  
A flame in the dark burning through the night!  
God's plan unfolds in the courage she shows  
Esther rises where His purpose grows!

Whoa-oh-oh for such a time!

Whoa-oh-oh His will divine!

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## FOR SUCH A TIME PART 3

No miracles no signs just a heart that's true  
God's hand in the quiet moving through you  
From ashes to glory His story's alive  
Every step every fear He's planned to thrive!  
She walks to the throne with no guarantee  
Yet His power ignites her destiny!

For such a time as this we're called to be  
The spark in the dark His eternity  
Esther's story lives in the choices we make  
God's plan is alive for His name's sake!  
Whoa-oh-oh for such a time!  
Whoa-oh-oh forever Thine!

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## FOR SUCH A TIME

### **Song Summary:**

Retells Esther's courage in facing genocide, fasting, and risking her life for her people. It emphasizes God's hidden hand in ordinary faithfulness, calling believers to rise in their moment for His purpose.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Esther 4:14 – "For if you remain silent at this time... who knows but that you have come to your royal position for such a time as this?" (For such a time as this)
- Esther 4:16 – "I will go to the king, even though it is against the law. And if I perish, I perish." (Walks to throne, no guarantee)
- Proverbs 31:25 – "She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come." (Courage she shows)
- Philippians 1:6 – "He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion." (God's plan unfolds)

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## MAN OF GOD

In Canaan's land a boy was born  
Joseph loved with dreams adorned  
A coat of colors father's pride  
Yet brothers' envy burned inside  
Through betrayal's sting his heart stayed true  
God's vision whispered "I'm with you"

Oh Joseph man of God you rise  
With courage bold and faithful eyes  
From pit to palace grace you show  
A life that honors God we know  
Through trials deep your heart forgave  
Your story shines your soul was brave

Sold to chains a stranger's land  
Yet God held Joseph in His hand  
In Potiphar's house he served with care  
His honor stood through temptress' snare  
Falsely accused in prison cast  
Still Joseph's faith would hold steadfast

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## MAN OF GOD PART 2

Oh Joseph man of God you rise  
With courage bold and faithful eyes  
From pit to palace grace you show  
A life that honors God we know  
Through trials deep your heart forgave  
Your story shines your soul was brave

In dungeon dark he read the signs  
God's gift to see through dream-lit lines  
Pharaoh called and Joseph stood  
His wisdom turned the bad to good  
A leader born from suffering's flame  
He saved a nation praised God's name

When brothers came their guilt revealed  
He wept forgave his heart was healed  
"You meant me harm but God meant good  
His plan prevailed as always stood"  
With open arms he showed the way  
To live for God through every day

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## MAN OF GOD PART 3

Oh Joseph man of God you rise  
With courage bold and faithful eyes  
From pit to palace grace you show  
A life that honors God we know  
Through trials deep your heart forgave  
Your story shines your soul was brave

So let us walk as Joseph did  
With faith unshaken love unhid  
In every trial trust God's plan  
And live as His devoted man  
Oh Joseph's life a light to see  
A path to God for you and me

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## MAN OF GOD

### **Song Summary:**

Chronicles Joseph's journey from favored son to betrayed slave, prisoner, and ruler, highlighting forgiveness, integrity, and God's sovereignty turning evil to good, inspiring steadfast faith.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Genesis 50:20 – "You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives." (Meant harm, God meant good)
- Genesis 39:2-3 – "The Lord was with Joseph so that he prospered... his master saw that the Lord was with him." (God held in His hand)
- Psalm 105:17-19 – "He sent a man before them—Joseph, sold as a slave... till what he foretold came to pass." (Pit to palace)
- Matthew 6:33 – "But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." (Life that honors God)

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## RAIN'S GONNA FALL

The world's gone wrong hearts turned to stone  
Violence in the streets God's all alone  
He whispers to me through the dust through the grim  
"Build me an ark let the end begin"  
My hands are calloused my soul feels torn  
Carvin' out salvation while the world's reborn

Rain's gonna fall wash it all away  
Carry this weight through the night and the day  
God's voice is thunder His heart's full of pain  
I'm holdin' the promise in the pourin' rain

The gopher wood creaks my hammer's my prayer  
Folks laugh and they curse but I don't meet their stare  
Two by two the beasts come to me  
A parade of life in the shadow of the sea  
My heart's breakin' for the souls left behind  
But I trust in the One who's drawin' the line

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## RAIN'S GONNA FALL PART 2

Rain's gonna fall wash it all away  
Carry this weight through the night and the day  
God's voice is thunder His heart's full of pain  
I'm holdin' the promise in the pourin' rain

Why me oh Lord this burden to bear?  
The cries of the lost haunt the midnight air  
Forty days forty nights the flood will rise  
I'm drownin' in sorrow but I see Your skies  
A bow in the clouds Your vow to the earth  
A new day comin' a world given birth

Rain's gonna fall wash it all away  
Carry this weight through the night and the day  
God's voice is thunder His heart's full of pain  
I'm holdin' the promise in the pourin' rain  
The waters recede the dove finds its way  
I'm standin' on faith at the dawn of the day  
The world's born anew but the scars remain  
I carried Your plan through the pourin' rain

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## RAIN'S GONNA FALL

### **Song Inspiration Summary:**

Enters Noah's obedience amid mockery, building the ark while grieving lost souls. It trusts God's judgment and promise, carrying salvation through the storm to a renewed world and covenant rainbow.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Genesis 6:22 – "Noah did everything just as God commanded him." (Build me an ark)
- Genesis 7:5 – "And Noah did all that the Lord commanded him." (Hammer's my prayer)
- Genesis 9:13 – "I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant." (Bow in the clouds)
- Hebrews 11:7 – "By faith Noah... built an ark to save his family. By his faith he condemned the world." (Holding the promise in pouring rain)

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## DAMASCUS ROAD

Sauls on the hunt fire in his eyes  
Letters in hand gonna crush their cries  
Bound for Damascus chains in his plan  
Persecuting the faithful a dangerous man  
Stephens blood stains hes fueled by rage  
Blinded by zeal trapped in a cage

Runnin so fast chasin a lie  
Somethins breakin tearin the sky

Light from the heavens rips through my soul  
Christ's voice is callin makin me whole  
"Saul why you fight me?" Im shakin on the ground  
Damascus Road where my life was found  
Ohohoh forever changed  
Ohohoh Ill never be the same

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## DAMASCUS ROAD PART 2

Blinding flash Im down in the dirt  
Voice like thunder every word hurts  
"Jesus its you?" my prides torn apart  
Three days blind truth burns in my heart  
Ananias prays scales fall away  
Sauls dead Pauls born Im risin today

Lost in the fire but He called me to rise  
Livin for truth got His light in my eyes

Light from the heavens rips through my soul  
Christ's voice is callin makin me whole  
"Saul why you fight me?" Im shakin on the ground  
Damascus Road where my life was found  
Ohohoh forever changed  
Ohohoh Ill never be the same

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## DAMASCUS ROAD PART 3

Now I preach His name in the fire in the fight  
From darkness to glory Im carryin His light  
Once I broke hope now Im buildin it high  
Christ's loves my strength I aint scared to die

Light from the heavens rips through my soul  
Christ's voice is callin makin me whole  
"Saul why you fight me?" Im shakin on the ground  
Damascus Road where my life was found  
Ohohoh forever changed  
Ohohoh Ill never be the same

Damascus Road where truth broke through  
Saul's gone Paul's here Christ made me new

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## DAMASCUS ROAD

### **Song Summary:**

Dramatizes Saul's blinding encounter with Christ, transforming persecutor to apostle. It celebrates radical conversion, scales falling, and a new mission to carry light from darkness to glory.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Acts 9:3-4 – "Suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, 'Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?'" (Light rips soul, voice calling)
- Acts 9:18 – "Immediately, something like scales fell from Saul's eyes, and he could see again." (Scales fall away)
- Acts 9:15 – "This man is my chosen instrument to proclaim my name to the Gentiles." (From darkness to glory)
- 2 Corinthians 4:6 – "For God... made his light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of God's glory." (Light in my eyes)

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## HERALD'S CALL

Born in the desert with a heart of stone  
Clothed in camel's hair John stood alone  
Crying in the wilderness "Prepare the way!"

The Kingdom's coming no time to delay  
Baptizing the broken by the Jordan's flow  
Pointing to the One who'll make the world whole

He said "I'm not the light but I carry the spark  
Clearing the path through the sin and the dark!"

Herald's call ringing through the night!  
Paving the way for the holy light!  
With a heart of steel and a soul so true  
John laid it down for the King to break through!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Herald's call!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Rising tall!

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## HERALD'S CALL PART 2

He saw the Lamb by the river's bend  
"Behold the One who takes the sin of men!"  
No fear in his eyes he called out the wrong  
Spoke truth to power though it wouldn't be long  
Herod's blade was sharp but his faith was strong  
For God's own glory he'd march headlong

He said "I'm not the light but I carry the spark  
Clearing the path through the sin and the dark!"

Herald's call ringing through the night!  
Paving the way for the holy light!  
With a heart of steel and a soul so true  
John laid it down for the King to break through!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Herald's call!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Rising tall!

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## HERALD'S CALL PART 3

He faced the darkness never turned away  
Lived for the promise of a brighter day  
His blood on the ground but his voice still cries  
"Repent believe for the Lord will rise!"  
(Explosive instrumental break heavy guitars)

Herald's call ringing through the night!  
Paving the way for the holy light!  
With a heart of steel and a soul so true  
John laid it down for the King to break through!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Herald's call!  
(Whoa-oh-oh) Rising tall!

Out in the wild where silence dwells  
The herald's voice still echoes and swells...  
Prepare the way... prepare the way...

# BREAK THE CHAINS

## HERALD'S CALL

### **Song Summary:**

Honors John the Baptist's wilderness ministry, preparing hearts for Jesus. It portrays his boldness, truth-telling, and martyrdom, with his voice still echoing "Repent" and pointing to the Lamb.

### **Supporting Bible Verses:**

- Matthew 3:1-3 – "In those days John the Baptist came, preaching in the wilderness... 'Prepare the way for the Lord.'" (Crying in wilderness)
- John 1:29 – "The next day John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, 'Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!'" (Behold the Lamb)
- Mark 6:27-28 – "So he immediately sent an executioner with orders to bring John's head." (Herod's blade, blood on ground)
- Isaiah 40:3 – "A voice of one calling: 'In the wilderness prepare the way for the Lord.'" (Herald's call ringing)

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## PRODUCTION NOTES

### **Equipment:**

Audio Interface: SSL18

Microphones: Shure SM7b, Shure SM57, Rode NT1, SE SE8, Sennheiser E609

Guitars and Bass: Fender Vintera and American Deluxe Stratocasters, Epiphone 1959 Limited Edition, Les Paul, Gretsch Electromatic G5655TG, Squier Classic Vibes Jazz Master Bass

Amps and Effects: Neural DSP Quad Cortex, IK Multimedia Tonex Pedal, Strymon Big Sky MX, Eventide H90, JHS Morning Glory, JHS Color Box, JHS @+, JHS Notaklon, JHS Hard Drive, Keeley MK3 Driver, KingTone MinFuzz V2, Kingtone Duelist, Browne Amps Protein, Silktone Fuzz, UA Max, UA Dream 65, UA Lion, UA Anti, UA Enigmatic, UA Starlight, UA Golden

Keyboards: M-audio Keystation61 MK3

Monitors: IK Multimedia Precision MTM

Headphones: Sennhieser HD650, Steven Slate Audio VSX

### **Software:**

Daw:Apple Logic Pro

Plug\_Ins: Antares Auto Tune Pro Suite, Blackstar St. James and JJN, Izotope (Nectar 4, Neutron5, Ozone 11), Neural DSP (Plini X, Cory Wong X, Fortin Nameless, Tom Morello X, Gojira, Slo100, Tone King Imperial), Sonible Smart Suite, SSL Suite, UA Spark plugins, Waves Curves AQ, IK Multimedia Studio Suite

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