

Because I Love You

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Verse 1

G Gsus G(no3) C/A
Oh Prince and Ruler of my heart I know I've only seen a part
G Gsus G(no3) C/A G/B C
of all Your humble agonies which you endured to rescue me

Verse 2

G Gsus G(no3) C/A
a thousand hearts would be too few to fully love & treasure You
G Gsus G(no3) C/A Em
but I have just one heart to give so here it is & may it be Your throne

Pre-Chorus

Em D
so whether I live or I die
C G D
may this be the chorus of my parting cry

Chorus

C G/B D/A
may the passion and the purpose of my life
C G/B D/A
be summarized in glorifying Christ
Am G/B C
You are the overwhelming yearning of my soul
Am G/B C D
no matter what I must endure I'll gladly go *(2nd time go to Bridge)*
Em D/F# C Em D/F# G
because I love you Lord, because I love You Lord

Verse 3

I truly long to bring You praise as I walk the narrow way
so wean my soul of earthly things, by purging me through pain & suffering

Bridge

G D Em D G D Em D
because I love You Lord because I love You Lord
Em D Am G
though all the world would mock Your truth I'll delight to follow You
Em D
not like a duty-driven Pharisee
Am G/B D
but from a joyful heart that loves You Lord