

To Live Is Christ**Intro:** **A D2 A D2** *This is a gentle song; the guitar can light strum or pick.***VERSE 1:****F#m7**

Before You gave us life and breath

A

You numbered all our days

F#m7

You set Your gracious love on us

Asus2

And chose us to be saved

Dsus2

This fleeting life is passing by

A/C#

With all its joys and pain

Dsus2

But we believe to live is Christ

Esus4 E

And death is gain

CHORUS**A****Dsus2**

To live is Christ, to die is gain

A**Dsus2**

In every age this truth remains

F#m**Dsus2**

We will not fear, we're unashamed

Bm7 Amaj7/C# Dsus2

To live is Christ

A | Dsus2

To die is gain

VERSE 2**F#m7**

And though we grieve for those we love

A

Who fall asleep in Christ

F#m7

We know they'll see the Savior's face

A

And gaze into His eyes

Dsus2

So now we grieve, yet we don't grieve

A/C#

As those who have no hope

Dsus2

For just as Jesus rose again

Esus4 E

He'll raise His own

CHORUS**A****Dsus2**

To live is Christ, to die is gain

A**Dsus2**

In every age this truth remains

F#m**Dsus2**

We will not fear, we're unashamed

Bm7 Amaj7/C# Dsus2

To live is Christ

A Dsus2 *(hold for 4 counts into interlude)*

To die is gain

INTERLUDE (optional)**Bm7 F#m7 | Esus4 E | F#m7 | Dsus2 | Bm7 F#m7 | Esus4 E |**

VERSE 3**F#m7**

And now we're longing for the day

A

We'll see the Lamb once slain

F#m7

Who saved a countless multitude

A

To glorify His name

Dsus2

We're yearning for the wedding feast

A/C#

Of Jesus and His bride

Dsus2

His nail-scarred hands will finally

Esus4 E

Bring us to His side

CHORUS**A****Dsus2**

To live is Christ, to die is gain

A**Dsus2**

In every age this truth remains

F#m**Dsus2**

We will not fear, we're unashamed

Bm7 A/C# F#m7 A/E

To live is Christ

Bm7 A/C# D

To live is Christ

A | Dsus2 | A (End on A)

To die is gain

