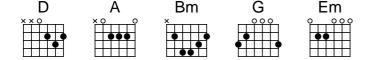
## **Brighter than Today**

G Countless winter nights ago, But courage, hope and reason burn, A woman shivered in the cold. In every mind, each lesson learned, Shining light to guide our way Cursed the skies, and wondered why Вm The gods invented pain. Make tomorrow brighter than to-day... Oh, tomorrow can be brighter than to-day. Aching angry flesh and bone, VERSE 2 Bitterly she struck the stone Till she saw that sudden spark Ages long forgotten now, Of light, and golden flame. We built the wheel and then the plough. Вm Tilled the earth and proved our worth, She showed the others, but they told her Against the drought and snow. She was not fit to control The primal forces that the gods Soon we had the time to fathom Had cloaked in mystery Mountain peaks and tiny atoms, Bm Beating hearts, electric sparks, and But she would not be satisfied. So much more to know. And though she trembled, she defied them **CHORUS:** Took her torch and raised it high Tomorrow can be brighter than Set afire history. to-day, although the night is cold. Oh, The stars may seem so very far CHORUS: away... G Tomorrow can be brighter than But courage, hope and reason grow, today, although the night is cold. With every passing season so we'll The stars may seem so very far Drive the darkness far away... away... Bm Make tomorrow brighter than to-day...



Em G Oh, tomorrow can be brighter than to-day. VERSE 3 The universe may seem unfair. The laws of nature may not care. The storms and quakes, our own mistakes, They nearly doused our flame. D But all these trials we've endured With lessons learned, diseases cured Against our herculean task We've risen to proclaim. CHORUS: G Tomorrow can be brighter than to-day Although the night is cold. The stars may seem so very far Away... G But courage, hope and reason bloom, Across the world and one day soon we'll Rise up to the stars and say... Вт Make tomorrow brighter than to-day... Oh, tomorrow can be brighter than to-day.

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