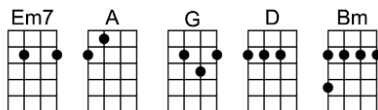


LORD OF THE DANCE-lyrics-Sydney Carter

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Intro: Em7 A G D Bm D Bm
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D Bm D
 I danced in the morning when the world was begun,

Em7 A
 And I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,

D Bm D Em7 A G D
 And I came down from heaven, and I danced on the earth, at Bethle-hem I had my birth.

D Bm D Em7 A
 Dance, then, where-ever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A G (D Bm) X2
 And I'll lead you all, where-ever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A
 I danced for the scribe and the pharisee, but they would not dance, and they wouldn't follow me.

D Bm D Em7 A G D
 I danced for the fishermen, for James and John. They came with me, and the Dance went on.

D Bm D Em7 A
 Dance, then, where-ever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A G (D Bm) X2
 And I'll lead you all, where-ever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he

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D Bm D Em7 A
I danced on the Sabbath, and I cured the lame; the holy people said it was a shame.

D Bm D
They whipped, and they stripped, and they hung me high,

Em7 A G (D Bm) X2
And they left me there on a Cross to die.

D Bm D Em7 A
I danced on a Friday, when the sky turned black. It's hard to dance with the devil on your back.

D Bm D Em7 A G D
They buried my body, and they thought I'd gone, but I am the Dance, and I still go on.

D Bm D Em7 A
Dance, then, where-ever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A G (D Bm) X2
And I'll lead you all, where-ever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A
They cut me down, and I leapt up high; I am the life that'll never, never die;

D Bm D Em7 A G D
I'll live in you if you'll live in me. I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

D Bm D Em7 A
Dance, then, where-ever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he

D Bm D Em7 A G D
And I'll lead you all, where-ever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he