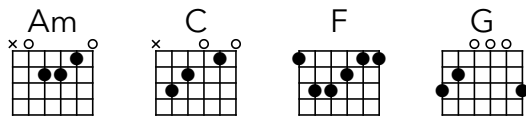


Bear and Endure



Capo: I

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F C
how would the heat of Thy words prevail?

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Were it not for calamity,
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how would the sun of Thy patience shine?

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Lament not because of the wicked.

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Thou wert created

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By Thine aloneness the Sun of Oneness shone,
Am C F G
and by Thy banishment the land of Unity was adorned.

Am C
||: Be patient, be patient, be patient,
F G
O Thou Exile of the worlds. :||

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At the same time:

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|| to bear and endure, oh, to bear and endure, oh ||
||: Bahá is drowning in a sea of tribulation:
Where is the Ark of Thy salvation,
O Savior of the worlds, O Savior of the worlds? :||