

Because He Lives

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Key - G | Time - 4/4



VERSE 1

G/D **D⁷** **G** God sent His Son they called Him Jesus
G **D⁷/A** **G/B** **C** **G/D** **D#⁷** **Am⁷/E** **D⁷**
He came to love heal and for - give
Bm/D **D⁷** **G** He bled and died to buy my pardon
Cm⁶ **G/D** **D⁷** **G**
An emp - ty grave is there to prove my Savior lives

CHORUS

G/D **G/B** **D/A** **G** Be - cause He lives I can face to - morrow
G **D⁷/A** **G/B** **Em⁷** **Am⁷** **D**
Because He lives all fear is gone
D/C **G/B** **D** **G** **D⁷/A** **G/B** **G** **G^{7sus}** **G⁷** **C**
Be - cause I know He holds the future
Cm⁶ **G/D** **G/F** **E⁷** **A⁷** **D⁷** **G**
And life is worth the living just be - cause He lives

VERSE 2

G/D **D⁷** **G** How sweet to hold our new - born baby
G **D⁷/A** **G/B** **C** **G/D** **D#⁷** **Am⁷/E** **D⁷**
And feel the pride and joy he gives
Bm/D **D⁷** **G** But great - er still the calm as - surance
Cm⁶ **G/D** **D⁷** **G**
This child can face uncertain days because Christ lives

VERSE 3

G/D **D⁷** **G** And then one day I'll cross that river
G **D⁷/A** **G/B** **C** **G/D** **D#⁷** **Am⁷/E** **D⁷**
I'll fight life's fi - nal war with pain
Bm/D **D⁷** **G** And then as death gives way to vict'ry
Cm⁶ **G/D** **D⁷** **G**
I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He reigns

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