

# Where the Light Shines Through

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Key: A

[Intro]  
A D A G D

[V1]  
A  
When you're feeling like an astronaut  
D  
Stuck on a planet even time forgot, and  
A G D  
You're a version of yourself, but you're not the same  
A  
You try to keep the wound camouflaged, and  
D  
The stitches heal, but the years are lost, and  
A G D  
Another bottle on the shelf can't numb the pain

[PC1]  
Bm  
Why you running from yourself now?  
E  
You can't run away

[C]  
A D  
'cause your scars shine like dark stars  
A G D  
Yeah, your wounds are where the light shines through  
A D  
So let's go there, to that place where  
Em D  
We sing these broken prayers where the light shines through  
A G  
The wound is where the light shines through  
D A G D  
Yeah, the wound is where the light shines through

[V2]  
A  
Ain't we all just Abraham's son?  
D  
Saint and sinner with the song and drum, and  
A G D  
We're falling on our knees, we all bleed the same  
A  
And the only tattoos that I have are scars  
D  
I got your name written on my heart  
A G D  
And the story that brought us here ain't the thing that changed, no

[PC2]  
Bm  
I wanna see that light shining  
E  
Brighter than the pain

[C2]  
A D  
'cause your scars shine like a dark star  
A G D  
Yeah, your wounds are where the light shines through  
A D  
So let's go there, to that place where  
Em D  
We sing these broken prayers where the light shines through  
A  
The wound is where the light shines through  
A A# B

[B]  
C G  
Mama, ain't the blood just proof I'm human?  
A# F A A# B  
Mama, ain't the wound just retribution?  
C E D  
Well Mama, ain't the scar like a vision of grace?  
A G D A  
(It's the scars that make a man  
G D A  
So maybe all these scars are [friends?])

[Outro]  
D  
The wound is where the light shines through

A  
The wound is where the light finds you  
D  
The wound is where the light shines through (Yeah)  
The wound is where the light (finds you)  
F#m  
Yeah, your scars (The wound is where the light shines through  
D  
shine like dark stars (The wound is where the light finds you  
Em  
Yeah, the wound is where the (The wound is where the shines t  
G D  
light shines through  
A  
It's where the light shines through  
G D A  
Yeah, yeah, it's where the light shines through  
G D A  
Yeah, the only tattoo I have  
G D A  
Oh, oh, oh, oh, it's where the light shines through  
G D A G  
Where the light shines, where the the light shines through  
A G D  
Where the light shines through  
A  
It's where the light shines through