

Footprints

Esther Colman

Recorded Key - Bb major

Intro:

Bb

Verse 1:

Bb

Unsure of where you're standing?

Do you need a compass or a light?

Eb/G

F

The walls are falling down all around you. Tell me,

Eb/G

F

Are you petrified?

Bb

Take my hand.

Verse 2:

Bb

My child, I chose you long ago,

Gm

I chased you down in the dark.

Dm

And I hear you ask me why,

Eb

Why would you take the time?

Cm

Bb/D

F

You always did underestimate your worth.

Chorus: (Repeat)

Bb

Gm

Take my hand and I'll lead you through this desert.

Eb

F

Bb

And when you stumble, I'll carry you across the sands.

And when this journey's ended,

Gm

Of course I'll send down the rains

Eb

F

Bb

And you'll see two sets of footprints across the plains.

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Verse 3:

Bb

Unsure of the walls around?

Gm

Please don't try to hide

Or be afraid to make a sound.

Eb

F

Bb

All that you need was bought at Calvary.

Verse 4:

Bb

Unsure of the ground below?

Bb/D

Kick off your shoes and come home.

Eb

F

Bb

All that you need was bought at Calvary.

Chorus: (Repeat)

Bb

Gm

Take my hand and I'll lead you through this desert.

Eb

F

Bb

And when you stumble, I'll carry you across the sands.

And when this journey's ended,

Gm

Of course I'll send down the rains

Eb

F

Bb

And you'll see two sets of footprints across the plains.

Bridge 1:

Eb

Bb

F

For you, I bore the cross of salvation,

Eb

Gm

F

I purchased your soul with my blood.

Eb

Bb/D

I bore the cross and died, so that you'd have eternal life,

Cm

Bb/D

I purchased your soul with my pain and flesh and blood.

Eb

And I'll never leave your side,

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Bb/D

That's the promise I made when I took the nails.

Cm Bb/D Eb F

My darling child, please know you are blessed because...

Eb

You are mine.

Bb/D

The rains are lashing down,

Cm

This is a good sign.

Bb/D

I'm holding out my hand,

Eb

Just come inside.

Bb/D

I'm waiting at the door,

Cm

But you're pressed against the wall like you're

F^{sus4} F

Petrified.

Cm Bb/D Eb F^{sus2}

You'd never question a father's need to love his child, so why?

Cm Bb/D Eb F^{sus4} F

You'd never question a father's need to love his child, so why do you doubt me?

Bridge 2:

Eb Bb/D

I bore the cross and died, so that you'd have eternal life,

Cm Bb/D

I purchased your soul with my pain and flesh and blood.

Eb

And I'll never leave your side,

Bb/D

That's the promise I made when I took the nails.

Cm Bb/D Eb

My darling child, please know you are blessed

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Cm

Bb/D

'Cause I am yours, forever yours,

Eb

F

Faithful to the last.

Verse 5:

Bb

So you're unsure of where you're standing?

Do you need a compass or a light?

Eb/G

F

The walls are falling down all around you. Tell me,

Eb/G

F

Are you petrified?

Bb

Take my hand.

Gm

Take my hand.

Eb

Take my hand.

Outro:

Bb

Gm

Take my hand and I'll lead you through this desert.

(All that you need. Take my hand.)

Eb

F

Bb

And when you stumble, I'll carry you across the sands.

Gm

(All that you need was bought at Calvary.)

Of course I'll send down the rains

Eb

F

Bb

And you'll see two sets of footprints across the plains.

Gm

(All that you need was bought at Calvary.)

Eb

You'd never question a father's need to love his child, so why?

F

I purchased your soul with my blood. (Calvary.)

Eb

F

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You always did underestimate your worth. (Calvary.)

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