

Closer to You

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Ballad

$\text{♩} = 78$

intro F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{Gm7}{C}$

verse 1 F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{Bb}{C}$

Can't e - rase, — can't de - ny — the times — I've lost my — way. — (instrumental) —

F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7

On Your grace, — I re - ly — to car - ry me through each — day. — (instrumental) —

$\frac{Db}{Eb}$ $\frac{Abmaj7}{D}$ $\frac{Cb}{Db}$ $\frac{Gbmaj7}{E}$

So bus - y with world — ly dis - trac - tions, I let them keep us a - part. —

$\frac{Db}{Eb}$ $\frac{Abmaj7}{D}$ Dm11 $\frac{Db9(\#11)}{C}$ $\frac{Gm7}{C}$ $\frac{Cb7(\#11)}{E}$ (9)

But now my strong - est at - trac - tion is seek - ing Your heart. — Oh

chorus $\frac{Bbmaj7}{C}$ $\frac{Csus}{D}$ $\frac{C}{E}$ Dm7 Gm7 $\frac{Bb}{C}$ F9sus F7 $\frac{F9sus}{G}$ $\frac{F7}{A}$

$\frac{Bbmaj7}{C}$ C Dm7 $\frac{F}{Eb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Eb}$ $\frac{Bb}{Eb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Eb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Bb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Bb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Bb}$ $\frac{Eb}{Bb}$

clos - er and clos - er, clos - er to — You. — I give You my heart, — my soul — to keep. —



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Gm9 $\frac{F2}{A}$ B \flat C7sus F $\frac{C}{F}$

All that I need — is to be — clos - er to You. —

F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{Gm7}{C}$

verse 2 F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 B \flat / $\frac{C}{C}$

Earth-ly treas-ures don't em-brace — me when — I'm on my — knees. — (instrumental)

F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{F}$ F $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7 $\frac{C}{D}$ Dm7

World-ly pleas-ures leave no trace, They're just — a pas-sing breeze. — (instrumental)

D \flat / $\frac{E\flat}{E\flat}$ A \flat maj7 $\frac{C\flat}{D\flat}$ G \flat maj7 $\frac{D}{E}$

Caught up in a pride — ful il - lu - sion, I thought that I had con - trol. —

D \flat / $\frac{E\flat}{E\flat}$ A \flat maj7 Dm11 D \flat 9(#11) $\frac{Gm7}{C}$

But there was on - ly con - fu - sion un - til I let go. — In Your pres -

bridge B \flat m9 $\frac{B\flat m9}{E\flat}$ A \flat maj7 Dm7 $\frac{Dm7}{G}$ Cmaj7

ence, no e - vil can harm me. You're the es - sence of pow - er and strength. — Sur -

$\frac{Em7}{A}$ Dmaj7 Am7 $\frac{G}{B}$ Cmaj7

round me with Your lov - ing pro - tec - tion. You're the Earth, You're the sky, all my needs —

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Cmaj7
 $\frac{Cm7}{F}$
Cb7 ($\sharp 9$) ($\sharp 11$)

— You sup - ply. ————— Oh

D.S. al Coda

Coda

Gm9
 $\frac{F}{A}$
Bb(add2) C9sus
C9sus

All that I need is to be clos - er to You.

F
 $\frac{C}{F}$
F
 $\frac{C}{F}$
F
 $\frac{C}{D}$
Dm7
 $\frac{C}{D}$
Dm7
 $\frac{Gm7}{C}$

F
 $\frac{C}{F}$
F
 $\frac{C}{F}$
F
 $\frac{C}{D}$
Dm7
 $\frac{C}{D}$
Dm7
 $\frac{Gm7}{C}$

repeat & fade