

Song for St Joseph CHORDS

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G Em D C
Joseph, O Joseph, we bring you our cares.
Bm Am D
We need your courage and ask for your prayers.
G G/F#
You were loved by God, chosen by God,
Em Am D
faithful to God through it all.
G G/F# Em D
Humble and obedient,
C D G
following your call.
G D C Bm B7 Em

Em B7
So did Mary feel fear as the baby drew near?
C D
When the starlight on Bethlehem shone down so clear?
G G/F# Em
Did you hold her in your arms,
D C
shield her from harms, calm her alarms?
Bm Am
Joining your prayers, singing the psalms,
D
with words that would tell.
G G/F# Em D
All shall be well, God's in control,
Em Am
He guards your soul.
Bm C
He won't abandon you,
D7 G
our God is true

On the long road of flight in the dead of the night,
On the journey to Egypt no end was in sight.
And your home so far away day after day, nowhere to stay,
under the stars, humbly you'd say, in faith you would dwell.
All shall be well, God's in control,
He guards your soul. He won't abandon you,
our God is true.

And when Jesus grew tall and stepped up to the call,
As the Pharisees plotted and planned for his fall.
Did you sometimes wonder why,
kiss him goodbye, tear in your eye?
Holding him close, in fear he would die,
Though prophets foretell? All shall be well, God's in control,
He guards your soul, He won't abandon you, Our God is true.