

220 - Tell Me the Story of Jesus

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Key: D major
Meter: 4/4

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INTRO **D G D | D | A | D**

VERSE 1 **D D A D**
Tell me the story of | Jesus, | Write on my heart every | word;
D G D D A D
Tell me the sto- ry most | precious, | Sweetest that ever was | heard.
G G/D D A D
Tell how the angels, in | chor- us, | Sang as they welcomed His | birth,
G G/D D A/E E7 A A7
"Glory to God in the | high- est! | Peace and good tidings to | earth."

CHORUS **D D A D**
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TURN-AROUND **D G D | D | A | D**

VERSE 2 Fasting alone in the desert, Tell of the days that are past;
How for our sins He was tempted, Yet was triumphant at last.
Tell of the years of His labor, Tell of the sorrow He bore;
He was despised and afflicted, Homeless, rejected and poor.

VERSE 3 Tell of the cross where they nailed Him, Writhing in anguish and pain;
Tell of the grave where they laid Him, Tell how He liveth again.
Love in that story so tender, Clearer than ever I see:
Stay, let me weep while you whisper, Love paid the ransom for me.



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