



OPT. **A $\flat$**  | **E $\flat$**   
 MOD.

CHORUS

	<b>F7</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math>7</b>	<b>E<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>E<math>\flat</math></b>
Because He	lives		I can face to-		morrow;	
	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>F7</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>Cm</b>	<b>F7</b>	
Because He	lives		all fear is		gone;	
	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>F7</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math>sus</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>	<b>A<math>\flat</math></b>
Because I	know		He holds the		future,	<b>E<math>\flat</math></b>
	<b>E<math>\flat</math>m6</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math>/F</b>	<b>F7</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math>/F</b>	<b>F7</b>	<b>B<math>\flat</math></b>
And life is	worth the living		just because		He	lives.

# 449 - Because He Lives

GLORIA GAITHER  
and WILLIAM J. GAITHER

Original Key: A♭ major (w/ opt. modulation to B♭ major)  
Capo 1: G major (w/ opt. modulation to A major)  
Meter: 4/4

WILLIAM J. GAITHER

INTRO **G | Am7 D7 | G | G**

VERSE 1

**G G7 C C**  
God sent His | Son, | they called Him | Jesus; |

**G D7 G Am Am7 D7**  
He came to | love, | heal and for- | give. |

**G G F G7 C C**  
He lived and | died | to buy my | pardon; |

**Cm6 G D7 G G**  
An empty | grave is there to | prove my Savior | lives. |

CHORUS

**D G G G7 C C**  
Because He | lives | I can face to- | morrow; |

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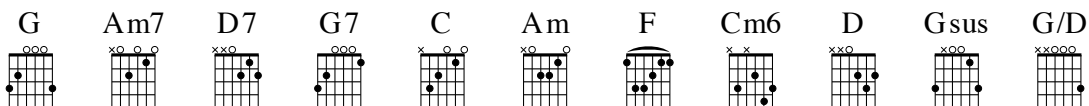
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TURN-  
AROUND **G | Am D7 | G | G**

VERSE 2 How sweet to hold a newborn baby, And feel the pride and joy he gives;  
But greater still the calm assurance, This child can face uncertain days because He lives.

VERSE 3 And then one day I'll cross the river; I'll fight life's final war with pain;  
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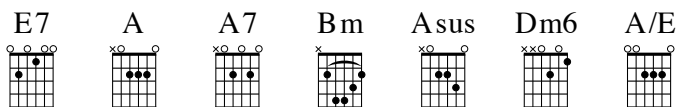
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OPT.  
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**G | D**

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	<b>A</b>	<b>E7</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>Asus</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>G</b>
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