

Verse 1

More than ten thousand years, we've been on this Earth
And we still ain't learnt what life is worth.
Still fighting like dogs, to grab what we don't need
While thousands grow hungry and the Earth's soul bleeds.

More than ten thousand years
G -----

Intro: 1st verse chords
But start S3,4 only

Refrain

And if you want God to show you the way.
You need to get off your arse and do more than pray.
For the answer is here, if you'll just heed the call.
Brothers and sisters it's in the heart of us all.

And if you want God to show you the way
B D D D C C B A G A

Verse 2

Step aside from the rat-race of greed.
Let light into your heart, so your soul can breath.
If you go chasing dreams locked onto things you can buy.
You'll only poison yourself and the earth will run dry.

Refrain

Verse 3

For if we go on driving people apart
The rich from the poor, the mind from the heart
We'll only succeed in bringing what's been before
The pain and death of another war to end wars.

Refrain

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Refrain + (repeat last line)

Unfortunately, hoping and praying for change are too often substitutes for doing nothing in working for change

I have included the main chords with any extra notes usually written in the form S5F2 = String 5 Fret 2 - all measured from the capo – unless stated otherwise. The "extra" first line shows the notes sung, relative to the capo as the base point.