

THE JOY THAT HIDES IN YOU

Intro: D A/D D A/D

V1: D A/D
Even though the fields lie
A/D D
Barren in the midnight
D A/D
Pleading through the dark skies
A/D D/F#
Faithful still the trees rise
G
Every leaf be taken
D/F# Bm
Every flower forsaken
GMaj7 A/G
Still when dawn awakens
A D
Joy will surely bloom

V2: Even though the sun hides
Empty though each bough lies
Still the branches reach high
Patient as they seek life
Every cloud be weeping
Tears of sorrow sinking
But in the day of reaping
Joy will spring anew

C1: Bm
Even in the waiting
G
Beauty's ever breaking
D/F#
Though all hope be fading
A
Suffering is shaping
Bm
Through the devastation
G
Hides a true salvation
D/F#
Measured by Your mercy
A
Working all for good

V3: Even though all life lies
Sleeping in the midnight
Pleading through the dark skies
Faithful still One soul cries
Like the branches bended
Sacredly suspended
Savior, arms extended
Making all things new

C2: So even through the slaying
Every stroke is painting
Holy love unfailing
Glory never fading
Through each generation
This portrait of redemption
Is shown to all creation
When we follow You

V4: So even in the grieving
Like the trees we're reaching
To a higher glory
To a deeper beauty
Still my soul awaiting
Christ in me creating
Every day unveiling
The joy that hides in You

©2016 Ian Nagata (BMI)