

Jesus Friend Of Sinners

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♩ = 74 VERSE 1

A D²/A A

1. Je - sus, Friend of sin-ners, we have strayed so far _ a-way. _____ We cut down

4 D²/A A F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾

people in _ Your name, _ but the sword was nev-er ours _ to swing. _____

7 A D²/A A

Je-sus, Friend of sin-ners; The truth's be-come _____ so hard _ to see. _____ The world is

10 D²/A A F#m⁷

on their way to You, _____ but they're trip-ping o - ver me. _____

12 E⁽⁴⁾ D² F#m⁷

_____ Al-ways look-ing a-round, _____ but nev-er look-ing up; I'm so dou-ble mind -

14 E⁽⁴⁾ D² F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾

-ed. A plank-eyed saint with dirt-y hands, and a heart di-vid - ed. Oh, _____

CHORUS

17 A D² E⁽⁴⁾

Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, o - pen our eyes _

19 F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾ D² A D²

_ to the world at the end of our point-ing fin -gers. Let our hearts _ be led by

22 E⁽⁴⁾ F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾ D²

mer - cy; Help us reach with o - pen hearts, _ and o - pen doors. _ Oh,

INSTRUMENTAL

25 Bm¹¹ D² F#m⁷

Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, break our hearts for what breaks _ Yours. _ .

28 D² A E⁽⁴⁾

VERSE 2

31 A D² A

2. Je - sus, Friend _ of sin - ners, the One whose writ-ing in _ the sand _ made the

33 D² A F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾

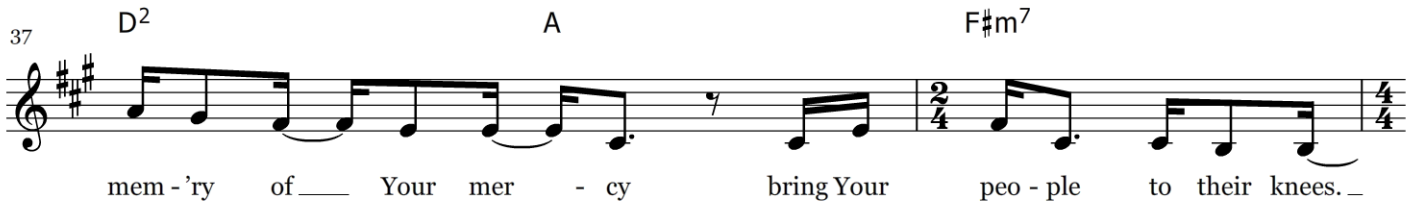
right - eous _ turn a - way _ and the stones fall from their hands. _

35 A D² A



Help us to re-mem-ber we are all the least of these; Let the

37 D² A F#m⁷



mem-'ry of Your mer-cy bring Your peo-ple to their knees.

39 E⁽⁴⁾ D² F#m⁷



No-bod-y knows what we're for, on-ly what we're a-gainst, when we judge the wound-

41 E⁽⁴⁾



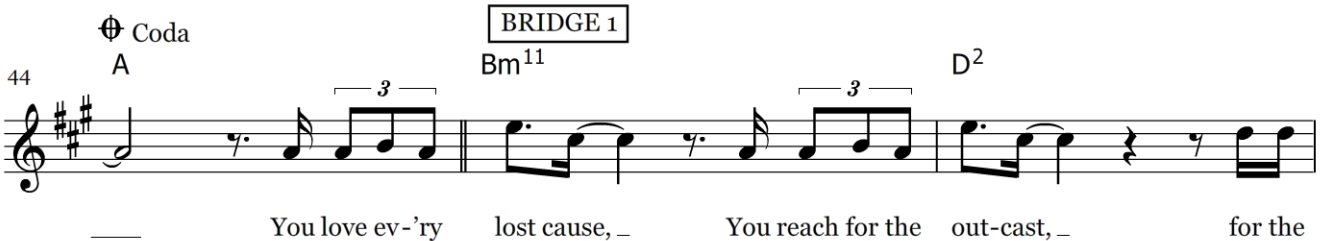
- ed. What if we put down our

42 D² F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾ D.S. al Coda



signs, crossed o-ver the lines, and loved like You did? Oh,

44 Coda BRIDGE 1 A Bm¹¹ D²



You love ev-'ry lost cause, You reach for the out-cast, for the

47 A G



lep-er and the lame; They're the reas-on that You came. Lord, I was that

49 **Bm¹¹** **D²**

lost cause, _ and I was the out - cast, _____ but You died for

51 **A** **E⁽⁴⁾**

sin-ners just _ like me, a grate-ful lep-er at _ Your feet. 'Cause You are _

BRIDGE 2

54 **D²** **A** **E⁽⁴⁾**

good, You are _ good, and Your love en-dures _ for -

57 **F#m⁷** **D²** **A**

-ev-er. You are _ good, You are good, _____ and Your

60 **E⁽⁴⁾** **1. F#m⁷** **2. D²**

love en-dures _ for - ev - er. You are _ ev - er.

CHORUS

63 **A** **D²** **E⁽⁴⁾**

Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, o - pen our eyes _

65 **F#m⁷** **E⁽⁴⁾** **D²** **A** **D²**

_ to the world at the end of our point-ing fin - gers. Let our hearts _ be led by

68 E⁽⁴⁾ F#m⁷ E⁽⁴⁾ D²

mer - cy; Help us reach with o - pen hearts, _ and o - pen doors. ___ Oh,

71 Bm¹¹ D²

Je - sus, Friend of sin - ners, break our hearts for what breaks _ Yours. ___

74 **ENDING** F#m⁷ D² A E⁽⁴⁾

And I was the lost cause, _ and I was the out-cast. _ Hey! _

78 F#m⁷ D²

_____ You died for

80 A E⁽⁴⁾

sin - ners just ___ like me, ___ a grate - ful lep - er at ___ Your feet.