

Rescue The Perishing

Original Fanny Crosby 1870

Revisionist Paul Q 2026

[Ad-lib Intro]

Bb Gm F/A Bb/D Eb

Woah oh oh oh, oh oh oh oh

[Verse]

Bb

Reach for the perishing,

Eb Bb

hold close the dying,

Gm

draw them with mercy

Eb F

from sin and the grave;

Bb

cry for the wandering,

Eb Bb

raise up the fallen,

Gm

speak of the Savior,

Eb F Bb

so mighty to save.

[Refrain]

F

Gm

Reach for the perishing, hold close the dying;

Eb Bb Eb-F Bb

Jesus is mercy, and Jesus will save.

[Chorus]

Bb

F

Lost in the shadows, chained like a slave,

Gm

Eb

Jesus will free them, from hell and the grave.

Bb

F

Pardon is offered, His joy lights the way

Dm

Gm

F

Eb

to all who will trust Him, and live in His grace.

Bb

F

Bb

Lives that were broken, will rejoice once more.

[Verse]

Bb

Though they may turn from Him,

Eb Bb Gm

Still He is waiting, waiting to welcome

Eb F Bb

The child who believes; call to them earnestly,

Eb Bb F/A Gm

speak to them gently, He will forgive them

Eb F Bb

when grace they receive.

[Verse]

Bb

Eb

Bb

Eb

Bb

Deep in the human heart, bruised by temptation,

Gm

Cm

F

embers lie hidden, that grace can restore;

Bb Eb Bb

warmed by compassion,

Eb Bb

and wakened by kindness,

Gm

Eb

F

Bb

cords that are broken, will vibrate once more.

[Refrain-Repeat]

[Chorus-Repeat]

[Verse]

Bb

Eb

Bb

Reach for the perishing, duty is calling

Gm

Cm

F

strength for the journey, the Lord will provide;

Bb

Eb

Bb

back to the narrow way, patiently lead them,

F Gm

Eb

F

Bb

tell every wanderer, our Savior has died.

[Refrain-Repeat]

[Chorus-Repeat]