

## Sacred Memories

Dolly Parton

Sacred mem'ries often take me to the place where I grew up  
And that little country church that I love so much  
I used to go there every time that old church bell would ring  
And I remember how I love the songs we used to sing  
Like oh Lord you know I have no friend like you  
If heaven's not my home oh Lord what will I do  
The angels beckon me from heaven's open door  
And I can't feel at home in this world anymore

They were singing Lord I'm coming on when I got saved  
And when I got baptized they sang amzaing grace  
And oh how sweet the sound when everybody would join in  
And sang my favorite song if we never meet again  
Where the charming roses bloom forever and where separation comes no more  
If we never meet again this side of heaven I will meet you on that beautiful shore

My mama loved to sing and she sang clear and loud  
I can close my eyes and I hear mama now  
I recall the song my mama always loved so much  
She always sang the loudest sangin' power in the blood  
Oh there's power power wonder working power in the blood of the lamb  
There is power power wonder working power in the precious blood of lamb  
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