

## Prayer In Open D

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There's a valley of sorrow in my soul  
Where every night I hear the thunder roll  
Like the sound of a distant gun  
Over all the damage I have done  
And the shadows filling up this land  
Aew the ones I buildt with my own hand  
There is no comfot from the cold  
Of this valley of sorrow in my soul  
There's a river of darkness in my blood  
And thru every vein I feel the flood  
There is no bridge for me to cross  
No way to bring back what is lost  
Into the night it soon will sweep  
Down where all my grievances I keep  
But it won't won't wash away the years  
Or one single hard and bitter tear  
And the rock of ages I have known

Is a weariness down in the bone  
I use to ride it like a rolling stone  
Now I just carry it alone  
There's a highway risin from my dreams  
Deep in the heart I know it gleams  
For I have seen it stretching wide  
Clear across to the other side  
Beyond the river and the flood  
And the valley where for so long I've stood  
With the rock of ages in my bones  
Someday I know it will lead me home