

C Instruments

# Lord of the Dance

Key: G

Shaker tune

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1. I danced in the morn - ing when the world just be - gun,  
 2. I danced for the scribes and the Phar - i - sees,  
 3. I danced on the sab - bath and I healed the lame,  
 4. I danced on a Fri - day when the sky turned black;  
 5. They cut me down and I leaped up high,

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I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun,  
 they would n't dance and they would n't fol - low me;  
 the ho - ly peo - ple said it was a shame;  
 it's hard to dance with the dev - il on your back;  
 I am the life that - 'll nev - er, nev - er die;

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I came down from heav - en and I danced on the earth.  
 I danced for the fish - er - men, James and John;  
 they whipped and they stripped and they hung me high;  
 they bur - ied my bod - y and they thought I was gone,  
 I'll live in you if you'll live in me;

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At Beth - le - hem I had my birth.  
 they came with me and the dance on.  
 and left me there on a cross to die.  
 but I'm the dance and I still go on.  
 I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

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Dance, dance, wher - ev - er you may be; I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

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And I'll lead you all wher - ev - er you may be I'll lead you all in the dance, said he.