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MUSIC SHEET

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3/4 time (pu = 1)

dedicated to *THE* LORD, 11 Dec 2016

TEMPO: ___ BPM

Album: Amazing **CHRIST 'n' Christmas**

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PRAYER: [May I] ... "be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which *is* from the law, but that which *is* through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith;..."
Philippians 3:9 New KJV

VERSES												<i>Osborne TExt-Based Notation (OTEN) -- see website tab for full explanation</i>														
1			2			3			1			2			3			1			2			3		

chord **D**
 pre-a _____ My
 melody X _____
 =====

chord **x**
 1a Gift ___ to God is my Love, ___ my Faith ___ that
 2a Gift ___ to God of my Love ___ with Trust ___ is
 3a God, ___ I give You my Love, ___ with Faith. ___ It's
 melody X

x
 1b re- fus- es to in- sult His ho- ly Name. ___ ___
 2b all that is mine to give be- cause God's Love ___ has
 3c been hard to fight doubts, so help me, I pray. ___ I
 melody X

1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
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x
 1c ___ Ev- en when ___ I don't un- der- stand, ___ I'll
 2c al- read- y giv- en me all that I have. ___ With
 3c thank You for Your gift of Je- sus, Sav- ior. ___ I
 melody X

x
 1d smack down my doubts, ___ and Trust ___ His hand. ___ I'll
 2d am- aze- ment I ___ shall Trust ___ and thank ___ The
 3d sor- row for sins, ___ and hurts I've caused You. ___ Please
 melody X

1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
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1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
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x
 1e be- lieve His words _ thru His ___ Bi- ble. ___ My
 2e LORD for His Gift, ___ Je- sus, ___ Sav- ior. ___ All
 3e ac- cept my gift, ___ and change it to be ___ my
melody X

x
 1f Gift to God is love and TRUST. _ ___ ___ My
 2f year I give God love and TRUST. _ ___ ___ Dear
 3f whole heart and Love, Per- fect- ly ___ **for** **THEE.** ___ ___
melody X

1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
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Foundation for this song:

- (1) Jesus's words in Luke 11:13, "If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"
- (2) LOGIC: Children ask fathers for gifts; Jesus tells US to ask our Father for gifts.
- (3) LOGIC: Even little children often ask fathers for HELP giving a good gift: SO... I firmly believe our Heavenly Father is please when we ask HIS help to give HIM a good gift that deeply pleases Him..... our Hearts, our trust, our faith.

Ephesians 2:8-9.... The ONLY gift we can truly give God is our HEART: our CHOICE

to ask Him for faith & trust in Him (for our holy God does NOT force Himself on anyone who does not want Him... example at the end of Romans 1)... But we can PRAY that He will make our gifts to Him to be PLEASING to Him... righteous, in His gifting.

Amplified version:

8 **"For it is by free grace** *(God's unmerited favor)* **that you are saved** *(delivered from judgment and made partakers of Christ's salvation)* **through [your] faith. And this [salvation] is not of yourselves** *[NOT of your own doing-- it came NOT through your own striving], but it is the gift of God;* 9 **Not because of works** *[not the fulfillment of the Law's demands], lest any man should boast."*
[It is NOT the result of what anyone can possibly do, so NO one can take pride in it or give glory to himself for a "good gift" of works etc.]

Song Story

Lyrics set written 2 weeks before Christmas as I lay in the hospital (for the 5th day), assuming – but not with having proof – I'd reach the time we celebrate Jesus's birth, & the new calendar year... yet still excited to know: *No matter* the answer that the doctor would be bringing me within 2 hours of writing these lyrics to verse 1 and part of verse 2.....

It was a JOY to know Emmanuel: God with me.... WHEREVER I be..... :)