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**LYRICS**

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dedicated to God who CALLS ALL, 30 December 2012  
Album: Amazing LORD 'n' Life

**GOD'S SUPPORTING WORD** read before each verse and in interlude.

**VERSE 1. JOHN 3: 16** (New King James Version for all)

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

<b>1a</b>	<b>LEADER</b>	<b>CONGREGATION (echo)</b>
	According to God's TRUE Word,	--
	John 3:16	John 3:16
	Who does God want saved?	--
	According to God's TRUE Word,	--
	John 3:16	John 3:16
<b>1b</b>	<b>LEFT SIDE</b> (or Leader only)	<b>RIGHT SIDE</b> (or Congregation only)
	The world!	The world!
	The world!	The world!
ALL:	That's who.... God want's saved!	
	The world!	The world!
	The world!	The world!
ALL:	That's who.... God want's saved!	

=== VERSE 2 =====

**VERSE 2. JOHN 3: 17**

"For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved."

<b>2a</b>	<b>LEADER</b>	<b>CONGREGATION (echo)</b>
	According to God's TRUE Word,	--
	John 3:17	John 3:17
	Who does God want saved?	--
	According to God's TRUE Word,	--
	John 3:17	John 3:17
<b>2b</b>	<b>LEFT SIDE</b> (or Leader only)	<b>RIGHT SIDE</b> (or Congregation only)
	The world!	The world!
	The world!	The world!
ALL:	That's who.... God want's saved!	



**Words to the Interlude music's (not sung):**

Jesus is tenderly calling thee home. Calling today. Calling today.  
Why from the sunshine of Love will thou roam...  
farther and farther away?  
Calling today! Calling Today! Jesus is tenderly,  
tenderly calling thee home.

(from "Jesus Is Tenderly Calling Thee Home" by Fanny Crosby and  
George C. Stebbins, Public Domain CCLI #78828, dated 1883)

**ENDING WORDS (melody by DianaDee)**

Calling today.  
Calling today.  
Jesus is calling ALL..... calling YOU.....  
Jesus is calling today.

**Song Story.** After prayer time at the altar, I just went over to the sanctuary piano and started playing this full song -- all the same music, all the same chords. Again -- this is God's music guidance, His Holy Spirit's creative guidance. I am honored to develop His music with the prayers that He will use them as He wants -- or not at all if He wants -- in a way that gives HIM pleasure. I don't even remember how I came up with words.

However, these ARE the scriptures that I REPEATEDLY use in songs AND in discussions with people. One of the scripture references.... not the famous John 3:16.... is even designed into a method for my license plates, so that I can tell complete strangers what the plates mean. Oh yeah.... the music plus the lyrics were completed in 10 minutes.

Thanking and praising God for His song gifting. Not sure if I've mentioned this in a song story: I always "believed in God" (**as even demons do -- James 2:19**). When I accepted Jesus as Savior, I didn't know how to pray, how to find "right" scriptures. So I "just flipped" in my Bible.... and the first verse I saw was Zephaniah 3:17. Being immature in the faith, the next night I did the same. And the first verse I saw was **Zephaniah 3:17**. STATISTICALLY -- what are the chances of finding an identical verse twice accidentally? Much less one in a tiny book in the Old Testament? I'm convinced it was God's guidance.

But I'm rather slow. It wasn't until last year that I had the AH-HA moment and realized the verse was a **prophecy** for my ministry **from and for Him**: "**The LORD your God in your midst, The Mighty One, will SAVE**; He will rejoice over you with gladness,

He will quiet *you* with His love, **He will rejoice over you with singing.**"