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PART 1

VERSE 1

Walking on alligators, thinking they're ROCKS that you can cross... over the pond full of poisonous snakes that you MUST escape.

BRIDGE

BUT DO you MOCK all who warn you, "These BITE!" ??

DO YOU MOCK GOD and all who cry out, "You'll DIE!" and keep... >>>

(no break)

VERSE 2

.... walking on alligators, *SURE* that they're ROCKS? That is what they *look* like and you trust what you <u>see</u>: *ROCKS* above snakes that you MUST escape.

SCRIPTURE 1 - First Corinthians 1: 18-21 (after Verse 1 + BRIDGE + Verse 2)

18 The message of the cross is foolish to those who are headed for destruction! But we who are being saved know it is the very power of God. 19 As the Scriptures say, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise and discard the intelligence of the intelligent." - GOD </ri>

20 So where does this leave the philosophers, the scholars, and the world's brilliant debaters?

God has made the wisdom of this world look foolish.

21 Since God in his wisdom saw to it that the world would never know him through human wisdom, He has used our foolish preaching to save those who believe.

VERSE 3

Walking on alligators, thinking they're ROCKS
BUT you'll die if ... you <u>trust</u> **your** thoughts and won't BE--LIEVE all the evidence that THESE AREN'T SAFE ROCKS!

BRIDGE

BUT DO you MOCK all who warn you, "These BITE!"??

DO YOU MOCK GOD and all who cry out, "You'll DIE!" and keep... >>>

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VERSE 4

DON'T WALK on alligators, SURE that you're RIGHT

Won't change your mind because you <u>decide</u> you <u>WANT</u> these to be rocks to cross above snakes.

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SCRIPTURE 2 - First Corinthians 1: 22-27 (after Verse 3 + BRIDGE + Verse 4)

New Living Translation

18 The message of the cross <above in Scripture 1>..
22 It is foolish to the Jews, who ask for signs from heaven.
And it is foolish to the Greeks, **who seek human wisdom.**23 So when we preach that Christ was crucified, the Jews are offended and the Gentiles say it's all nonsense.

24 But to those called by God to salvation, both Jews and Gentiles, Christ is the power of God and the wisdom of God.25 This foolish plan of God is wiser than the wisest of human plans, and God's weakness is stronger than the greatest of human strength.

26 Remember, dear brothers and sisters, that few of you were wise in the world's eyes or powerful or wealthy [or High Born] when God called you.

27 Instead, God chose things the *world* considers foolish in order to shame

those who *THINK* they are wise. ..."

SONG STORY

While driving to an event at the elementary school ten miles away, the word "alligator" was said on the radio....

and my mind soared from there to mentally write out the entire pattern of lyrics in a PARABLE FORMAT for this song.

I took a notebook into the school and, during the 20 minute wait time sitting in the hallway while parents played with their phones, I finished the rest of this song lyrics set.....

I love how Jesus taught parables to explain truths about God, and the Holy Spirit STILL inspires parables to help us teach His truth.

John 14:26, Jesus said the Holy Spirit would help us remember all that He, Jesus, had taught.