

# IMPERCIPIENT

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## LYRICS

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Album: Amazing Big God 'n' Big Words  
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*"...Those who know Your name will put their trust in You;  
For You, LORD, have not forsaken those who seek You." -- Psalm 9:10*

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**IMPERCIPIENT:** Lacking perception or understanding, sometimes because apathetic or unobservant, but sometimes because simply unknowing or unaware).

### 1

Thomas Hardy wrote these words that fit my heart's big dent,  
with his poem titled by this word: "IMPERCIPIENT."  
He watched joy-filled people pray and claim their God was real.  
Logic did not see the sense of "mysteries revealed"  
So he wrote down these big words that mean so much to me.  
People hear what I'll share -- but I'm not who they can see.

**BRIDGE** (poem excerpt from Thomas Hardy's "Impercipient")

[ quote ]

*"That with this bright believing band, I have no claim to be.  
That faith by which my comrades stand seems fantasies to me.  
And mirage mist, their Shining land, is a strange destiny." [ end quote ]*

### 2

I've thought Thomas Hardy's thoughts and felt left far behind.  
I have yearned and prayed for faith, have sought but did not find.  
Would God say, "Be gone, you blew it!" and then throw me out?  
Even now there still are nights when sight says "You SHOULD doubt."  
Jesus was a real man, even history books have said.  
Surely then He understands the struggles in my head.

## THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BRIDGE

Comfort from Mark 9, verse 24's prayer soothes my mind:  
Even if my mind doubts God and just can't see "this time."  
Jesus heard that man admit that he just was not sure that  
Jesus was the Son of God who could show God would cure.  
Jesus did not 'zap' the man, but answered his deep prayer.  
More than simple words have done, this shows me God DOES CARE!  
People hear what Bibles share, but GOD'S MORE THAN WE SEE.  
His lifestyle showed, "No matter what, God seeks to be with ME."

**Song Story – see music sheet.** God repeatedly says we have to take action and seek before we will find..... But sometimes we need to mature in our thoughts and experiences and humbleness first. --DianaDee