UNCHANGING GRACE © 2008

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dedicated to our Lord, 30 November 2008
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Album: Amazing Grace 'n' Tears

VERSE 1 Un-Chang-ing Grace: How sweet the sound -Your words changed a sad wretch like me. My hope was all lost. In Your words, Hope was found. When You said "Seek and You'll...... find Me." Matt Sev'n sev'n and Six: Thir-ty Three. (Matt 7:7, Matt 6:33) **VERSE 2** Un-Chang-ing Grace: Your words astound. You, God, changed a scared wreck like me. My life went all wrong. Your Life brought me a song. When You said, "Your peace is in Me." John Fourteen: Twenty-Sev'n and Phil 4. (John 14:27, Philippians 4) **VERSE 3** Un-Chang-ing Grace: Your gifts a-bound. . Your words changed the goals I shall seek. I need no more "stuff." Though my life may get tough, You comfort and provide for my needs. Luke Twelve (Twenties); John Three: Sev'n-teen. (Luke 12:20-29; John 3:17) **VERSE 4** Un-Chang-ing Grace: My failures drowned My confidence in the "old me." I invite your change. God, please re-arrange my heart to be as You want me. . Psalm One-Three-Nine; Hebrews Ten: verse Sixteen. (Psalm 139; Heb 10:16) < Reprisal of first CD's title song, "Amazing Grace 'n' Tears" > TAG How self-centered I have been. How I've focused all on me. How **amazed** I am to be graced by Your love, by all of Your tears for me. How forgiving You have been, suff'ring anything for me. (1 Peter 3:18....) How amazed I am to be graced by Your love, that You'd die on a tree -- for

Song Story: Simply: I needed a 12th song for this first album, and it "made sense" to create another Amazing Grace version song. I had NO IDEA that God would EVER keep honoring me with songs.... and so MANY. This was in the first month of recording with Valley Worship & Praise Productions, and I never dreamed that 9 month later, I would have filled a second album, "Amazing Love 'n' Lullabies." I kept my "Little Girl" singing voice and "bare bass" to sound weaker.... as we often feel. AND, I sent the producer out of the room after he hit the "**Record**" button because I knew I would cry while recording these sad words about all Jesus has suffered for me... for us.....