

Can You See God?

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Gently

♩ = 96

D Bm G A

1. Can you see God on a clear star - ry night sit - ting down un - der a tree?
 2. Can you see God in the heat and the noise of a bust - ling large cit - y?
 3. Can you see God in a man long a - go_ from a place you've ne - ver been?
 4. Can you see God when you get out of bed go to church on each Sun - day?
 5. Can you see God in a world that's un - fair_ full of peo - ple cold and poor?

D Bm G

1. Can you see God_ on a high moun - tain top_ look - ing out a - cross the
 2. Can you see God_ in the fa - ces you pass_ as you walk down a main
 3. Can you see God_ when he tea - ches and heals and shares meals with the un -
 4. Can you see God_ when you're wel - comed in - side_ and the peo - ple start to
 5. Can you see God_ in a world where the rich_ are the ones the best at

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1. sea? God's been in cre - a - tion_ since ve - ry long a -
 2. street? God is with the peo - ple_ through - out their bus - y
 3. clean? He scared those in po - wer_ they nailed him to a
 4. pray? Ma - king some time sa - cred is just the ve - ry
 5. war? God calls us to change it_ to set God's peo - ple

G D Bm

1. go. As sea - sons pass to all crea - tures and plants God brings
 2. days. In ev' - ry act_ show - ing kind - ness and love_ you can
 3. tree. But he lives on_ and his mes - sage of love_ has rung
 4. start. Learn to be one_ with God all through the day_ 'til you
 5. free. May king - dom come and may God's will be done so the

G D D

1. - 4. 5.

1. life and makes them grow.
 2. see God there al - ways.
 3. out through his - to - ry.
 4. find God in your heart.
 5. world's how it should be.

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- Vs 1 Can you see God on a clear, starry night sitting down under a tree?
Can you see God on a high mountain top looking out across the sea?
God's been in creation since very long ago
As seasons pass, to all creatures and plants, God brings life and makes
them grow
- Vs 2 Can you see God in the heat and the noise of a bustling large city?
Can you see God in the faces you pass as you walk down a main street?
God is with the people throughout their busy days
In ev'ry act showing kindness and love you can see God there always
- Vs 3 Can you see God in a man long ago from a place you've never been?
Can you see God when he teaches and heals and shares meals with
the unclean?
He scared those in power; they nailed him to a tree
But he lives on, and his message of love has rung out through history
- Vs 4 Can you see God when you get out of bed, go to church on each Sunday?
Can you see God when you're welcomed inside and the people start
to pray?
Making some time sacred is just the very start
Learn to be one with God all through the day 'til you find God in your heart
- Vs 5 Can you see God in a world that's unfair, full of people cold and poor?
Can you see God in a world where the rich are the ones the best at war?
God calls us to change it, to set God's people free
May kingdom come and may God's will be done so the world's how it
should be

*This song may be used as a song for children following a discussion with them about this very question. This song tries to convey a deeper understanding of God that turns the question in on itself. This song was largely inspired by Marcus J Borg's *The God We Never Knew* (1997: Harper Collins).*