

# O CHRIST, YOU SPEAK THE NAMES OF GOD

Fm Bbm6 Fm Db Eb sus4 Eb Ab

1. O Christ, you speak the names of God In tongues we understand  
 2. You are the presence of our God, Not hid in cloud or flame  
 3. You are the wisdom of our God, Whose folly is the cross  
 4. You are the power of our God, You roll the stone away  
 5. You are the glory of our God In earth - en lan - tern borne  
 6. You are the jus - tice of our God, Whose mer - cy tem - pers might:  
 7. You are the mer - cy of our God, Soft fall - en as the rain,  
 8. O Christ, you are the voice of God; To hear you, clam - ors cease,

Db Fm Eb Ab Bbm6 Fm [Fm] Db Eb sus4 Eb Fm

1. To touch and heal the deaf - ened ear With love's al - might - y hand.  
 2. But clothed in liv - ing flesh of earth Called by a hu - man name.  
 3. On which you flung your life a - way And count us worth the loss.  
 4. From ev - 'ry tomb that seals us in Where sin and death hold sway.  
 5. To light the way that we must walk, The path your feet have worn.  
 6. In you is ev - 'ry soul set free And ev - 'ry wrong set right.  
 7. To pen - e - trate the hard - ened heart And wash a - way our pain.  
 8. The rag - ing of our seas falls still, Your ev - 'ry word our peace.

**Note:** When guitar and keyboard play together, keyboardists should improvise using the guitar chords above the melody.

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