

HOW LONG, O LORD

REFRAIN: *With longing* (♩ = ca. 96)

Melody *(a tempo)* *p* *Dm Dm9/C Gm6/B♭ A Dm B♭

How long, O Lord, will you hide ___ your face? How long will the

Harmony *p*

How long, O Lord, will you hide your face? How long will the

C A7sus4 A9 A Dm C

heav - ens be si - lent? _____ How long, O Lord, must we

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B♭ A7sus4 A9 A Gm A Dm

call out your name _____ 'til you hear us and reach out your hand? _____

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1-4 Dm9	Dm to Verses	Final Dm9	Dm	Dm9 <i>rit.</i>	Dm	<i>Fine</i>
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*D tuning suggested

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Music: Dan Schutte.

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VERSES:

Chords: Dm9, Dm, Gm, C, Dm

1. Be - hold your chil - dren, for - got - ten, for - sak - en,
 2. Our hope is shak - en, 7 poured out like wa - ter,
 3. By day we cry out in hun - ger and heart - ache,
 4. For you our par - ents had gam - bled their fu - ture,

Chords: Bb, C, Dm, Dm9, Dm, Gm

1. lost in our shame and our sad - ness. _____ Our hearts are
 2. dried like the sand in the des - ert. _____ Our hearts are
 3. hop - ing that heav - en will hear us. _____ At night, in
 4. trust - ing their fate to your kind - ness. _____ Through fire and

Chords: C, A, Dm, Bb

1. bar - ren, our spir - its are bro - ken. _____ Where is the
 2. hun - gry, 7 fam - ished, and fright - ened. _____ Where is the
 3. dark - ness, our spir - its are rest - less, _____ wait - ing the
 4. fam - ine, 7 seek - ing their home - land, _____ stak - ing their

Chords: Gm, A7sus4 rit., A, A7sus4, A molto rit., D.C.

1. love that you prom - ised?
 2. love that you prom - ised?
 3. dawn of your prom - ise.
 4. lives on your prom - ise.