

Len Magee - The Album

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Freedom Road

1 Freedom Road was calling me and all my friends
The sun and the breeze upon your face
But I find that Freedom Road ain't got no end
Just lots of souls not going any place
So I'm leaving on the nine forty-five
I hope that train is gonna be on time
Then I guess I'll have to try and hitch a ride
My dreams have gone, the weather's not so fine

Chorus

Freedom Road, oh heavy load
And there's such an awful price to pay
So I'm telling you my friend
This road has got no end
It's lead me and so many folk astray
So I'm turning back to find some other way

2 It's been said that all that glitters is not gold
And my friends spoke of gaining inner wealth
But when I was tired and hungry, freezing cold
I found that I was running from myself
So I'm leaving on the nine forty-five
I just can't wait to get up on that train
I think of home, my bed so warm and dry
I'm getting tired of standing in the rain

Chorus

3 A man gave me a Bible yesterday
I sat right down and read it on the road
I got peace in finding Jesus is the Way
And somewhere back I left my heavy load
So I'm leaving on the nine forty-five
And I ain't coming back no more
I've discovered that Jesus is alive
And He's the one my soul's been looking for

Chorus

Freedom Road, oh heavy load
And there's such an awful price to pay
So I'm telling you my friend
This road has got no end
It's lead me and so many fold astray
But I'm glad I found that Jesus is the Way

I Found God

- 1 I've seen much of the things the world has to offer me
Soft summer breeze, mountains and trees
Swam in the deep blue sea
But there never was peace in the places my feet have trod
Till in Jesus, Jesus, I found God

- 2 I've tried doing the things the world has to offer me
Living for pleasure, took my full measure
Thinking that I was free
But there only was sorrow in the places my feet have trod
Till in Jesus, Jesus, I found God
Searching in temples up in the sky
He wasn't there, wondering why
Where could I find Him? Mind at a loss
Then I saw Him, I saw Him
There on the Cross of Calvary
There on the Cross of Calvary

- 3 Now my heart is at peace, and the reason is this you see
Living for Jesus, He really frees us
Setting the Prisoners free
But there never was peace in the places my feet have trod
Till in Jesus, Jesus, I found God

Mary Mary

1 There on the hill, all alone and still
A woman stands just to mourn
Mary is her name, following she came
And she's been there since the dawn
She stands and looks at Him, He who knew no sin
The hope and love of her life
His face bruised and marred, His body pierced and scarred
She feels the tears she cannot hide

Chorus

Mary Mary
O don't you weep now
Mary Mary
O don't you know what the scriptures have to say?
He will rise on the third day
Then from the Cross she heard His voice
As darkness covered the land
'It is finished', she heard Him cry
And then she saw Him die
And Mary couldn't understand

2 Early in the morn, just before the dawn
Came Mary walking alone
But there before her eyes, and much to her surprise
Someone had moved away the stone
Mary starts to cry, Jesus He stands by
And gently He speaks her name
All at once she knows, Jesus had arose
And she need never weep again

Chorus

Mary Mary
No need to weep now
Mary Mary
Did you not know what the scriptures had to say?
He would rise on the third day

Chorus (as for verse 1)

Mary Mary, O don't you weep now, etc

The Morning Comes

- 1 I cry to Jesus, O but it seems
He doesn't hear my prayer
Is this real or just a dream?
Or is He really there?
And then the morning comes
And then the morning comes
And then the morning comes

- 2 I get so weary, and day by day
I sink into despair
And life grows dreary, and so I say
Does my God really care?

- 3 When in the dark I lose my song
I also lose my way
O whisper Lord that I belong
And turn my night to day.
And then the morning comes, (3 times)

- 4 I look around, trouble and pain
And men with hearts like stone
I'm glad I'm found, but I keep saying
When will He take me home?
And then the morn will come, (3 times)
When will the morning come? (4 times)

Which Station?

- 1 The train goes down the track
 There ain't no turning back
 Life is just the same
 There ain't no two way lane
 When you reach the end and eternity begins
 Which station will your train be in?

- 2 The ship goes out to sea
 See the billows roll
 Just like you and me
 Storm clouds on our souls
 When the harbour lights are shining in the din
 Which port will your ship then be in?
 Jesus, He can be the Captain of your soul
 He will take you home, let Him take control

- 3 Just for you and me
 Jesus' life was short
 For on Calvary
 His death salvation bought
 When you reach the end and you stand before His throne
 Heaven or Hell, which one will be your home?
 Jesus, He can be the Captain of your soul
 He will take you home, let Him take control

- 4 The train goes down the track
 There ain't no turning back
 Life is just the same
 There ain't no two way lane
 When you reach the end and eternity begins
 Which station will your train be in?
 You've gotta ask yourself
 Which station will your train be in?
 You've gotta know
 Which station will your train be in?
 Which station will your train be in?

As I Was Walking

(Composed by Len Magee and Gwen Murray)

- 1 As I was walking through this world one day
 I wondered why I was living this way
 I met a stranger and he spoke to my soul
 'You can't buy life with silver and gold'

- 2 With these words ringing in my ears I went my way
 I thought I'd think about these words some other day
 But then I wondered if these words were meant for me
 Was I so blind that the light I could not see?
 Like Saul of Tarsus I was blind, I could not see
 until I realised that Jesus had died for me

- 3 And now I'm walking in the way that I should go
 And here's the reason why this way I really know
 For Jesus came to me and opened up my eyes
 And now I know that He is alive
 Like Saul of Tarsus, etc.

- 4 And now I'm walking, etc. (as verse 3)

For Me

- 1 I saw on a hill in a far away land
Hanging on a tree
The form of a man with nails in His hands
Crucified for me
For me – how can it be?
For me

- 2 I heard a sweet prayer from that far away land
From the man on the tree
'Forgive them Father, they don't understand'
'Twas a prayer for me
For me – how can it be?
For me
What is this love I see from this man?
What is this love? I don't understand
I don't understand
I don't understand

- 3 I stood on a hill in a far away land
With people like the sea
And millions were crying 'All praise to the Lamb
Who shed His blood for me'
For me – how can it be?
For me – Lord help me to see
For me – Yes even me
For me – Lord how can it be?
For me

Nativity

1 Long ago, I'm sure you know
Behind a stable door
There we see humility
A king was born so poor
In that shed, a tiny bed
A blanket and some hay
Mary's son, her first born one
In her arms He lay

Chorus

You can come and see the King
But the door is low
You must bow the knee and then
Pray before you go

2 Shepherds knew, they came too
And wondered at this thing
Can a man become a lamb
And take away our sin?
Three wise men to Bethlehem
Costly gifts they bring
Kneel with joy before the boy
Crown Him as their King

Chorus

You can come and see the King
And a gift impart
But your gifts won't mean a thing
'Less you give your heart

3 Cows and sheep could not sleep
On that lovely night
They could see nativity
Shining in the Light
Nature rang and Heaven rang
But all the world slept on
Scenes like this are often missed
But God's work goes on

Chorus

You can come and see the King
But the door is low
You must bow the knee and then
Pray before you go

Chorus

You can come and see the King
And a gift impart
But your gift won't mean a thing
'Less you give, 'less you give, 'less you give your heart

Cast Your Burden

1 In this world filled with fears
And heartache and tears
I've got something more precious than gold
For Jesus draws near
And He takes all my fear
And He whispers sweet peace to my soul

Chorus

Just cast your burden upon the Lord
And He will sustain you
His love has no end
He'll always be your friend
Cast your burden on the Lord

2 All the world's sin
It was laid upon Him
And He bore it to Calvary's tree
But He rose again
Yes forever to reign
In the hearts of poor sinners like me

Chorus

So cast your burden, etc.

3 If deep in your heart
You are being torn apart
By the pressures of life day by day
Well here's good news for you
Jesus died for you too
You can have your heart mended today

Chorus

But you've gotta cast your burden, etc.

Is It Nothing To You?

1 As I sit by my window, quiet and alone
I pick up by Bible, the best thing I own
As I read of my Saviour, then I have to cry
Like the prophet of old to the people passing by

Chorus

'Is it nothing to you, all ye who pass by
That God's dear Son Jesus should suffer and die?
Look and see, look and see an incredible thing
Son of God on a cross, suffering for my sin'

2 As I walk in the streets, the people I see
With ears that can't hear, and eyes that can't see
Then I think of God's Spirit, gentle, a dove
I see Heaven is weeping, it's a sin against love

3 As I think of the cross, the place where He died
And even in death His hands were stretched wide
Then I have to cry, 'What is this He's done?
All my sin, all my sorrow was laid on God's dear Son'

Chorus

'Is it nothing to you, all ye who pass by
That God's dear Son Jesus should suffer and die?
Look and see, look and see, and see if there be
So much sorrow, oh such sorrow as Christ on the tree'