

# WITHIN A BETTER COVENANT

**INTRO** C | C | F G7 F | C G | C

**VERSE 1** Within a better covenant  
God's people now abide  
Built on the finished work of Christ  
Accomplished and applied  
From ev'ry nation, tribe and tongue  
The Spirit calls the bride  
Uniting in this covenant  
Each one for whom Christ died

**VERSE 2** All those within this covenant  
Are quickened and made new  
From least to great, they know the Lord  
And trust His Word as true  
The Spirit works and writes God's Law  
Upon each heart and mind  
That each will turn and flee to Christ  
His grace and mercy find

**VERSE 3**      <sup>C</sup> For unto Moses, <sup>F</sup> Jesus <sup>C</sup> gave  
                          <sup>F</sup> His Law on Sinai's hill  
                          <sup>C</sup> The Law that one day <sup>D7</sup> He would <sup>G</sup> come  
                          <sup>G</sup> To perfectly fulfill  
                          <sup>C</sup> God's Law fulfilled in Jesus <sup>C</sup> Christ <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
                          <sup>D</sup> Is holy, good, and right <sup>G</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> What once condemned us for our sin <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> Is now made our delight <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>

**VERSE 4**      <sup>C</sup> The Spirit seals the covenant <sup>F</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
                          <sup>F</sup> With each He sets apart <sup>C/G</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> A circumcision not of flesh <sup>D7</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
                          <sup>G</sup> But of the conquer'd heart <sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> For it is not by flesh and blood <sup>G/B</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
                          <sup>D</sup> Nor by the will of man <sup>G</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> That Christ now builds and keeps His church <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> And causes it to stand <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>

**VERSE 5**      <sup>C</sup> The covenants that came before <sup>F</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
                          <sup>F</sup> Did then prepare the way <sup>C/G</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
                          <sup>C</sup> As God progressively revealed <sup>D7</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
                          <sup>G</sup> The glories of Christ's day <sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>

<sup>C</sup> <sup>G/B</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
The types and shadows of the old  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
A foretaste did provide  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
But old has vanished now away  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
As Christ is magnified!

**VERSE 6** <sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
In ceaseless service priests of old  
<sup>F</sup> <sup>C/G</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
Brought off'rings day by day  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>D7</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
But blood of bulls and goats could not  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
Take sin's dark guilt away  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>G/B</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
Behold, a better sacrifice  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
The spotless Lamb who died!  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
Christ shed His blood once for all time  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
To cleanse and save His bride

**VERSE 7** <sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
God made provision in the Old  
<sup>F</sup> <sup>C/G</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
Its Temple, priests, and land  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>D7</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
An earthly nation He raised up  
<sup>G</sup> <sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
And strengthened by His hand  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>G/B</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
But earthly shadows now have past  
<sup>D</sup> <sup>G</sup>  
Outshined with Christ in view  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
Proclaiming now unto the church  
<sup>C</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>  
God's Kingdom is in you!

VERSE 8

<sup>C</sup> Behold, the temple of the <sup>F</sup> New <sup>C</sup>  
<sup>F</sup> Not made with bricks <sup>C/G</sup> or <sup>G</sup> stone <sup>C</sup>  
<sup>C</sup> Is now the gathered <sup>D7</sup> hearts of all <sup>G</sup>  
<sup>G</sup> Whom Christ has called <sup>D</sup> His own <sup>G</sup>  
<sup>C</sup> The sacrifices of our lips <sup>G/B</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>dm7</sup> <sup>C/E</sup>  
<sup>D</sup> We to this temple bring <sup>G</sup>  
<sup>C</sup> That Christ be praised as all in all <sup>F</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>F</sup>  
<sup>C</sup> Our Prophet, Priest, and King <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>

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