

How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds

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John Newton, 1779

Rachel
Chris Bowater, 1976

D Em7 D/F# G D/A

1. How sweet the name of Je - sus sounds in a be -
2. Dear name, the rock on which I build, my shield and
3. Je - sus, my shep - herd, broth - er, friend, my Proph - et,

G/A A7 D A7sus4 A D Em7

liev - ers ear! It soothes our sor - rows,
hid - ing place; my nev - er fail - ing
Priest, and King, my Lord, my Life, my

D/F# G D/A G/A A7 D

heal our wounds and drives a - way our fear.
treas - ur - y, filled with bound - less stores of grace!
way, my end, ac - cept the praise I bring.

It makes the woun - ded spi - rit whole,
By you my prayers ac - cept - ance gain,
Weak is the ef - fort of my heart,
Till then I would Your love pro - claim

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Em7 A7/C# D A7sus4 A D

and calms each heart op - pressed; it's man - na
al - though with sin de - filed; Sa - tan ac -
and cold my warm - est thought; but when I
with ev - 'ry fleet - ing breath; and may the

Em7 D/F# G D/A G/A A7

to the hun - gry soul, and to the wea - ry
cus - es me in vain since I am God's own
see you as You are, I'll praise You as I
mus - ic of Your Name re - fresh my soul in

Bm Bm/A G D/A G/A A7 D G/D D.S.

rest, and to the wea - ry rest.
child, since I am God's own child.
ought, I'll praise You as I ought
death, re - fresh my soul in death.

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