LORD OF THE DANCE

 G Em

I danced in the morning when the world was young

 Am C D

I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun

 G Em

I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth

 Am G D G

At Bethlehem I had my birth

**G Em G**

**Dance, dance, wherever you may be**

 **Am D**

**I am the lord of the dance, said he**

 **G D**

**And I lead you all, wherever you may be**

 **C D G D G**

**And I lead you all in the dance, said he**

I danced for the scribes and the Pharisees

They wouldn't dance, they wouldn't follow me

I danced for the fishermen James and John

They came with me so the dance went on

**CHORUS**

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame

The holy people said it was a shame

They ripped, they stripped, they hung me high

Left me there on the cross to die

**CHORUS**

I danced on a Friday when the world turned black

It's hard to dance with the devil on your back

They buried my body, they thought I was gone

But I am the dance, and the dance goes on

**CHORUS**

They cut me down and I leapt up high

I am the life that will never, never die

I'll live in you if you'll live in me

I am the Lord of the dance, said he

**CHORUS**