**COURAGE IS**

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Take all my vicious words and turn them into something good

Take all my preconceptions and let the truth be understood

F C G C G C

Take all my prized possessions and leave only what I need

F C G C G C

Take all my pieces of doubt and let me be what's underneath

**C F G C**

**Courage is when you're afraid,**

**F G C**

**But you keep on moving anyway**

**C F G C**

**Courage is when you're in pain,**

**F G C**

**But you keep on living anyway** *(band in)*

F/A C/G G/F C/E

We all have excuses why

F/A C/G G/F C/E

Living in fear something in us dies

F/A C/G G/F C/E

Like a bird with broken wings

F/A C/G

It's not how high he flies,

G/F C/E

But the song he sings

**F C G C**

**Courage is when you're afraid,**

**F C G C**

**But you keep on moving anyway**

**F C G C**

**Courage is when you're in pain,**

**F C G C**

**But you keep on living anyway**

**F Am C G**

**you keep on living anyway**

*guitar solo*

F Am C G/b F Am C G/b

C G F C

It's not how many times you've been knocked down

Am G F C

It's how many times you get back up *(band out)*

C F G C

Courage is when you've lost your way,

C F G C

But you find your strength anyway *(band in)*

**F C G C**

**Courage is when you're afraid,**

**F C G C**

**Courage is when you’ve lost these things**

**F C G C**

**Courage is when you make a change**

**F C G C**

**and you keep on living anyway**

**F C G C**

**You keep on moving anyway**

**F C G C**

**You keep on giving anyway**

**F| C G C**

**You keep on loving anyway**