

"Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

Key of C (capo4 or 5) – 4/4 time

INTRO:

VERSE 1

C G/B Am
Blest be the tie that binds
C7 F C/E G
Our hearts in Christian love
G7 C G E7/G# Am
The fellowship of kindred minds
F C F C G F C
Is like to that above
G C/E F
Before our Father's throne
C/E F D7/F# G
We pour our ardent prayers
G7 C G E7/G# Am
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one
F C F C G F C
Our comforts and our cares

VERSE 2

C G/B Am
We share our mutual woes
C7 F C/E G
Our mutual burdens bear
G C G E7/G# Am
And often for each o - ther flows
F C F C G F C
The sym- pa - thi - zing tear
G C/E F
When we asunder part
C/E F D7/F# G
It gives us inward pain
G C G E7/G# Am
But we shall still be joined in heart
F C F C G F C
And hope to meet again

VERSE 3

C G/B Am
This glorious hope revives
C7 F C/E G
Our courage on the way;
G C G E7/G# Am
While each in expectation lives
F C F F/C C F
And longs to see that day
C F/A Bb
From sorrow, toil, and pain,
F/A Bb G7/B C
And sin we shall be free
C F C C#dim7 Dm
And perfect love and friendship reign
Bb F/C Bb F/C C F
Through all e - ter - ni - ty