

Hookers and Robbers

Intro Bm A D Bm A G
Bm A
Crack kids, track kids, hookers and robbers,
D
The naked and hungry, mothers and fathers
Bm A
Abuses, excuses, and guns in your hands
G
And I even welcome the arrogant man

Bm A
I welcome you all to the biggest of feasts,
D
A night of no shame, to pause and to breathe
Bm A
This is a night of love's renovation
G
A feast I am sure that could change a whole nation

Bm A
Me, I am not such an excellent host,
D
I'm one who forgives but needs it the most
Bm A
I found the liar, the killer of hearts
G
I ran away with a new way to start

Bm A
I journeyed a road where a bright man appeared
D
He looked into me, and my eyes filled with tears
Bm A
My breath fast and short and my heart burning deep
G
He gave me new eyes and a new way to see

Chorus

D G Bm G
Come as you are, as you are, as you are.
Come as you are, as you are, as you are.

Vs.

I still defiled His great love ways
I felt such a famine when I ran away
I missed the presence, the voice like a song
I was nasty and dirty, I knew I was wrong

But He ran to me like a dream, like a father
This love is not earthly, this love must be other
He carried me home and threw me a party
A party so loud like the greatest love story

Oh my dear friends applaud now please
I've invited you here to announce you are free
He takes your chains, busting you out of prison
Just open your heart, let your heart come and listen

Chorus

Come as you are, as you are, as you are.
Come as you are, as you are, as you are.

Bridge

Em A Em A
Em A C G

Vs.

Who could accept all your pounding and screaming
Your raging, your freaking, cussing, and beating
All while He holds you and always forgiving
This is the story of love and of living

So wipe off your tears and laugh just a little
Come break this Bread, celebrate the Forgiver
Raise up a glass, a time to remember
Come break this Bread, celebrate the Forgiver

Chorus

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