

GORDON TAYLER'S VOCAL CD LYRIC SHEETS

1. OVERTURE & SUNRISE FANTASY

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Darkness fades, the morning light returns, the world awakens and all is well
Into the golden light, fly, never knowing what this day might bring
We can ride each ray of sunlight on its' journey to somewhere
Out there in the blue
Who knows what answers we might discover
Perhaps the truth that sets us free
Out there in the blue

Morning comes, darkness fades
And in the light the way is clear
All things are possible, nothing gives us fear
Sunrise on its' journey to another far off land
All things are possible, nothing gives us fear

Sometimes the night goes on too long
The morning seems far away

Sunlight streaming
Each breath brings new life
Pure joy, pure joy
Darkness fades, the morning light returns, the world awakens and all is well
Into the light, into the light again

2. TOGETHER WE RISE

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All this magic, all this joy.
The wonder of this moment will live in our hearts,
And last more than a lifetime,
Everyone wins, the whole human race will rise,
Together we rise.

So much power in just one dream.
One step forward promises so much more.
Then hope will turn to glory, we will rise,
No turning back, our lives will never be the same again.

This is your chance to shine, to follow your dream, your mountain to climb.
Nothing to lose, nothing to hide, everything focused, eyes open wide.
There is no room for doubt, no time to ponder what lifes' all about,
Only the heartbeat, only the fire, to celebrate life, to fan the desire.
This is your chance to win, this moment in time it may not come again.
Run the thin line between joy and despair, discover the reason why you came here.

This is your chance to shine, together we will rise.
This is your chance to shine, together we will rise.

We feel your passion, ev'ry step you take is ours,
You give us courage to overcome.

Together we rise, we are connected, our bonds run deep.
Is reality more than we see with our eyes.

All this magic, all this joy.
The wonder of this moment will live in our hearts,
And last more than a lifetime,
Everyone wins, together we rise, together we rise.

So much power in all our dreams.
One step forward promises a million more.
Then hope will turn to glory,
Everyone wins, together we rise, together we rise.
Rise, rise, together we rise, together we rise,
We will rise.

3. THERE IS A LOVE

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I know she waits somewhere for me
Perhaps in some far land across the sea
And even if I search my whole life through
I'll never give up hope
I know she's just a breath away

Like rivers winding on and on
Through hills and plains they simply drift along
And in the end they all become as one
It seems to take so long
To find the place where we belong, where we belong

For each and ev'ryone there is a love
A love to find, to give us shelter from the storm
When all seems lost and you are feeling so alone
I'm sure she's very near, perhaps your nearly home

Just as the sun will surely rise
And change the darkness into clear blue skies
Just as the summer dawns and winter dies
Someday we'll share our lives
Somewhere together side by side, and heart to heart

(Chorus)

For each and ev'ryone there is a love
A love to find, to give us shelter from the storm
When all seems lost and you are feeling so alone
I'm sure she's very near, perhaps your nearly home
Nothing can hold back the power of love
It forms a bridge from heart to heart
To go beyond all time and space
Until together we stand face to face

How will I know when I meet her
What if she just walks by

(Chorus)

4. OUT OF THE BLUE

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Life is such a mystery, this is widely known
Are we just pawns in the game, or masters of our own destiny
Heaven only knows, but on and on life goes
Magic happens every day, it can really take your breath away
Wonderful

Out of the blue like a dream come true, some things you can't explain
Like each new sunrise, never the same
Like the soft grey light of the new dawning day, gone, gone all too soon
Like the planets and stars, like the sun and the moon
All out of the blue

Out of the blue, like the planets and stars, oh life

You, you came from nowhere, when I was blue
When I was on the road to find out what life is all about
Learning how to live, needing someone to love
And there you were, oh happy day,
You were only just a breath away, never far

Out of the blue like a dream come true, some things you can't explain
Like each new sunrise, never the same
Like the soft grey light of the new dawning day, gone, gone all too soon
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All out of the blue

5. LOVE IS ALL WE NEED

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I don't understand you most all of the time,
We are so different, somehow we get by.
You always open my eyes with your smile,
With all the things that you do to say that I love you.

And with the song in your heart, with the strength in your soul,
You open my eyes, you help me to know what is real.
Who could ask for more, wouldn't you agree,
Love is all we have, and love is all we need.

I can still clearly remember the day that we first met,
It only seems like yesterday.
But who knows how many times we've done this dance before,
And now the words have all been spoken.
The words have all been spoken, there's not much more to say.
The circle is unbroken.
Please just stay, just stay awhile.

I don't understand you most all of the time,
We are so different, somehow we get by.
You always open my eyes with your smile,
With all the things that you do to say that I love you.

And with the song in your heart, with the strength in your soul,
You open my eyes, you help me to know what is real.
Who could ask for more, wouldn't you agree,
Love is all we have, and love is all love is all

Some say that love is all that we need to survive,
I don't know if that is true, I only know that I love you.

Some say that love is all that we need to survive,
I don't know if that is true, I only know that I love you

6. MORNING SONG

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Morning sunshine enters in my window, and I behold the dawning day
Colours of silver, crimson and yellow, enfolding everything they may
Awaken all to the call of life, and enter in to the new found light
Brother, sister, bird and beast, come partake of this heavenly feast
Open are we to Earth's glad song, for the gifts of morning to us belong

Each new day brings happiness and wonder, the joy of life is all around
New beginnings, magical re-union, the light that disappeared now is found
The golden sun so great and bright, warms the earth with all it's might
Ocean, forest, mountain, sky, morning shines on all, nothing can hide
Open are we to Earth's glad song, for the gifts of morning to us belong

With ev'ry sunrise we can make the new day better than the day before
Morning sunshine enters in my window, and I behold the dawning day
With ev'ry sunrise we can make the new day better than the day before
With ev'ry sunrise we can make the new day better than yesterday
Each day better than before

Morning sunshine enters in my window, and I behold the dawning day
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Awaken all to the call of life, and enter in to the new found light
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7. THERE'S ENOUGH FOR US ALL

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Some take what they want, they say it's ours not theirs'
They live for today, well tomorrow who cares
They've been told all along there just isn't enough
To survive in this world some just have to play rough.

So they plunder and pillage the forest and trees
They pour all the waste into rivers and seas
When it's simply a matter of learning new rules
Will the children remember them as heroes or fools.

There's enough for us all, for you and for me
For the poor and the hungry to have all they need
Enough money, enough love, enough wisdom I'm sure
Enough caring to end the famines and wars
When enough is enough, then something must give
If we change how we think, we can change how we live.

Technology gives us the means to survive
To grow enough food, to live and to thrive
But the future depends on the choices we make
This old planet of ours is the prize that's at stake.

There's enough for us all, for you and for me
For the poor and the hungry to have all they need
Enough money, enough love, enough wisdom I'm sure
Enough caring to end the famines and wars
When enough is enough, then something must give
If we change how we think, we can change how we live.

When enough is enough, then something must give
(there's enough for us all)
If we change how we think, we can change how we live.
(enough for us all, if we can change how we live)

There's enough for us all.

8. A CHILD IS BORN

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Sweet child so beautiful, we greet you this morn.
What wond'rous joy we behold in your form
We give our thanks for the gift of this day.
Guide and protect her forever we pray.

The awakening eye that longingly peers,
Into spaces and faces from far away years.
She opens and shines to music and song,
That brings back the memory of realms forgone.
And with eyes that remember, my sarah speaks to me.

Off into time and space I go, just where and how I do not know.
But with this precious gift of life, I sing my song for you.
For I hear music all around, it takes me to this home I've found.
And whatever life will bring, this melody's for you.

Sweet child so beautiful, we greet you this morn.
Sweet child so beautiful, good morning sunshine
What wond'rous joy we behold in your form
What joy we now behold, good morning sunshine

Sweet child so beautiful, we greet you this morn.
Sweet child so beautiful, good morning sunshine
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What joy we now behold, good morning sunshine
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9. FOR ONE AND FOR ALL

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Ev'ry moment has its' magic
Ev'ry word we speak has meaning
Ev'ry thought we think has power
Ev'ry song we sing can heal

Ev'ry person has their story to tell
No-one has it all their own way
Ev'ry act of kindness brings freedom
Ev'ry new born child brings hope

With ev'ry heart beat time marches on
Riding our dreams tomorrow will always come
Ev'ry step promises more
We're in this world together for one and for all

Why oh why do so many people die before their time
Too many tears are cried
So many years, too many hours and days denied
It's all just way too sad

Ev'ry sunrise brings new life
Ev'ry journey has an ending
Ev'ry truth revealed asks more questions
Many answers stay out of reach

Beauty always fades, love never dies
Happiness is hard to hold, sadness can feel so cold

With ev'ry heart beat time marches on
Riding our dreams tomorrow will always come
Ev'ry step promises more
We're in this world together for one and for all
We're in this world together for one and for all
We're in this world together for one and for all
One and all for one

10. IF WE COULD START AGAIN

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If we could start again
I'd hold my breath and maybe count to ten
And then when all the talk is done
Will you still be the only one

If we could work it out
And make some sense of all this pain and doubt
If we could only turn back time
Pretend I'm yours and you are mine

If we could start again, just try to be good friends
Have all these years come to an end
I always thought that love never dies

Somehow we lost our way
What happened to the fun, the games we played
The truth can be so hard to bear
You always said that you'd be there

If we could start again, just try to be good friends
Have all these years come to an end
I always thought that love never dies

Whenever the heart is broken, and happiness fades away,
The power of love lives on within, it will rise again another day

If we could start again, just try to be good friends
Have all these years come to an end
I always thought that love never dies

When your world falls apart,
And matters of the heart take control
Giving you no peace of mind
Only sadness and pain
These tears are for all the broken-hearted people

(when your world falls apart)

Only for the ones love left behind.

(these tears are for all the broken-hearted people)

If we could start again, just try to be good friends
Have all these years come to an end
I always thought that love never dies
I always thought that love never dies
If we could start again

11. THE INCREDIBLE LIGHTNESS OF FLIGHT

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How can I describe to you the clouds, the wind, the bird's eye view
Life is so different way up there, no Earth, no sea, just light and air
Where planets revolve in the cosmos of blue
And the pilot guides his plane through the sun and rain

There's room to move, to dream, to breath
To spread your wings, to dive and weave
To gather your thoughts and survey all you see
To rise on the wind, to rise and be free

Into the sunset, into the golden sun
Into the sunset between earth and sky
Finding some magic that money can't buy

It's just unforgettable, the wonder of flight
Like the passage of morning from darkness to light
Like an old friend remembered from days gone by
With both feet on the ground, I still fly around
I'll always love to fly, fly away
Fly, fly away, fly, fly away, fly, fly away

How can I describe to you the clouds, the wind, the bird's eye view

12. DARK NIGHT OF THE SOUL

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Darkness falls, the shadows of night descend,
Ev'rything ev'rything turns to blue.
Watching the lights go out,
Then this wild unknowable creature, looks me in the eye.
It's your turn to sink or swim,
Breakdown or break through.
You can chose to find a deeper sense of who you are.
I am the dark night of the soul.

Sitting quietly, learning humility.
You are the sculptor shaping me truly.
But I'm still watching lights go out.
Then this wild unpredictable teacher, gives me an offer that I can't refuse.
A necessary right of passage, not dying but re-birth.
Moving on towards a new and clear inner light,
This is the dark night of my soul.

I can learn to see in the darkness, go beyond this pain and loss,
Search for meaning, break new ground.

Morning comes, the shadows of night are gone.
Ev'rything ev'rything now is clear.
I'm watching the lights turn on.
And that wild unforgettable creature, just for the moment has drifted away.

I have learnt to see in the darkness, to go beyond the pain and loss,
Find new meaning, break new ground.
This is the dark night, the unforgettable dark night.

13. HEAVEN AND EARTH

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Darkness and light
The myst'ry, the magic, the wonder, the movement of day into night
And I in the midst of it all

No beginning, no end
Just acting out parts written so long ago, is it real or pretend
And will we ever learn our lines

Heaven and earth
Is reality just what we see with our eyes
Planets revolving in the cosmos of deepest blue

And how about you
Do you believe in something more behind the scenes
Are we just like puppets dancing on strings

And who writes this play of life
That sometimes is too much to bear, I would go anywhere
to escape from the madness, such unbelievable sadness
Too much to imagine

Woman and man
So much in love all the pain of the world is forgotten to them
I don't understand

And who writes this song of joy that fills our hearts with so much love
That overcomes all the sadness, such unbelievable happiness

Heaven and earth
Is reality just what we see with our eyes
Planets revolving in the cosmos of deepest blue

The moon and the stars are bright
The light and the darkness together just go on forever
We are much more than puppets dancing on strings
We are much more than puppets dancing on strings

14. AUSTRALIA SIMPLY THE BEST

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The land, sea and the sky, as far as the eye can see.
Gold, green and blue, this wide land paints a magical view,
It's all for you.

Wouldn't you say we've got it all here?
You could travel the world and never come near,
People and places that you won't forget,
This is Australia from east to west,
We think you'll agree its' the best.

We are much more than friends.

From the outback to the sea, from Kakadu to the MCG,
Under starry southern skies, come down under, it will be great,
She'll be right mate.

Wouldn't you say we've got it all here?
You could travel the world and never come near,
People and places that you won't forget,
This is Australia from east to west,
We think you'll agree its' the best.

We are much more than friends.

Wouldn't you like to part of it all,
We can explore the heart of Australia.

This ancient land belongs to the sound of the dream-time song.
We share a vision of freedom and harmony,
A land of unity.

Wouldn't you say we've got it all here?
You could travel the world and never come near,
People and places that you won't forget,
This is Australia from east to west,
You can be part of it, we're just the start of it,
Australia is simply the best.

15. OVER THE EARTH

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Over the earth is a mat of green,
Over the green is the dew,
Over the dew are the arching trees,
Over the trees the blue.
Across the blue are scudding clouds,
Over the clouds the sun,
Over it all is the love of God
Blessing us everyone.
Over it all is the love of God
Blessing us everyone.