

Redemption Song

Bob Marley

Standard tuning

Intro

G *Em7*
Old Pirates, yes, they rob I.
C *G/B* *Am*
Sold I to the merchant ships
G *Em C* *G/B* *Am*
minutes after they took I from the bottomless pit.
G *Em7*
But my hand was made strong
C *G/B* *Am*
By the hand of the Almighty.
G *Em C* *D*
We forward in this generation triumphantly.

Chorus

G C D G
Won't you help to sing these songs of freedom?
C D Em C D G
'Cause all I ever had, redemption songs,
C D G C
redemption songs.

D G Em7
Emancipate yourselves from mental slavery,
C G/B Am
None but ourselves can free our minds.
G Em
Have no fear for atomic energy,
C G/B Am
'Cause none of them can stop the time.
G Em7
How long shall they kill our prophets
C G/B Am
While we stand aside and look?
G Em
Yes, some say it's just a part of it.
C D
We've got to fulfill the book.

Chorus

Won't you help to sing these songs of freedom?
'Cause all I ever had, redemption songs,
These songs of freedom, songs of freedom.

Intro

Two systems of guitar tablature for the Intro. Each system consists of two staves. The first staff has notes: 0, 2, 3, 0, 2, 3. The second staff has notes: 2, 0, 3, 0, 2, 3. The notes are connected by lines indicating fingerings and phrasing.

G	320003	Em7	020000
C	x32010	G/B	x20003
Am	x02210	Em	022000
D	xx0232		

