

He Went Out Of His Way

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Verse 1

HE WENT OUT OF HIS WAY TO SHOW ME THE WAY
WHEN I HAD LOST ALL DIRECTION
LEFT THE NINETY AND NINE AND FOUND ME IN TIME
WHEN I CRIED IN DEEP DESPERATION
HE COULD HAVE PASSED ME ON BY AND LEFT ME TO DIE
IN A STRANGE AND DESOLATE PLACE
BUT LIKE A GOOD SHEPHERD HE WENT OUT OF HIS WAY

Verse 2

HE COULD TELL BY MY FEARS, BY MY SAD FALLING TEARS
I HAD LOST ALL HOPE OF RETURNING
EV'RY ROAD LOOKED THE SAME, SO I SOUGHT IN VAIN
WITH GRIEF CAME MY LESSON IN LEARNING
HE HELD ME CLOSE TO HIS SIDE, LOOKED IN MY EYES
CALMED MY FEARS BY THE SMILE ON HIS FACE
BUT LIKE A GOOD SHEPHERD HE WENT OUT OF HIS WAY

Bridge

NO, HE WOULDN'T LET ME GIVE UP
HE GAVE ME A REASON TO TRY IT ONCE MORE
HE LED ME TO PASTURES WHERE TABLES WERE SPREAD
AND SHOWED ME A WIDE OPEN DOOR

Chorus

I LOOKED IN THE EYES OF A PICTURE OF LOVE
THAT CARED FOR ONE SHEEP GONE ASTRAY
HE REACHED DOWN TO HOLD ME, TO GENTLY CONSOLE ME
THE SHEPHERD WENT OUT OF HIS WAY
HE REACHED DOWN TO HOLD ME, TO GENTLY CONSOLE ME
THE SHEPHERD WENT OUT OF HIS WAY
THE GOOD SHEPHERD WENT OUT OF HIS WAY

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