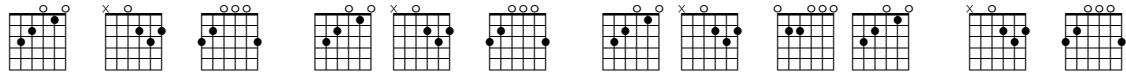




Every Idle Word


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
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


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
  Looking back on all those years since the day I first believed


 There's a thousand billion things I've said I wish I could retrieve


 Thoughtless words of condemnation, evil speaking best unsaid


 Seems I've spoken every evil thought that popped into my head

Bridge:


 And I know Lord, that it hurts You just to hear the things I said


 I might wish for a thousand tongues to sing Your praise instead


 But it's hard to stop the one I have from evil it might say


 So Jesus, grant me just this one request today:

Chorus:

 Every Idle Word brings blessing or cursing

 Every Idle Word we'll have to explain

 Every Idle Word brings healing or hurting

 May Your praises fill my Every Idle Word.

Verse 2:

Lord, it scares me to think
That You're keeping careful count
Every thoughtless word I said
You have quickly written down
All those hours spent in gossip
Are written down above
And so many things I've said that hurt
The very ones I love

Bridge:

And I know, Lord, that You died to pay
For all the things I've done
But I wish that I could just for once
Quit shoveling it on!
Jesus, come and give me strength to change
this evil talk to praise
And I'll praise You every moment of the day!

Chorus: (2times)

May Your praises fill my Every Idle Word.