

# The Anchor Holds

Key - G

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## Verse 1

**G2 C2/G G2 C2/G G2 D/F#**  
I have journeyed through the long dark night  
**Em7 D D7 Am**  
Out on the open sea  
**G D/F# D7 G D/F# Em C**  
By faith a-lone sight un-known  
**D G C/D**  
And yet His eyes were watching me

## Chorus

**G C/G G**  
The anchor holds  
**C F/C C**  
Though the ship is battered  
**D G/D D**  
The anchor holds  
**G C/G G**  
Though the sails are torn  
**Am/G G Gmaj7 G7**  
I have fallen on my knees  
**C G/B Am**  
As I face the raging seas  
**D/F# Em7 D**  
The anchor holds  
**G Am G/B C D/F# (To Verse)**  
In spite of the storm  
**G C/G G G/B (To Bridge)**  
**G (To Ending)**

## Verse 2

I've had visions I've had dreams  
I've even held them in my hand  
But I never knew they would slip right through  
Like they were only grains of sand

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*Bridge*

**C** **F/C** **C**  
I have been young

**G** **C/G** **G** **C/G** **G**  
But I'm old-er now

**Em7** **D/E** **Em** **D/E** **Em**  
And there has been beau - ty

**D** **G/D** **D7**  
These eyes have seen

**C** **F/C** **C**  
But it was in the night

**G** **D/F#** **Em**  
Through the storms of my life

**C**  
Oh that's where God proved

**Am** **Am/C** **D** **Bm/D** **D7** *(To Chorus)*  
His love to me but the an - chor...

*Ending*

**C/D** **G** **Gmaj7** **G7**  
I have fallen on my knees

**C** **G/B** **Am7**  
As I face the raging seas

**D/F#** **D**  
The anchor holds

**C** **Am** **G/B** **C** **G**  
In spite of the storm