

Amazing Grace - Key of D

Words: John Newton (1725-1807)
Music: Traditional

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You might choose to play "Amazing Grace" in the key of D to accommodate singers with lower voices than the key of G called for. Again, this arrangement is for four-string fretted dulcimer using a flatpicking style. If you have a three string dulcimer, ignore the tablature notes for the inside treble string. Pick only the strings where there are tablature numbers. On the hammered dulcimer, I would fill in some chord notes to make the arrangement more complete.

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Key of D
Ionian Melody
Tune D A A A
Flatpicked

♩ = 76

	D		D7		G		D	
	3		3		3		3	
A -	maz - ing		grace		how		sweet the	
							sound That	
Bass D	0		6 6		3		0	
Middle A	0		0 0		1		0	
Treble A	0		0 0		1		0	
Treble A	0 1		3 5 4 3		5 4		3 1 0 0 1 3	
	hammer on		pull offs				hammer ons	

3				A		A7		
3		3		3		3		
saved	a		wretch		like		me. I	
0	0		0		6+		6+	
0	0		0		0		6	
0	0		0		0		0	
3	5 4 3		5 4 5		7		7 5 7	
	pull offs							

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D	D7	G	D
once	was _____	lost	but _____
now	I'm _____	found,	Was _____
0	6	3	0
0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0
7	5 4 3	5 5 4	3 3 1
	 pull offs		 hammer on

D	A	G	D
blind	but _____	now	I
see. _____			
0	4 4	3	2
0	2 2	1	0
0	0 0	1	0
3	5 4 3	5 4	3
	 pull offs		

Amazing Grace! How sweet the sound
 That saved a wretch like me.
 I once was lost but now I'm found,
 Was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
 And grace my fears relieved.
 How precious did that grace appear
 The hour I first believed.

The Lord has promised good to me.
 His word my hope secures.
 He will my shield and portion be
 As long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares
 I have already come.
 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far
 And grace will lead me home.