

Remembering Rusty

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Verse 1

As I awoke this morning I had tears in my eyes
I dreamed of Brother Rusty, my favorite singer of all time
We spoke of singing and songs he wrote before
Had It Not Been for Calvary and ***The Journey He'd Take Nothin' For***
Then I told him how I missed him and what his singing did for me
And the world seems less happy without the Goodman family
He spoke of their journey and how happy once again
With Brother Sam, Howard and Vestal reuniting their ***Family Band***

Verse 2

Oh, then he told 'bout meeting Jesus when he ***Escaped To The Light***
And when he met him all he could offer was my Lord, ***Who Am I***
Said I remembered as a child when ***Something Got Ahold Of Me***
How I told my friends and family when they arrive to ***Look For Me***
Oh, my Lord tell me why ***You Always Made It Rain For Me***
And ***How Much More*** did You love us and that You ***Chose Me*** to sing
The ***Greatest Love Story*** and ***I'll Never Be The Same***
To tell the world why You died and Your life You freely gave.

Verse 3

And then it seemed the dream had ended I thought of oh so many things
How Heaven waits for all who believe in the power of Jesus name
How Jesus redeems and saves us from sin
How He'll say ***Well Done My Child*** you may now enter in
And then I thought of all our loved ones with saints already there
Singing praises to Jesus; don't you want to go there
We'll sing songs together and praise Jesus' holy name
Friend I'll meet you in Heaven, ***Oh Come Angel Band***

**Bridge*

As I awoke this morning I had tears in my eyes
For I knew then why Rusty had ***Leavin' On His Mind***
When we heard that he was leavin' it was a sad, sad day
Though we knew he'd be with Jesus, we all wanted him to stay

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Rusty, I knew you'd be with Jesus
Oh, how I wanted you to stay

* Bridge inspired by Gloria Gaither from the 1990 Gaither tribute to Rusty Goodman