

# Amazing Grace - 3 Arrangements

## 1. The Easiest Arrangement.

The strumming pattern is Strum Brush Brush.

### Amazing Grace

Words  
John Newton, John Rees  
Music  
Traditional

The musical score is written in treble clef, key of D major (one sharp), and 3/4 time. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff contains the first four measures, and the second staff contains measures 5 through 8. Chord diagrams are provided above the notes for each measure. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words underlined to indicate syllable placement.

**Staff 1:**

- Measure 1: Chord D (xx0232), notes: A4, B4, D5
- Measure 2: Chord G (xx0033), notes: B4, D5, G5
- Measure 3: Chord D (xx0232), notes: A4, B4, D5
- Measure 4: Chord A7 (x02020), notes: C#5, D5, E5, F#5, G5

**Staff 2:**

- Measure 5: Chord D (xx0232), notes: A4, B4, D5
- Measure 6: Chord G (xx0033), notes: B4, D5, G5
- Measure 7: Chord D (xx0232), notes: A4, B4, D5
- Measure 8: Chord D (xx0232), notes: A4, B4, D5

**Lyrics:**

A - maz - ing\_ grace! How sweet the sound That saved a\_\_ wretch like me!\_\_\_\_\_ I  
 'Twas grace that\_ taught my heart to fear, And grace my\_ fears re - lieved.\_\_\_\_\_ How  
 The Lord has\_ prom - ised good to me; His word my\_ hope se - cures.\_\_\_\_\_ He  
 Thro' man - y\_\_ dan - gers, toils and snares I have al - read - y come.\_\_\_\_\_ 'Tis  
 When we've been there ten thous - and years, Bright shin - ing\_ as the sun,\_\_\_\_\_ We've

8  
 once\_\_ was lost but now am\_\_ found; Was blind, but\_ now I see.\_\_\_\_\_  
 pre - cious did that grace\_\_ ap - pear The hour I\_\_ first be - lieved.\_\_\_\_\_  
 will\_\_ my\_ shield and por - tion\_ be As long as\_\_ life en - dures.\_\_\_\_\_  
 grace\_\_ hath\_ bro't me safe\_\_ thus\_ far, And grace will\_ lead me home.\_\_\_\_\_  
 no\_\_ less\_ days to sing\_\_ God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.\_\_\_\_\_

If you know young children that want to learn to play. Once they have played a little, this arrangement will be good for them. You can find an easier song for them to start with at [KidsWorshipGuitar.com](http://KidsWorshipGuitar.com). It starts with one finger chords.

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## 1. The Second Arrangement.

This arrangement is geared towards the newer guitar player, but not a complete beginner. Probably someone who has been playing for a least a few months. Thumb Brush Brush is suggested as the strumming pattern, but any 3/4 time pattern will work.

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## 1. The Third Arrangement.

This arrangement is for a more advanced player.

### Amazing Grace

By John Newton

Arrangement by Jean Welles

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3/4 time signature. It consists of two staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 3/4 time signature. Above the staff are guitar chords: D, D9, D9 (with 5th fret), G/D, D, A/C#, Bm7, Bm7/A, Em7/D/F#, G6, A7sus4, A7, and A7. The lyrics for the first staff are: "A - maz - ing\_ grace! How sweet the sound That saved a\_ wretch like me!\_\_\_\_\_ I 'Twas grace that\_ taught my heart to fear, And grace my\_ fears re - lieved.\_\_\_\_\_ How The Lord has\_ prom - ised good to me; His word my\_ hope se - cures.\_\_\_\_\_ He Thro' man - y\_ dan - gers, toils and snares I have al - read - y come.\_\_\_\_\_ 'Tis When we've been there ten thous - and years, Bright shin - ing\_ as the sun,\_\_\_\_\_ We've

The second staff begins with a measure rest labeled '9'. Above the staff are guitar chords: D (with 5th fret), D7 (with 5th fret), G/D, D, A, Bm7, Bm7/A, Em7, A7, D, Dsus4, and D. The lyrics for the second staff are: "once\_ was lost but now am\_ found; Was blind, but\_ now I see.\_\_\_\_\_ pre - cious did that grace\_ ap - pear The hour I\_ first be - lieved.\_\_\_\_\_ will\_ my\_ shield and por - tion\_ be As long as\_ life en - dures.\_\_\_\_\_ grace\_ hath\_ bro't me safe\_ thus\_ far, And grace will\_ lead me home.\_\_\_\_\_ no\_ less\_ days to sing\_ God's praise Than when we'd first be - gun.\_\_\_\_\_

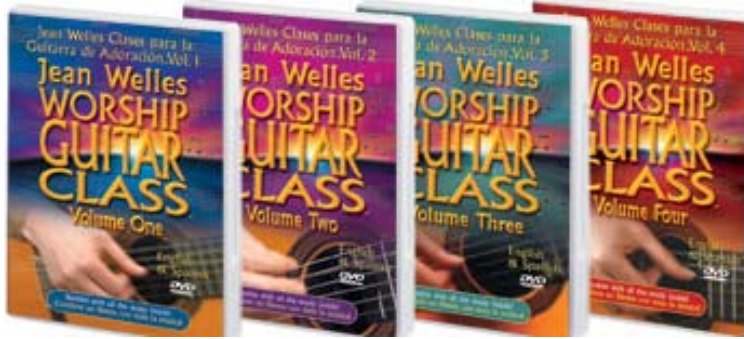
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Hope you enjoy these arrangements...

God Bless,  
Jean Welles

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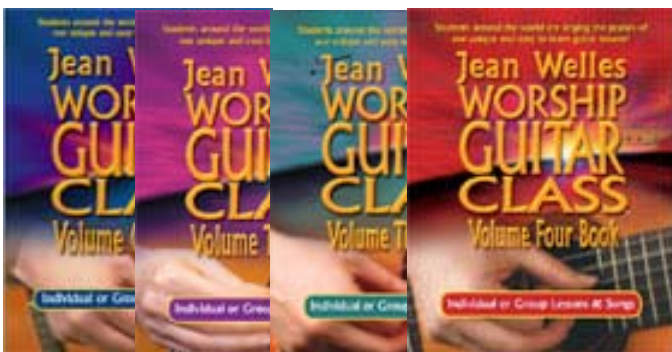
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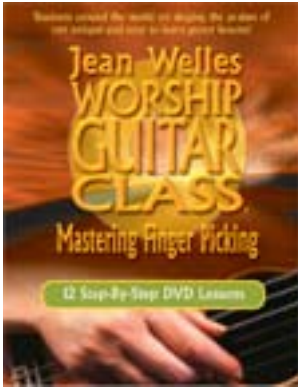
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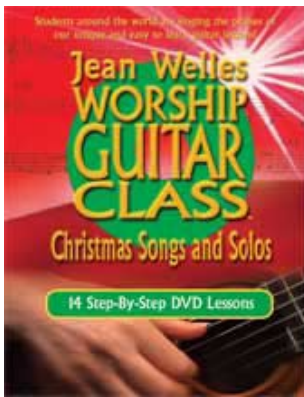
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