

# Lord Of The Dance Sydney Carter, 1963

G/G/F/F/C/C/C/..

C Am Em Am  
I danced in the morning when the world was begun  
G G7  
I danced in the Moon and the Stars and the Sun  
C Am Em Am  
I came down from Heaven and I danced on Earth  
G F C  
at Bethlehem I had my birth.

C Am C  
**Dance, dance, wherever you may be**  
C Am G  
**I am the Lord of the Dance, said He**  
C Am Em  
**And I'll lead you all, wherever you may be**  
G F C  
**And I'll lead you all in the Dance, said He**

C Am Em Am  
I danced for the scribes and the pharisees  
G G7  
But they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me  
C Am Em Am  
I danced for fishermen, for James and John  
G F C  
they came with me and the Dance went on

C Am Em Am  
I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame.  
G G7  
The holy people said it was a shame  
C Am Em Am  
They cut and they stripped and they hung me high  
G F C  
and they left me there on a cross to die

## Chorus

C Am Em Am  
I danced on a Friday when the sky turned black  
G G7  
It's hard to dance with the devil on your back  
C Am Em Am  
They buried my body, and they thought I was gone  
G F C  
but I am the Dance and I still go on

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C Am Em Am  
They cut me down but I leapt up high  
G G7  
I am the Light that will never, never die  
C Am Em Am  
I'll live in you if you'll live in Me  
G F C  
I am the Lord of the Dance, said He

## Chorus 2X