Old G pirates, yes they rob Em I Sold C I to the merchant Am ships minutes G after they took Em I from C the bottomless Am pit

But my G hand was made Em strong by C the hand of the Am almighty we G fowered in this Em generation C triumphantly D

Won't you help to G sing, C
These D songs of G freedom,
'cos C all I D ever Em had C
D Redemption G songs C D

Emancipate G yourself from mental Em slavery, None but C ourselves can free our Am minds. Have G no fear for atomic Em energy, 'cos none of C them can stop the D time

How G long shall they kill our Em prophets While we C stand aside and Am look? Some G say it's just a Em part of it We've C got to fulfill the D book

Refrain

Em C D x4

2nd couplet