

# James, Thanks

Through the hard times you stood beside us  
Held us up when we could go no further  
There is none like you that we can trust  
To push us on before we give up  
Without your support who would I be?  
Just another boy out on the streets

And for you I can see the truth  
The man you know that I can be  
Your faith I'll prove was not misplaced  
A guiding hand through the darker places

My mom you've shown yourself to be  
Helping me to break free  
Of the haunting demons in my life

And the melancholy of this strife  
Freedom gained and freedom won  
I'm showing you that I'm not done

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So hold on to these words forever  
A challenge like no other letter  
I keep two words for you at the end  
A show of deepest gratitude  
And though it won't be easy to do  
I just wanted to "Thank you."