Jesus Christ Superstar (2000), Gethsemane

Will no one stay awake with me?

Peter? John? James?

Will none of you wait with me?

Peter? John? James?

I only want to say

If there is a way

Take this cup away from me

For I don't want

To taste its poison

Feel it burn me,

I have changed

I'm not as sure

As when we started

Then I was inspired

Now I'm sad and tired

Listen, surely I've exceeded

Expectations

Tried for three years

Seems like thirty

Could you ask as much

From any other man?

But if I die

See the saga through

And do the things you ask of me

Let them hate me, hit me,

Hurt me, nail me to their tree

I'd want to know, I'd want to know, my God

I'd want to know, I'd want to know, my God

I'd want to see, I'd want to see, my God

Want to see, I'd want to see, my God

Why I should die!

Would I be more noticed

Than I ever was before?

Would the things I've said

And done matter any more?

I'd have to know, I'd have to know, my Lord

Have to know, I'd have to know, my Lord

Have to see, I'd have to see, my Lord

Have to see, I'd have to see, my Lord

If I die, what will be my reward?

If I die, what will be my reward?

Have to know, have to know, my Lord

Have to know, have to know, my Lord

Why should I die?

Can you show me now

That I would not be killed in vain?

Show me just a little

Of your omnipresent brain

Show me there's a reason

For you wanting me to die

You're far too keen on where and how

And not so hot on why

All right, I'll die!

Just watch me die!

See how I die!

See how I die!

Then I was inspired

Now I'm sad and tired

After all, I've tried for three years

Seems like ninety

Why, then, am I

Scared to finish

What I started?

What You started,

I didn't start it
God, Thy will is hard
But You hold every card
I will drink your cup of poison
Nail me to your cross and break me
Bleed me, beat me, kill me!
Take me now
Before I change my mind
Now, before I change my mind!