

# Tobymac, Stories (Down To The Bottom)

We've been down to the bottom  
Stories we got 'em, when we hit rock bottom  
If you been there put your hands in the air  
To let the lost know that someone cares  
Cause we've been down to the bottom  
Stories we've got 'em, when we hit rock bottom  
If you been there put your hands in the air  
And let somebody know that the Most High cares

I never knew that it would feel like this  
When the two that raised you up and call it quits  
Nobody told me 'bout the emptiness  
When the place you call home is closed for business  
I push the pain down, I gotta "get by";  
Always knowin' in my heart that it ain't gonna fly  
Rock bottom's never felt so near before  
And if pain is God's megaphone it's loud and clear  
So hold me now father, human love ain't enough  
I've failed and been failed by the people I love  
But your faithful arms they surround me  
And any other soul who has to sail those seas  
Of a broken family

Been so many times that I've been close to rock bottom  
Tryin' to look for answers but nobody's got 'em  
Like the time my mother looked me in the eye  
Tryin' not to cry, tellin' me the cancer might cause her to die  
How can this be, I thought that God loved me?  
So why would he try to take my mother from me?  
And as I cry myself to sleep at night, holding on my pillow tight  
He spoke to me and said that everything gonna be alright  
So I tried to fight all the pain that it caused  
Try to move on and I try to stay strong  
So put your hands up, hey, if y'all are feelin' me  
And put your hands up for everyone to see  
So put your hands up, we all a family  
So put your hands up, in unity, in unity

I've been there too  
When everything falls apart and the best you can do is  
Get through each day wonderin' will this never end?  
Is it always going to be this way?  
And the greatest lie you've ever been told is that  
You're the only one to ever walk on this road  
And that you'll never see the light of dawn, so we came together to say  
Hold on  
Cause we've been there and found our way home  
I promise you that you're not on your own  
One day this will pass, God will see us all through  
God will see us all through, God will see us all pass through