How Great Thou Art

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Arranged by Cindy Keating

Intro
D | Bm | G | A

Verse 1
D Bm
O Lord my God when I in awesome wonder
G A D
Consider all the worlds thy hands have made
D D A/C# Bm
I see the stars I hear the roll - ing thunder
G A D Bm G A
Thy pow’r throughout the universe displayed
*composer’s original words are “works” and “mighty”

Verse 2
D Bm
When thru the woods and forest glades I wander
G A D
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees
D D A/C# Bm
When I look down from lofty moun - tain grandeur
G A D
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

Chorus 1
D D A/C# Bm
Then sings my soul my Savior God to thee
G A D
How great thou art how great thou art
D D A/C# Bm
Then sings my soul my Savior God to thee
D/A G A D Bm G A
How great thou art how great thou art

“Yours, Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, Lord, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all.” - 1 Chronicles 29:11
Verse 3

D                      Bm
And when I think that God his son not sparing
G           A         D
Sent him to die I scarce can take it in
D    D - A/C#     Bm
That on the cross my burdens glad - ly bearing
D/A               G                        A              D
He bled and died to take away my sin

Verse 4

D (E)                     D (E) - A/C# (B/D#) - Bm (C#m)      D/A (E/B)
When Christ shall come with shouts of ac - c - lamation
G (A)                     A (B)                     D (E)
And take me home what joy shall fill my heart
D (E)                     D (E) - A/C# (B/D#) - Bm (C#m)      D/A (E/B)
Then I shall bow in humble a - dor - ation
G (A)                     A (B)                     D (D)
And there proclaim my God how great thou art

Chorus 2

E                 E         B/D#        C#m            E/B
Then sings my soul my Savior God to thee
A                 B                  E
How great thou art how great thou art
E                 E         B/D#        C#m            E/B
Then sings my soul my Savior God to thee
A                 B                  E
How great thou art how great thou art