

North Point

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**Dm**                      **Am**  
Have you ever been to North Point  
**Dm**                      **Am**  
To spend your time and pray?  
**Dm**                      **Am**                      **Dm**  
The prison walls are dark and cold and grey.  
                                 **Am**  
The writing on the wall at North Point  
**Dm**                      **Am**  
Speaks to a silent room.  
**Dm**                      **Am**                      **Dm**  
They shut the bars down, leave you to the gloom.

**Bb**              **C**  
How could we get any closer?  
   **F**  
So high is the wire and the guards won't listen,  
**Bb**                      **C**                      **D**  
They won't believe me.  
                         **Bb**              **C**  
And then it all came back.  
   **F**  
Somewhere far above has a new day risen?  
**Bb**                      **C**  
Way beyond the searchlight,  
**D**  
Comes alive, comes alive.

**Dm**                      **Am**  
Then on a bright day at North Point  
**Dm**                      **Am**  
The gate was open wide.  
**Dm**                      **Am**                      **Dm**  
They chanced to look at what was inside.  
                                 **Am**  
There were a million stars at North Point,  
**Dm**                      **Am**  
And from the silent tomb,  
**Dm**                      **Am**                      **Dm**  
They took it to the heart and left for the moon.

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F  
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Bb C D  
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Bb C  
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