

From a Distance
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Intro: **G D C/G G C G/B D Em7 G/B C Am Em/G D/F# D**

G C/G D G
From a distance, the world looks blue and green

C D G D C/G
And the snow capped mountains white

G C D G
From a distance, the ocean meets the stream

G/B C D G D
And the eagle takes to flight

G Cmaj7 D Em
From a distance, there is harmony

C G/B G/D D
And it echoes through the land

C G/B C G/B
It s the voice of hope, it s the voice of peace

C D G D C/G G C G/D D
It s the voice of every man

From a distance, we all have enough
And no one is in need
There are no guns, no bombs, no disease,
No hungry mouths to feed
From a distance, we are instruments
Marching in a common band
Playing songs of hope, playing songs of peace
They re the songs of every man

G/C C D G Em
God is watching us, God is watching us,
Em7 Am7 C/D D G
God is watching us, from a distance

From a distance, you look like my friend
Even though we are at war
From a distance, I can t comprehend
What all this war is for
From a distance, there is harmony
And it echoes through the land
It s the hope of hopes, it s the love of loves,
It s the heart of every man

G/C C D G Em
And God is watching us, God is watching us,
Em7 Am7 C/D D G
God is watching us, from a distance
G/B Am7 C/D Em7 G/B C Am7 D G

Oh God is watching us, from a distance