

As Strong As Samson
Procol Harum

Intro

| D | A | Em | G | x3

verse 1

Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
Psychiatrists and lawyers
Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
destroying mankind?
Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
Driving them crazy
Bm **G** **D**
and stealing them blind
Em **Bm** **C** **Em**
Bankers and brokers ruling the world
Bm **D/A** **E/G#** **A**
Storing the silver and hoarding the gold

G **A**
Ain t no use in preachers preaching?
F# **Bm** **A** **D/F#**
When they don t know what they re teaching?
G **A**
Weakest man be strong as Samson
D **Em** **D/A** **A** **D**
When you re being held to ran- som

Interlude

| D | A | Em | G | x2

verse 2

Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
Famine and hardship
Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
in true living colour?
Bm **G** **D** **D/C#**
Constant reminders
Bm **G** **D**
The plight of our brother
Em **Bm** **C** **Em**

Daily starvation our diet of news
Bm D/A E/G# A
Fed to the teeth with a barrage of views

G A
Ain t no use in preachers preaching?
F# Bm A D/F#
When they don t know what they re teaching?
G A
Weakest man be strong as Samson
D Em D/A A D
When you re being held to ran- som

Instrumental

A Em

| D | A | Em | G | x 3

verse 3

Bm G D D/C#
Black men and white men,
Bm G D D/C#
and Arabs and Jews?
Bm G D D/C#
Causing congestion
Bm G D
and filling the queues
Em Bm C Em
Fighting for freedom, the truth and the word
Bm D/A E/G# A
Fighting the war for the end of the world

G A
Ain t no use in preachers preaching
F# Bm A D/F#
When they don t know what they re teaching
G A
Weakest man be strong as Samson
D Em D/A A D
When you re being held to ran- som

G A
Ain t no use in preachers preaching

F# Bm A D/F#
 When they don't know what they're teaching
 G A
 Weakest man be strong as Samson
 D Em D/A A
 When you're being held to ransom /direct to outro

Outro

D A Em G
 -som It ain't no
 D A Em G
 use
 D A Em G
 O - o - o
 Ain't no use
 D A Em G
 O - o - o
 Ain't no use
 D A Em G
 O - o - o
 Strong as Samson
 D A Em G
 O - o - o
 D A Em G
 O - o - o

Fade

Note:
 Do the E minor on line 5 of the verse with an upstroke.