# All God's Children Ain't Free

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## **Instrumental Intro last 2 lines verse:**

[C] And he held out his [Am] hand to me [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free

[C] I'd sing more about [F] moral of this [C] land but all God's [G] children ain't [C] free [C] I'd open up every [F] door I [C] can 'cause all God's [G] children ain't [C] free I [G7] met a beaten broken man he [C] shovels dirt but [F] got no [C] land And he held out his [Am] hand to me [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free

#### **Instrumental last 2 lines verse:**

[C] And he held out his [Am] hand to me [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free

[C] I'd sing along to a [F] silly [C] song but all God's [G] children ain't [C] free I'm [C] gonna sing the blues for the [F] men they done [C] wrong 'Cause all God's [G] children ain't [C] free Mister [G7] how 'bout the man you condemn to die But [C] taking everything that he's [F] livin' [C] by And re-[C]-ject him from so-[Am]-ciety [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free No re-[C]-ject him from so-[Am]-ciety [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free

### **Instrumental verse:**

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[C] I'd be happy walking [F] any [C] street but all God's [G] children ain't [C] free [C] I'd have a smile for [F] all I [C] meet but all God's [G] children ain't [C] free I'd [G7] whistle down the road but I wouldn't feel right I'd [C] hear somebody cryin' [F] out at night From a [C] sharecropper shack or peni-[Am]-tentiary [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free From a [C] sharecropper shack or peni-[Am]-tentiary [C] all God's [G] children ain't [C] free

#### **Instrumental last 2 lines verse:**

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