

Merle Haggard

"Victory in Jesus"

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I heard an old, old story how a Savior came from glory
How He gave His life on Calvary to save a wretch like
me
I heard about His groaning of His precious blood's
atoning
Then I repented of my sins and won the victory.

Chorus:

O victory in Jesus, my Savior, forever
He sought me and bought me with His redeeming
blood
He loved me ere I knew Him and all my love is due Him
He plunged me into victory, beneath the cleansing
blood.

--- Instrumental ---

I heard about a mansion he has built for me in glory
And I heard about the streets of gold beyond the
crystal sea
About the angels singing and the old redemption story
And some sweet day I'll sing up there
The song of victory.

Chorus:

O victory in Jesus, my Savior, forever
He sought me and bought me with His redeeming
blood
He loved me ere I knew Him and all my love is due Him
He plunged me to victory beneath the cleansing
blood...

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