

Unanswered Prayers

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Driving Pattern...(BPM = 120)

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Verse 1:

C² **F/C²**
Just the other night at a hometown football game
C¹ **Am7¹** **Dm¹** **G¹**
My wife and I ran into my old high school flame
F/C¹ **Em¹** **Am7¹** **F/C¹**
And as I introduced them the past came back to me
Dm¹ **Em¹** **F/C¹** **G²**
And I couldn't help but think of the way things used to be
C² **F/C²**
She was the one that I'd wanted for all times
C¹ **Am7¹** **Dm¹** **G¹**
And each night I'd spend prayin' that God would make her mine
F/C¹ **Em¹** **Am7¹** **F/C¹**
And if he'd only grant me this wish I wished back then
Dm¹ **F/C¹** **G⁴**
I'd never ask for anything again

Chorus:

C¹ **Am7¹** **F/C¹** **G¹**
Sometimes I thank God for unanswered prayers
C¹ **Am7¹** **Dm¹** **G¹**
Remember when you're talkin' to the man upstairs
C¹ **Em¹** **F/C¹** **Dm²**
That just because he doesn't answer doesn't mean he don't care
C¹ **Am7¹** **F/C¹** **G¹** **C²**
Some of God's greatest gifts are unanswered prayers

Verse 2:

C² **F/C²**
She wasn't quite the angel that I remembered in my dreams
C¹ **Am7¹** **Dm¹** **G¹**
And I could tell that time had changed me, in her eyes too it seemed
F/C¹ **Em¹** **Am7¹** **F/C¹**
We tried to talk about the old days, there wasn't much we could recall
Dm¹ **F/C¹** **G⁴**
I guess the Lord knows what he's doin' after all
F/C² **Em¹** **Am7¹**
And as she walked away I looked at my wife
Dm¹ **Em¹**
And then and there I thanked the good Lord
F/C¹ **G⁴**
For the gifts in my life