

# The Sands of Time Are Sinking (BRIDE)

Key: G

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**G C G**  
The sands of time are sinking  
**G C G**  
The dawn of heaven breaks  
**C G D C Em**  
The summer morn I've sighed for—  
**G C G**  
The fair, sweet morn awakes:  
**D C**  
Dark, dark had been the midnight  
**D C**  
But dayspring is at hand  
**D C**  
And glory, glory dwelleth  
**G C G**  
In Emmanuel's land.

**G C G**  
O I am my Beloved's  
**G C G**  
And my Beloved is mine!  
**C G D C Em**  
He brings a poor vile sinner  
**G C G**  
Into His house of wine  
**D C**  
I stand upon His merit—  
**D C**  
I know no other stand,  
**D C**  
Not e'en where glory dwelleth  
**G C G**  
In Emmanuel's land

CHORUS:

**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**Em D G**  
All my hope and Peace  
**C D G**  
All my hope and Peace

**G C G**  
The Bride eyes not her garment,  
**G C G**  
but her dear Bridegroom's face;  
**C G D C Em**  
I will not gaze at glory  
**G C G**  
but on my King of grace.  
**D C**  
Not at the crown He giveth  
**D C**  
but on His piercé hand;  
**D C**  
The Lamb is all the glory  
**G C G**  
Of Emmanuel's land

ENDING CHORUS:

**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**Em D G**  
All my hope and Peace  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**D C G**  
Oh— Emmanuel!  
**Em D G**  
All my hope and Peace  
**C D G**  
All my hope and Peace  
**C D G**  
All my hope and Peace