

The Anointing

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INTRO:

C D/A G G/B C D/A G B/G

VERSE 1:

C D/A G G/B

All of us were all sitting around the table

C D/A G G/B

Talking all about our God.

C D/A G G/B C D/A G

At the house of Simon our brother, better known as the leprous one.

Em D/F# C

Then a woman came among us,

Em D/F# C

Set a jar of perfume in front of us.

Em D/F# C

She was of the street, not of God.

Em D/F# C

She was wretched and poor, not like us.

INTERLUDE:

G G/B C X4

VERSE 2:

C D/A G G/B

Judas said, "That perfume's expensive,

C D/A G G/B

It should not go to waste.

C D/A G G/B C D/A G

And let us sell it at its highest, let us see what we can make."

Em D/F# C

Then she poured the oil upon His head,

Em D/F# C

It ran down His hair, His beard and neck.

Em D/F# C

Just like Aaron and all the priests of old,

Em D/F# C

The Highest of Priests revealed in Simon's home.

Psalm 133

How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity! It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down on the collar of his robe. It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. For there the LORD bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.

INTERLUDE:

G G/B C X4

CHORUS:

Em D/F# C
She will always be a part of it,
Em D/F# C
It's like she understood, though we didn't.
Em D/F# C
We saw Jesus Christ anointed,
Em D/F# C
The King anointed for His death.
Em D/F# C
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Mark 14:3b-9

While he was eating, a woman came in with a beautiful alabaster jar of expensive perfume made from essence of nard. She broke open the jar and poured the perfume over his head. Some of those at the table were indignant. "Why waste such expensive perfume?" they asked. "It could have been sold for a year's wages and the money given to the poor!" So they scolded her harshly. But Jesus replied, "Leave her alone. Why criticize her for doing such a good thing to me? You will always have the poor among you, and you can help them whenever you want to. But you will not always have me. She has done what she could and has anointed my body for burial ahead of time. I tell you the truth, wherever the Good News is preached throughout the world, this woman's deed will be remembered and discussed."