

BECAUSE YOU FIRST LOVED ME

Music and Words by Doug Plank

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VERSE

C F Am G

1. Love is pa - tient, love is kind, ev - ery - where and ev - ery time
 2. When I love it looks like this: it al - ways gives and gives

3 C F Am G

it gives its place in line to serve an - oth - er.
 to God, and then it lives to help my neigh - bor.

5 C F Am G

But my heart it strug - gles so, I need Your grace to grow.
 That's a love I have - n't got, it's me I love a lot.

7 C F Am G

Lord, help me give and show this love to oth - ers.
 Stuck here I'm tied in knots, I need a Sav - ior.

9 F G

Je - sus, set me free to love un - self - ish - ly.
 Je - sus set me free to love You more than me.

11 **CHORUS** C E7 Am F C E7

Be - cause You first loved me I can love _____ You with all my_ heart..

14 Am F C E7 Am F

Be - cause You first loved me I'll love oth - ers,

17 C G Am F C G Fmaj7 (to end) C

too the way You do.____ I'll love them too.____