## Wish

## **Joy Williams**

For just a moment I wish I could have been there

To see your first step

To hear your very first word

Tell me did you ever fall and scrape your knee

Did you know your wounds would one day heal the world

For just one moment I wish I could have seen you growing,

Learning the ways of a carpenter's son

Just a little boy gazing at the stars

Did you remember creating every one

If you passed by would I see a child or a king

Or would I have known

I wish I could have been there
My only wish is to see you face to face
I wish I could have been there
Just to see you Jesus face to face

For just one moment I wish I could have been there
When you left your footprints upon the waves
To walk along beside you never look away
Just your whisper and the wind and sea obey
To see you feed the people
To feel the healing in your touch
I wish I could have been there

To hear you pray in the garden alone Laying you will with each tear To see you walk that lonely road Willing to die for me

And in that

Moment I know I should have been there
You took my cross and gave your life
But you live again
I wish I could have been there
I wish that I could have seen you rise again
I wish I could have been there
My only wish is to see you face to face
Someday I'll be there
I'm gonna be there

I'll see your face
Your mercy and grace
Someday
Someday I'm gonna see you Jesus face to face

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