



# We Have Not Known Thee As We Ought

CAPO 1

*"We have acted very corruptly against You and have not kept the commandments, nor the statutes, nor the ordinances which You commanded Your servant Moses." | Nehemiah 1:7*

Lyrics by Thomas Pollock

Music by Jody Killingsworth

♩ = 68

## INTRO/INTERLUDE

D - D/C# - | G - Gdim7 -  
D - D/C# - | G - Gdim7 -

## VERSE 1

D D/C# G  
We have not known Thee as we ought,  
D/F# F#/A# Bm D/A  
Nor learned Thy wisdom, grace and pow'r;  
G Em7 Bm  
The things of earth have filled our thought,  
(A#) A G#dim7 A (A/A#)  
And trifles of this passing hour.  
Bm F#/A# D/A G  
Lord, give us light Thy truth to see,  
D/F# G A7 (D-Interlude)  
And make us wise in knowing Thee.

## VERSE 2

D D/C# G  
We have not feared Thee as we ought,  
D/F# F#/A# Bm D/A  
Nor bowed beneath Thine awesome eye,  
G Em7 Bm  
Nor guarded deed and word and thought,  
(A#) A G#dim7 A (A/A#)  
Remembering that God was nigh.  
Bm F#/A# D/A G  
Lord, give us faith to know Thee near,  
D/F# G A7 (D-Interlude)  
And grant the grace of holy fear.

## VERSE 3

D D/C# G  
We have not loved Thee as we ought,  
D/F# F#/A# Bm D/A  
Nor cared that we are loved by Thee;  
G Em7 Bm  
Thy presence we have coldly sought,  
(A#) A G#dim7 A (A/A#)  
And feebly longed Thy face to see.  
Bm F#/A# D/A G  
Lord, give a pure and loving heart  
D/F# G A7 (D-Interlude)  
To feel and know the love Thou art.

## VERSE 4

D D/C# G  
We have not served Thee as we ought,  
D/F# F#/A# Bm D/A  
Alas, the duties left undone,  
G Em7 Bm  
The work with little fervor wrought,  
(A#) A G#dim7 A (A/A#)  
The battles lost or scarcely won!  
Bm F#/A# D/A G  
Lord, give the zeal, and give the might,  
D/F# G A7 (D-Interlude)  
For Thee to toil, and Thee to fight.

## VERSE 5

D D/C# G  
When shall we know Thee as we ought,  
D/F# F#/A# Bm D/A  
And fear and love and serve aright?  
G Em7 Bm  
When shall we, out of trial brought,  
(A#) A G#dim7 A (A/A#)  
Be perfect in the land of light?  
Bm F#/A# D/A G  
Lord, may we day by day prepare—

## TAG

D/F# G D/F# G  
To see Thy face, to see Thy face  
D/F# G A7 (D)  
To see Thy face and serve Thee there.

## OUTRO

D - D/C# - | G - Gdim7 -  
D - D/C# - | G - Gdim7 - | D

