

# Song #47 - The Tenth Commandment

Words: Steve Layfield - Music: Traditional

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of five staves of music with lyrics underneath. Chord symbols are placed above the notes. The lyrics are: "God's com-mand-ment, the ver-y last one, says a ver-y hard thing to me; it calls to my heart and it calls to my mind say-ing, 'Hey, con - ten - ted be!' Yet a thou - sand things not mine I see that trig-ger my jeal - ous - y: 'Son-ny's sum-mer coat and his bon-ny new boat would do just fine for me.'" Yes, a thou - sand things not mine I see that cov - e - tous make me be!"

G C G D G

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5 C G D G

calls to my heart and it calls to my mind say-ing, "Hey, con - ten - ted be!" Yet a

9 C D C D G

thou - sand things not mine I see that trig-ger my jeal - ous - y:

13 D G

"Son-ny's sum-mer coat and his bon-ny new boat would do just fine for me." Yes, a

17 C D C D G

thou - sand things not mine I see that cov - e - tous make me be!

## Questions

Q. 101. What is the tenth commandment?

A. The tenth commandment is, Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.

Q. 102. What does the tenth commandment teach us?

A. To be content with our lot.