## **The Distance**

## Phillips, Craig & Dean

Broken up on a road that felt like freedom A rebel headed anywhere but home Adam's fall repeated in a moment Kept it at the edge of Eden's door

In the company of the angels Reachin' from a beautiful world You could've waited

You couldn't stand Couldn't stand the distance You wouldn't bare the silence anymore Love broke the fall, bridged across to reach us You opened Heaven's door 'Cause you couldn't stand the distance

Close enough to see the love I needed A seeker lookin' for the way back home Underneath the weight of what I wasted While mercy stood lookin' down on hope

Then you ran to where I was waiting And your love crossed the canyon between us You came to save me

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So close to your mercy Yet so far away You ran to me You ran to me Forgiveness Embrace me You call me by name Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah

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