

# The Old Account Was Settled

In the key of

**G**

Intro

|G . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G . . . |

G • G/B C |G/D • D7 • |G • C • |G D Em D/F# |

VS1

**G**

**Am**

There was a time on earth, when in the book of Heav'n

**G/B C G A7 D C G/B**

An old account was standing for sins yet unforgiv'n;

**Am G**

**Am**

My name was at the top and many things below,

**G/B C G G/D D7 G**

I went unto the keeper, and settled long ago.

CH1

**D/F# Em D7 G C G**

Long a - go(down on my knees), Long ago(I settled it all),

**G**

**D**

Yes, the old account was settled long ago(Hallelujah!);

**G**

**Am G/B C**

**G**

And the record's clear today, for He washed my sins away,

**D7 G C G**

When the old account was settled long ago

Inter

|G . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G . . . |

G • G/B C |G/D • D7 • |G • C • |G D Em D/F# |

VS2

**G**

**Am**

The old account was large, and growing every day,

**G/B C G A7 D C G/B**

For I was always sinning, and never tried to pay;

**Am G**

**Am**

But when I looked ahead, and saw such pain and woe,

**G/B C G G/D D7 G**

I said that i would settle, I settled long ago.

CH2

**D/F# Em D7** **G C G**  
Long a - go(down on my knees), Long ago(I settled it all),

**G D**  
Yes, the old account was settled long ago(Hallelujah!);

**G Am G/B C G**  
And the record's clear today, for He washed my sins away,

**D7 G C G**  
When the old account was settled long ago

Inter

|G . . . |G . . . |C . . . |G . . . |

G • G/B C |G/D • D7 • |G • C • |G D Em D/F# |

VS3

**G Am**  
Oh sinner, trust the Lord, be cleansed of all your sin,

**G/B C G A7 D C G/B**  
For thus He hath provided for you to enter in;

**Am G Am**  
And then if you should live a hundred years below,

**G/B C G G/B D7 G**  
Up there you'll not regret it, you settled long ago.

CH3

**D/F# Em D7** **G C G**  
Long a - go(down on my knees), Long ago(I settled it all),

**G D**  
Yes, the old account was settled long ago(Hallelujah!);

**G Am G/B C G**  
And the record's clear today, for He washed my sins away,

**D7 G**  
When the old account was settled long ago

Tag

**G Am G/B C G**  
And the records here today, for He washed my sins away,

**D7 C . . . |C . . . |Cm . . . |Cm -cut|**  
When the old account was settled long ago

**G . . . |G . . . |G cut|G -cut• < G > • |**  
Long ago