

Joseph Did You Know?

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Joseph did you know? That this newborn boy you just washed clean with water,
That He would cleanse you for adoption by His Heavenly Father?
Did you know though no doctor or midwife was there to help you,
This baby you had to deliver was born to deliver you?

Did you know when you went to Egypt to keep Him safe from danger,
God who saved Israel from Egypt was lying in that manger?
Did you know? When the angel told you name Him as His father,
That Name would also save your biological sons and daughters?

Oh Joseph did you know? That this baby boy who's sleeping on your chest,
Created the world in six days and on the seventh took His rest?
From that stable to your table, you raised the King of the Jews,
The Lord you must submit to, as your son He submitted to you!

Did you know when you brought your boy to synagogue for teaching?
He would stand before thousands one day and He would do the preaching?
Did you know when He was 12-years old back in the temple lost,
That those feet you taught how to walk would one day be nailed to a cross?

When he was young and first asked you about criminals dying on trees,
Did you know He would die like that at the age of 33?
Did you know that the teenage son you taught the carpenter's trade,
His hands you taught to work with wood would be nailed to wood to save?

Joseph did you know that your little boy, the one who calls you "Abba,"
Would later cry that to heaven bearing the wrath of God The Father?
Did you know that your little boy you taught to tie his shoes,
That this son that you adopted would die to adopt you?