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MUSIC SHEET

4/4 time (pu = 1)
 TEMPO: 92 BPM

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 Album: Amazing Power 'n' Prayers

Jesus was teaching and Mary was listening.

“But Martha was cumbered about much serving, and came to him, and said, Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me.” --*Luke 10:40 KJV*

INTRO = first two lines of chords.

PART 1															
1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	ah 1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+

Lyrics
 1a
 2a
 3a
 4a

No Chord: **N.C.**
 HER: _ “God, there
 HER: _ “Oh, God
 NARRATOR: Let us
 NARRATOR: Ma- ry
 vB C

	Bm		B2 [B C# F#]		Am		Am(add 4) [ACDF]
1b	is _	so _	much to do	and	he's _	just _	watch-ing T - V,
2b	he's _	just _	so la- zy,	he	won't _	do _	what I need, please
3b	ask _	our- _	selves, are we	fol-	low- _	ing _	Christ or are we
4b	stopped _	all _	work- ing just	to	spend _	time _	with Je- sus, and
melody	D _	D _	D C# D	D#	E _	E _	E E F E

	Gm		(Gm)		A [major]		
1c	Lord, _	tell him	men must help	their wives.”	_	_	HIM: _ God, You
2c	God _	tell him	he should come	help me.”	_	_	HIM: _ God, Your
3c	just _	us- ing	Je- sus's name	we claim?	_	_	John Fif-
4c	we _	must de-	cide to do	the same	_	_	Luke Ten
melody	D _	D E	D C# B	D#	C# _	_	B C

	Bm		B2 [B C# F#]		Am		Am(add 4) [ACDF]
1d	know _	I _	just need to	re-	lax. _	Why _	can't Your wo- man
2d	wo- _	man's _	self- ish and	won't do	_	her _	tasks. Please make her
3d	teen _	verse _	four- teen tells	us acts _	are _	need- ed to o-	
4d	verse _	For- ty -	one, Je- sus an-	swered _	Mar- tha's	prayer by say- ing	
melody	D _	D _	D C# D	D#	E _	E _	E E F E

	Gm		(Gm)		A [major]		
1e	see _	<i>this? Please make her see this</i>	<i>fact.</i>	_	_	[Narrator:]	Mar- tha
2e	stop _	<i>whin- ing and nag- ging at</i>	<i>me.</i>	_	_	[Narrator:]	Mar- tha
3e	bey _	Je- sus and to be	His Friend _	But _	God hates Mar- tha		
4e	she _	should stop and lis-	ten to Him. _	For _	God hates bu- sy		
melody	D _	D E	D C# B	D#	C# _	^A _	A B A A

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CHORUS																
	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+	1	+	2	+	3	+	4	+
	A				Fmaj7				Gm				A			
C1a	prayers	-			-				-				-			'Work - work'
ALL	^C#															^A- A
	Dm				C				Bb				Am			
C1b	prayers	-			-				-				-		God made us	
ALL	A													A	A	A
	F / C				Em				Dm				Am			
C1c	for	-			-				-				-		re- la- tion-	
ALL	A													A	A	A
	C				G				Fmaj7							
C1d	ship	-			with our mar- riage part- ner---YEAH!				-				<to verse 2		Oh, God...>	
C2d	ship	-			with our life- long part- ner---YEAH!				-				<to verse 2		Let us ...>	
C3d	ship	-			with God, Ho-- ly Spi- rit --- YEAH!				-				<to verse 2		Ma- ry ...>	
C3d	ship	-			with our Sa- vior Je- sus-- YEAH!				YEAH!				YEAH!			
	G	-			G G G G G G G				^A				^A		^B	< vB C>
																< verse notes>

Song Story

I'm ashamed to say that this song was inspired by the moment when I had just finished praying what is the woman's part in Verse 2. A *why-won't-he-just-take-out-the-trash* prayer. The instant my thought-prayer ended, this story in Luke 10:40 came to mind, and I really did laugh and laugh at both my silliness and at God's instant answer to my prayer.... which you may note was NOT to get my hubby to take out the trash!

Martha was focused on having a perfect house... a type of **pridefulness**. Having a neat home and a great party are not bad... they can bring much joy! But sometimes we, like Martha, find our value in showing other people how good we are at whatever. Sometimes we, perhaps like, rather enjoy the martyrdom of being able to whine at all the hard work we're doing while other people are lazy (by our definition of "lazy").

More than anything, God yearns for a RELATIONSHIP with each of us.... and relationships require time together. Psalm 46:10 -- "Be STILL and know that I am God."

God created us from the beginning with a plan that we have a relationship with our marriage partner. And relationships require time together.

May this song bring your hearts laughter as you see some of your silliness reflected in the verses... and may this song bring your hearts together with each other and with your God as He yearns for you to be. --ddo