

# Hope Is Alive

*Words and music by Ellie Holcomb*

## ***Intro***

G – C/G – G – C/G

*(band enters)*

G – C/G – G – C/G

## ***Verse 1***

G                      C/G                      G                      C/G

After the silence of waiting so long, we hear a baby's first cry

G                      C/G                      G                      C/G

And into our midnight, a heavenly song whispers that hope is alive

Am              G/B              C

Oh, joy to the world on this holy night

## ***Chorus 1***

D                      C              G

So sing with the angels that fill up the sky

D                      C              G

Heaven broke through and now hope is alive

Em                      G                      C

He is right here among us, our God is with us tonight

G      C      G      C

And hope is alive

## ***Verse 2***

G                      C                      G                      C

In an old stable beneath the bright stars, a young mother is holding her son

G                      C                      Em                      C

Oh, the beauty of feeling the beat of God's heart that tells us that we're not alone

Am      G/B      C

Oh, our Emmanuel has come

### ***Chorus 2***

D C G  
So sing with the angels that fill up the sky  
D C G  
Heaven broke through and now hope is alive  
Em G C  
He is right here among us, our God is with us tonight  
G C G C  
And hope is alive hope is alive

### ***Bridge***

G D Em C  
Into our aching, into our breaking, into our longing to be made whole  
G D C  
Your arms are reaching, your love is holding us close  
G D Em C  
And into our suffering, into our weeping, into this need we have to be known  
G D C D/C C  
Your arms are reaching, your love is holding us close

### ***Chorus 3***

D C G  
So sing with the angels that fill up the sky  
D C G  
Those in the shadows have seen a great light  
Em G C  
He is right here among us, our God is with us tonight  
G C G C  
And hope is alive hope is alive  
G C G C G  
hope is alive

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