

Like so many, I grew up in the shadow of generational sin which can only be broken through the power and forgiveness of Jesus Christ.

And sometimes, those dark shadows still rumble and we must keep taking them back to the foot of the cross.

That is what I hope to accomplish with this song - bring my past into the light so others can face their own pain with God given courage.

Dad, you also brought a lot of great things to my life and I forgive you for whatever demons haunted and were passed down to you long ago.

BURIED DEEP

*Lyrics by Chuck White, Morgan Cryar, Bobby Terry. Original Melody by Morgan Cryar.
Vocals and Music Production by Bobby Terry.*

Lord, don't let my daddy come home tonight
Drunk and mean and ready to fight
Don't let him hurt my momma again
That's how I prayed when I was nine or ten

I'd head off to school but my heart stays at home
Where Mom was crying in the bathroom alone
Why I drove by that old house today
And it was gone like those stitches, but the pain just stays and stays

CHORUS:

Buried deep, deep within
Old wounds haunt you till the very end
It's like wakin' up when you've been long asleep
It hurts like hell when it's buried deep
Buried deep, buried deep

Well, it's so hard to write this song
Guess I been runnin' for way too long
I've tried my best not to be like him
But sometimes his shadow seems just like a twin

CHORUS:

Buried deep, deep within
Like a thorn of shame stuck beneath my skin
It's the lies we tell and the secrets we keep
Like an old wound from a bullet that's buried
Buried deep, buried deep

BRIDGE:

They say the apple don't fall far from the tree
But Lord save my children
From what was handed down to me
I'm prayin' on my knees.

Now here I stand no one else around
The past is gone buried six feet down
Dad, I forgave you years ago
But I don't recall that I ever told you so

CHORUS:

It's buried deep, deep down inside
Broken chains, arms opened wide
Forgiveness flows like the tears I weep
Old pain turns to gold and it's buried, buried deep
Buried deep, buried deep
Oh, buried deep