

# Child of Mine

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## verse

1. I am ac-quaint - ed with the brink of tears,  
2. Be - hind the dam there is a ri - sing tide,  
3. There is an an - swer in the clear - ing skies,

I lean there of - ten, face in - to the rain.  
The ri - ver held from where it wants to go,  
The wa - ter shed in tears is not in vain,

It fills my eyes un - til my vi - sion clears  
Will have its way, it can - not be de - nied,  
It flows be - neath the soul and makes it rise,

And serves to wash a - way the salt - y stain.  
Must be re - leased or it will ov - er - flow.  
It is as na - tural as the fall - ing rain.

## chorus

Oh child of mine, don't try to find Your

way a - lone, some things are known. You

start in - side, your heart will guide, so

strong and kind, oh child of mine.  
(You're doin' just fine)